

# Datasheet: MCA46R BATCH NUMBER 170479

Description:	MOUSE ANTI RAT MHC CLASS II RT1B
Specificity:	MHC CLASS II RT1B
Format:	Purified
<b>Product Type:</b>	Monoclonal Antibody
Clone:	OX-6
Isotype:	lgG1
Quantity:	0.25 mg

## **Product Details**

## **Applications**

Reactivity

This product has been reported to work in the following applications. This information is derived from testing within our laboratories, peer-reviewed publications or personal communications from the originators. Please refer to references indicated for further information. For general protocol recommendations, please visit <a href="www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/protocols">www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/protocols</a>.

	Yes	No	<b>Not Determined</b>	Suggested Dilution
Flow Cytometry	•			1/50 - 1/100
Immunohistology - Frozen	•			
Immunohistology - Paraffin (1)				1/50 - 1/100
ELISA			•	
Immunoprecipitation			•	
Western Blotting			•	
Immunofluorescence				

Where this antibody has not been tested for use in a particular technique this does not necessarily exclude its use in such procedures. Suggested working dilutions are given as a guide only. It is recommended that the user titrates the antibody for use in their own system using appropriate negative/positive controls.

(1)This product requires antigen retrieval using heat treatment prior to staining of paraffin sections. Sodium citrate buffer pH 6.0 is recommended for this purpose. PLP fixation is recommended for optimal results.

Target Species	Rat
Species Cross	Reacts with: Mouse

**N.B.** Antibody reactivity and working conditions may vary between species. Cross reactivity is derived from testing within our laboratories, peer-reviewed publications or personal communications from the originators. Please refer to references indicated for further information.

Product Form	Purified IgG - liquid
Preparation	Purified IgG prepared by affinity chromatography on Protein A from tissue culture supernatant
Buffer Solution	Phosphate buffered saline
Preservative Stabilisers	0.09% Sodium Azide
Carrier Free	Yes
Approx. Protein Concentrations	IgG concentration 1.0 mg/ml
Immunogen	Rat thymocyte membrane glycoproteins.
RRID	AB_322404
Fusion Partners	Spleen cells from immunized BALB/c mice were fused with cells from the NS1 mouse myeloma cell line.
Specificity	Mouse anti Rat MHC Class II RT1B antibody, clone OX-6 recognizes a monomorphic determinant of the rat RT1B MHC class II antigen present on B lymphocytes, dendritic cells, some macrophages and certain epithelial cells.
	Rat MHC Class II RT1B antibody, clone OX-6 does not react with the rat BDIX strain due to a defect in RT1B expression (Male et al. 1987).
	The major histocompatibility complex (MHC) is a cluster of genes that are important in the immune response to infections. In rats, this complex is referred to as the RT1 region. In mice, this complex is referred to as the H-2 region.
	Mouse anti Rat MHC Class II RT1B antibody, clone OX-6 also cross reacts with a polymorphic determinant on mouse strains of the H-2 haplotypes k and s. Analysis of recombinant mouse strains has mapped the OX-6 determinant to the H-2I-A region (McMaster and Williams 1979 and Male et al. 1987).
	Mouse anti Rat MHC Class II RT1B antibody, clone OX-6 is routinely tested in flow cytometry on rat splenocytes.
Flow Cytometry	Use 10ul of the suggested working dilution to label 10 <sup>6</sup> cells in 100ul.
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Storage This product is shipped at ambient temperature. It is recommended to aliquot and store at

-20°C on receipt. When thawed, aliquot the sample as needed. Keep aliquots at 2-8°C for

short term use (up to 4 weeks) and store the remaining aliquots at -20°C.

Avoid repeated freezing and thawing as this may denature the antibody. Storage in

frost-free freezers is not recommended.

Guarantee 12 months from date of despatch

Health And Safety Information

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# **Recommended Secondary Antibodies**

Rabbit Anti Mouse IgG (STAR12...) RPE

Goat Anti Mouse IgG IgA IgM (STAR87...) HRP

Goat Anti Mouse IgG (STAR76...) RPE

Goat Anti Mouse IgG (STAR70...) FITC

Goat Anti Mouse IgG (H/L) (STAR117...) Alk. Phos., DyLight®488, DyLight®550,

DyLight®650, DyLight®680, DyLight®800,

FITC, HRP

Rabbit Anti Mouse IgG (STAR9...) FITC

Rabbit Anti Mouse IgG (STAR13...) HRP

Goat Anti Mouse IgG (Fc) (STAR120...) FITC, HRP

Goat Anti Mouse IgG (STAR77...) HRP

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