

Anti-Mouse AIRE Purified

Catalog Number: 14-5934

Also known as: Autoimmune Regulator

RUO: For Research Use Only. Not for use in diagnostic procedures.

Product Information

 **Contents:** Anti-Mouse AIRE Purified
Catalog Number: 14-5934
Clone: 5H12
Concentration: 0.5 mg/mL
Host/Isotype: Rat IgG2c, kappa



Formulation: aqueous buffer, 0.09% sodium azide, may contain carrier protein/stabilizer
Temperature Limitation: Store at 2-8°C.
Batch Code: Refer to vial
Use By: Refer to vial
Contains sodium azide

Description

This 5H12 monoclonal antibody reacts with mouse Autoimmune Regulator (AIRE). This 58-kDa transcription factor is highly expressed within the perinuclear region of mature medullary thymic epithelial cells (mTECs). However, expression of AIRE protein in the periphery remains unclear despite the detection of AIRE mRNA in the lymph node, lymphoid stromal cells, monocytes, and dendritic cells. Studies demonstrate that AIRE is involved in thymocyte development, in particular the regulation of tissue-specific antigen expression during negative selection. Other biological functions for AIRE include chemokine expression and antigen presentation.

The 5H12 antibody recognizes mouse AIRE isoforms 1 and 2.

Applications Reported

This 5H12 antibody has been reported for use in flow cytometric analysis, immunoprecipitation, western blotting, and immunohistochemical staining of frozen tissue sections.

Applications Tested

This 5H12 antibody has been tested by immunohistochemistry on frozen 5-week-old mouse thymus and can be used at less than or equal to 5 ug/mL. It is recommended that the antibody be carefully titrated for optimal performance in the assay of interest.

References

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