## **Technical Data Sheet**

# Purified NA/LE Hamster Anti-Mouse CD152

## **Product Information**

Material Number:	555278
Alternate Name:	CTLA-4
Size:	0.5 mg
Concentration:	1.0 mg/ml
Clone:	9H10
Immunogen:	Mouse CTLA-4-human IgG1 fusion protein
Isotype:	Syrian Hamster IgG2, κ
Reactivity:	QC Testing: Mouse
Storage Buffer:	No azide/low endotoxin: Aqueous buffered solution containing no preservative,
	0.2µm sterile filtered. Endotoxin level is $\leq$ 0.01 EU/µg ( $\leq$ 0.001 ng/µg) of
	protein as determined by the LAL assay.

## Description

The 9H10 antibody reacts with CD152 (CTLA-4), which is expressed on activated T lymphocytes 2-3 days after stimulation through T cell receptor. CTLA-4 has significant similarity to CD28 in amino acid sequence, structure, and genomic organization. Furthermore, CD152 and CD28 share common B7 family counter-receptors. Unlike CD28, CD152 expression at both mRNA and protein level appears to be restricted to activated T cells with a maximal surface expression between 48 and 72 hours post-activation. The regulation of CTLA-4 protein expression is complex and can involve changes in the rate of transit between intracellular stores and the cell surface. Whereas CD28 delivers a co-stimulatory signal required for T-cell activation, CTLA-4 is a negative regulator of cell-mediated immune responses. CD152 may play roles in induction and/or maintenance of immunological tolerance, regulation of protective immunity, and regulation of some aspects of thymocyte maturation. This hamster mAb to a mouse leukocyte antigen does not cross-react with rat leukocytes.

## **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**

#### Application

Flow cytometry	Routinely Tested	
Blocking	Reported	
(Co)-stimulation	Reported	

## Suggested Companion Products

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone
553141	Purified Rat Anti-Mouse CD16/CD32 (Mouse BD Fc Block™)	0.1 mg	2.4G2
559339	Purified NA/LE Hamster IgG2, κ Isotype Control	0.5 mg	B81-3

## **Product Notices**

1. Since applications vary, each investigator should titrate the reagent to obtain optimal results.

- Although hamster immunoglobulin isotypes have not been well defined, BD Biosciences Pharmingen has grouped Armenian and Syrian hamster IgG monoclonal antibodies according to their reactivity with a panel of mouse anti-hamster IgG mAbs. A table of the hamster IgG groups, Reactivity of Mouse Anti-Hamster Ig mAbs, may be viewed at http://www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/hamster\_chart\_11x17.pdf.
- 3. Please refer to www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/protocols for technical protocols.

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