

## Datasheet: MCA4703F

**BATCH NUMBER 166525**

<b>Description:</b>	RAT ANTI MOUSE CD44:FITC
<b>Specificity:</b>	CD44
<b>Other names:</b>	H-CAM, PGP-1
<b>Format:</b>	FITC
<b>Product Type:</b>	Monoclonal Antibody
<b>Clone:</b>	IM7
<b>Isotype:</b>	IgG2b
<b>Quantity:</b>	0.1 mg

## Product Details

### Applications

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 [www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/protocols](http://www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/protocols).

	Yes	No	Not Determined	Suggested Dilution
Flow Cytometry	▪			1/20

Where this product 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 product for use in their own system using appropriate negative/positive controls.

### Target Species

Mouse

### Species Cross Reactivity

Reacts with: Human, Baboon, Cynomolgus monkey, Rhesus Monkey, Horse, Bovine, Pig, Dog, Cat, Ferret

Based on sequence similarity, is expected to react with: Mustelid

**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 conjugated to Fluorescein Isothiocyanate Isomer 1 (FITC) - liquid

### Max Ex/Em

Fluorophore	Excitation Max (nm)	Emission Max (nm)
FITC	490	525

### Preparation

Purified IgG prepared by affinity chromatography

<b>Buffer Solution</b>	Phosphate buffered saline
<b>Preservative Stabilisers</b>	<0.1% Sodium Azide (NaN <sub>3</sub> )
<b>Approx. Protein Concentrations</b>	IgG concentration 0.5 mg/ml
<b>Immunogen</b>	Dexamethasone-induced myeloid leukemia M1 cells.
<b>External Database Links</b>	<p><b>UniProt:</b>  <a href="#">P15379</a>    <a href="#">Related reagents</a></p> <p><b>Entrez Gene:</b>  <a href="#">12505</a> Cd44    <a href="#">Related reagents</a></p>
<b>Synonyms</b>	Ly-24
<b>Specificity</b>	<p><b>Rat anti Mouse CD44 antibody, clone IM7</b> recognizes CD44, also known as H-CAM, HUTCH and lymphocyte antigen 24 (Ly-24).</p> <p>CD44 is a cell surface receptor for hyaluronic acid, although it can also interact with other ligands such as collagens and matrix metalloproteinases. This protein plays a role in a variety of cellular functions, such as adhesion, lymphocyte activation and lymph node homing. It is also involved in cell migration and plays a role in tumor metastasis. CD44 has many distinct isoforms responsible for its functional diversity.</p> <p>Rat anti Mouse CD44 antibody, clone IM7 recognizes all isoforms of CD44 and has been reported to inhibit a delayed-type hypersensitivity response <i>in vivo</i> and to induce complement-mediated cytotoxicity.</p>
<b>Flow Cytometry</b>	Use 10ul of the suggested working dilution to label 1x10 <sup>6</sup> cells in 100ul
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**Storage** Store at +4°C. DO NOT FREEZE.  
This product should be stored undiluted. This product is photosensitive and should be protected from light. Should this product contain a precipitate we recommend microcentrifugation before use.

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**Guarantee** 12 months from date of despatch

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**Health And Safety Information** Material Safety Datasheet documentation #10040 available at: <https://www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/SDS/MCA4703F>  
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