

Technical Data Sheet

Purified NA/LE Rat Anti-Mouse CD278

Product Information

Material Number:	552437
Alternate Name:	ICOS; Ailim; CCLP; CRP-1; Ly115; Inducible T-cell costimulator
Size:	0.5 mg
Concentration:	1.0 mg/ml
Clone:	7E.17G9
Immunogen:	Mouse Icos cDNA and ICOS hexahistidine fusion protein
Isotype:	Rat IgG2b, κ
Reactivity:	QC Testing: Mouse
Storage Buffer:	No azide/low endotoxin: Aqueous buffered solution containing no preservative, 0.2 μ m sterile filtered. Endotoxin level is ≤ 0.01 EU/ μ g (≤ 0.001 ng/ μ g) of protein as determined by the LAL assay.

Description

The 7E.17G9 antibody reacts with CD278, the Inducible Costimulatory molecule (ICOS), a 47-57 kDa homodimeric glycoprotein of the CD28 family of costimulatory molecules. ICOS is expressed on subpopulations of CD4-CD8- and CD4+CD8- (but not CD4-CD8+ or CD4+CD8+) thymocytes, on some T-cell lines, and on small numbers of peripheral leukocytes. It is upregulated on T lymphocytes following activation via the T-cell receptor. The T-cell activation marker H4 is the same molecule as ICOS. ICOS is a costimulatory receptor, and its ligand on antigen-presenting cells has been called B7RP-1, GL50, B7h, B7-H2, or LICOS. There is considerable evidence that the interaction of ICOS with its ligand is involved in the regulation of many, but not all, T-cell-mediated immune responses.

Preparation and Storage

Store undiluted at 4°C.

The monoclonal antibody was purified from tissue culture supernatant or ascites by affinity chromatography.

This preparation contains no preservatives, thus it should be handled under aseptic conditions.

Application Notes

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Flow cytometry	Routinely Tested
Blocking	Reported

Recommended Assay Procedure:

The antigen is expressed at only moderate density on activated T lymphocytes. It may be desirable to amplify the staining by using a biotinylated second-step antibody with a bright third-step reagent, such as Streptavidin-PE (Cat. No. 554061). Furthermore, we have found that polyclonal goat anti-rat Ig is weakly reactive with this rat IgG2b mAb, so we recommend the use of biotinylated anti-rat IgG2b mAb RG7/11.1 (Cat. No. 553898) as the second step.

Suggested Companion Products

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone
554061	PE Streptavidin	0.5 mg	(none)
553898	Biotin Mouse Anti-Rat IgG2b	0.5 mg	RG7/11.1
553985	Purified NA/LE Rat IgG2b, κ Isotype Control	0.5 mg	A95-1

Product Notices

- Since applications vary, each investigator should titrate the reagent to obtain optimal results.
- Please refer to www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/protocols for technical protocols.

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