

## Datasheet: MCA638GA

<b>Description:</b>	MOUSE ANTI PIG IgA
<b>Specificity:</b>	IgA
<b>Format:</b>	Purified
<b>Product Type:</b>	Monoclonal Antibody
<b>Clone:</b>	K61 1B4
<b>Isotype:</b>	IgG1
<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	▪			
Immunohistology - Frozen	▪			
Immunohistology - Paraffin			▪	
ELISA	▪			1/50K - 1/500K
Immunoprecipitation			▪	
Western Blotting			▪	

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.

<b>Target Species</b>	Pig
<b>Product Form</b>	Purified IgG - liquid
<b>Preparation</b>	Purified IgG prepared by affinity chromatography on Protein A from tissue culture supernatant
<b>Buffer Solution</b>	Phosphate buffered saline
<b>Preservative Stabilisers</b>	0.09% Sodium Azide (NaN <sub>3</sub> )
<b>Carrier Free</b>	Yes

Approx. Protein Concentrations	IgG concentration 1.0 mg/ml
Immunogen	Porcine IgA
Fusion Partners	Spleen cells from immunised mice were fused with cells of the mouse P3-X63-Ag8.653 myeloma cell line
Specificity	<p><b>Mouse Anti Pig IgA antibody, clone K61 1B4</b> recognizes porcine immunoglobulin (Ig) alpha chain. No cross-reactivity is observed with either porcine IgM or IgG.</p> <p>It has been suggested that pigs possess two subclasses of IgA, referred to as either IgA1 and IgA2 similar to the human IgA subclasses. More recent research indicates that these are allotypic variants and described as IgAa and IgAb (<a href="#">Navarro et al. 2000</a>). Research undertaken in connection with porcine IgA response to Foot and Mouth disease (<a href="#">Pacheco et al. 2010</a>) has demonstrated that clone K61 1B4 recognises both IgAa and IgAb allotypes.</p> <p>IgA is the dominant immunoglobulin found in surface secretions where its role is in the protection of body surfaces. High levels of IgA may be detected in tracheal secretions, saliva, intestinal fluid and urogenital tract secretions. The primary function of IgA is to prevent adherence of bacteria and virus to epithelial surfaces. IgA may also act within epithelial cells where it has a role in interrupting viral replication.</p>
ELISA	This product may be used as a detection reagent in ELISA applications
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#### Further Reading

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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.

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12 months from date of despatch

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#### Health And Safety Information

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For research purposes only

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### Recommended Secondary Antibodies

Goat Anti Mouse IgG (H/L) (STAR117...) [HRP](#)

### Recommended Negative Controls

[MOUSE IgG1 NEGATIVE CONTROL \(MCA928\)](#)

## Recommended Useful Reagents

[MOUSE ANTI PIG Ig LAMBDA LIGHT CHAIN \(MCA633GA\)](#)

[MOUSE ANTI PIG IgA SECRETORY COMPONENT \(MCA634GA\)](#)

[MOUSE ANTI PIG IgG1 \(MCA635GA\)](#)

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