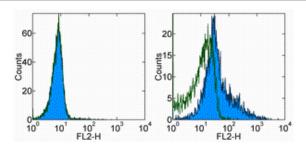


# **Anti-Mouse B7-H4 Functional Grade Purified**

Catalog Number: 16-5972

Also Known As: B7H4. B7S1. B7-S1. B7X

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Staining of non-transfected (left) and mouse B7-H4 transfected (right) L5178Y cells with 0.25  $\mu$ g Rat IgG2b Isotype Control Functional Grade Purified (cat. 16-4031) (open histogram) or 0.25  $\mu$ g Anti-Mouse B7-H4 Functional Grade Purified (filled histogram) followed by Anti-Rat IgG Biotin (cat. 13-4813)and Streptavidin PE (cat. 12-4317). Total viable cells were used for analysis.

#### **Product Information**

Contents: Anti-Mouse B7-H4 Functional Grade Purified

**REF Catalog Number:** 16-5972

**Clone:** 188

Concentration: 1 mg/ml Host/Isotype: Rat IgG2b,  $\kappa$ 

Handling Conditions: Use in sterile environment.

Endotoxin Level: Less than 0.001 ng/ug antibody, as

determined by the LAL assay.

Formulation: aqueous buffer, no sodium azide

Temperature Limitation: Store at 2-8°C.

Batch Code: Refer to Vial

☐ Use By: Refer to Vial

# Description

The 188 monoclonal antibody was generated against and reacts with mouse B7-H4 also known as B7S1, B7X. Cross reactivity of this antibody to other proteins has not been determined. B7-H4 is a newly discovered member of the B7 family reported to inhibit T cell activation, cell cycle progression and IL-2 production. The ligand for B7-H4 has not been identified yet. Simultaneous double staining of cells with two anti-mouse B7-H4 antibodies, Clone 9 and 188, suggests that epitopes recognized by these mAbs are different and/or there is no steric hindrance when antibodies are used together. 188 stains mouse B7-H4 transfected cells and not spleen cells. Exact expression pattern of B7-H4 has not been fully characterized.

# **Applications Reported**

This 188 antibody has been reported for use in flow cytometric analysis and has also been reported to block binding of B7-H4 ligand in vitro.

#### **Applications Tested**

The 188 antibody has been tested by flow cytometric analysis of transfected cells. This can be used at less than or equal to 0.5  $\mu$ g per test. A test is defined as the amount ( $\mu$ g) of antibody that will stain a cell sample in a final volume of 100  $\mu$ L. Cell number should be determined empirically but can range from 10<sup>5</sup> to 10<sup>8</sup> cells/test. It is recommended that the antibody be carefully titrated for optimal performance in the assay of interest.

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11-4317 Streptavidin FITC

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12-4317 Streptavidin PE
12-5970 Anti-Mouse B7-H4 PE (Clone 9)
13-4813 Anti-Rat IgG Biotin (Polyclonal)
13-5970 Anti-Mouse B7-H4 Biotin (Clone 9)
14-5970 Anti-Mouse B7-H4 Purified (Clone 9)
17-4317 Streptavidin APC

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