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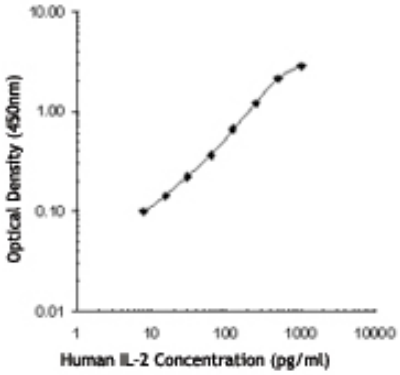
Product Data Sheet

LEAF™ Purified anti-human IL-2

Catalog # / Size: 500313 / 500 µg
Clone: MQ1-17H12
Isotype: Rat IgG2a, κ
Immunogen: *E. coli* - expressed recombinant human IL-2
Reactivity: Human, **Cross-Reactivity:** Chimpanzee, Baboon, Cynomolgus, Rhesus, Sooty Mangabey
Preparation: The LEAF™ (Low Endotoxin, Azide-Free) antibody was purified by affinity chromatography.
Formulation: 0.2 µm filtered in phosphate-buffered solution, pH 7.2, containing no preservative. Endotoxin level is <0.1 EU/µg of the protein (<0.01 ng/µg of the protein) as determined by the LAL test.
Concentration: 1.0 mg/ml
Storage: The antibody solution should be stored undiluted at 4°C. This LEAF™ solution contains no preservative; handle under aseptic conditions.



Applications:

Applications: ELISA Capture - *Quality tested*
ELISPOT Capture, ICFC, IHC, IP - *Reported in the literature*
CyTOF® - *Validated*

Recommended Usage: Each lot of this antibody is quality control tested by ELISA assay. For ELISA capture applications, a concentration range of 2-6 µg/ml is recommended. To obtain a linear standard curve, serial dilutions of IL-2 recombinant protein ranging from 2000 to 15 pg/ml are recommended for each ELISA plate. It is recommended that the reagent be titrated for optimal performance for each application.

Application Notes: **ELISA or ELISPOT Capture[2,3]:** The purified MQ1-17H12 antibody is useful as the capture antibody in a sandwich ELISA or ELISPOT assay, when used in conjunction with the biotinylated Poly5176 antibody (Cat. No. 517601) as the detecting antibody. The LEAF™ purified antibody is suggested for ELISPOT capture. For ELISPOT capture applications, a concentration range of 4-8 µg/ml is recommended.
Additional reported applications (for the relevant formats) include: immunoprecipitation[2], immunohistochemical staining of paraformaldehyde-fixed, saponin-treated frozen tissue sections[1,4-6,8], and immunocytochemistry.
Note: For testing human IL-2 in serum or plasma, BioLegend's ELISA Max™ Sets (Cat. No. 431801 to 431806) are specially developed and recommended.

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Description: IL-2 is a potent lymphoid cell growth factor which exerts its biological activity primarily on T cells, promoting proliferation and maturation. Additionally, IL-2 has been found to stimulate growth and differentiation of B cells, NK cells, LAK cells, monocytes, and oligodendrocytes.

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Related Products:

Product	Clone	Application
Recombinant Human IL-2	rh IL-2	BA, ELISA
LEAF™ Purified Rat IgG2a, κ Isotype Ctrl	RTK2758	FC, ICFC, WB, IP, ICC, IF, IHC, FA

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