

Datasheet: MCA55G

Description:	MOUSE ANTI RAT CD4 (DOMAIN 1)
Specificity:	CD4 (DOMAIN 1)
Format:	Purified
Product Type:	Monoclonal Antibody
Clone:	W3/25
Isotype:	IgG1
Quantity:	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.

	Yes	No	Not Determined	Suggested Dilution
Flow Cytometry	▪			1/100 - 1/200
Immunohistology - Frozen	▪			
Immunohistology - Paraffin (1)	▪			
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) **PLP fixation is recommended for optimal results, see [Whiteland et al.](#) for details**

Target Species	Rat
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.

**External Database
Links**

UniProt:

[P05540](#) [Related reagents](#)

Entrez Gene:

[24932](#) Cd4 [Related reagents](#)

Fusion Partners

Spleen cells from immunized BALB/c mouse were fused with cells of the mouse NS-1 myeloma cell line.

Specificity

Mouse anti Rat CD4 antibody, clone W3/25 recognizes the rat CD4 cell surface glycoprotein, a ~55 kDa molecule expressed by helper T cells and weakly by monocytes. This antibody inhibits proliferation and IL-2 production in the MLR reaction.

Mouse anti Rat CD4 antibody, clone W3/25 has been described reacting with paraffin-embedded material following PLP fixation (periodate-lysine-paraformaldehyde) ([Whiteland et al. 1995](#)).

Mouse anti Rat CD4 antibody, clone W3/25 is routinely tested in flow cytometry on rat splenocytes

Flow Cytometry

Use 10ul of the suggested working dilution to label 10⁶ cells in 100ul.

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Storage

Store at +4°C for one month or at -20°C for longer.

This product should be stored undiluted. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing as this may denature the antibody. Should this product contain a precipitate we recommend microcentrifugation before use.

Shelf Life

18 months from date of despatch.

**Health And Safety
Information**

Material Safety Datasheet documentation #10040 available at:
10040: <https://www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/uploads/MSDS/10040.pdf>

Related Products

Recommended Secondary Antibodies

Goat Anti Mouse IgG (STAR76...)	RPE
Goat Anti Mouse IgG IgA IgM (STAR87...)	Alk. Phos. , HRP
Rabbit Anti Mouse IgG (STAR9...)	FITC
Goat Anti Mouse IgG (STAR77...)	HRP
Rabbit Anti Mouse IgG (STAR12...)	RPE
Goat Anti Mouse IgG (Fc) (STAR120...)	FITC , HRP
Rabbit Anti Mouse IgG (STAR8...)	DyLight®800
Goat Anti Mouse IgG (STAR70...)	FITC
Rabbit Anti Mouse IgG (STAR13...)	HRP
Human Anti Mouse IgG1 (HCA036...)	HRP
Goat Anti Mouse IgG (H/L) (STAR117...)	Alk. Phos. , DyLight®488 , DyLight®549 , DyLight®649 , DyLight®680 , DyLight®800 , FITC , HRP

Recommended Negative Controls

[MOUSE IgG1 NEGATIVE CONTROL \(MCA1209\)](#)

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