# **Technical Data Sheet**

# PE-Cy<sup>™</sup>5 Mouse IgG2b κ Isotype Control

#### **Product Information**

 Material Number:
 555744

 Alternate Name:
 anti-dansyl

 Size:
 100 tests

 Vol. per Test:
 20 μl

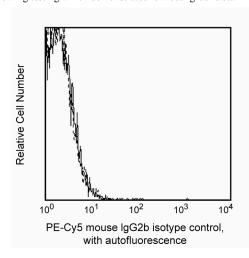
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**Isotype:** Mouse (C.SW) IgG2b, κ

Storage Buffer: Aqueous buffered solution containing BSA and ≤0.09% sodium azide.

### Description

The mouse IgG2b,  $\kappa$  immunoglobulin isotype control monoclonal antibody 27-35 is specific for the hapten dansyl (5-[dimethylamino] naphthalene-1-sulfonyl). This hapten is not expressed on human cells or human cell lines. The 27-35 immunoglobulin was selected as an isotype control following testing which demonstrated low background staining on a variety of mouse and human tissues.



Profile of peripheral blood lymphocytes analyzed on a FACScan (BDIS, San Jose, CA)

# **Preparation and Storage**

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

The antibody was conjugated with PE-Cy5 (formerly known as BD Cy-Chrome<sup>TM</sup>) under optimum conditions, and unconjugated antibody and free PE-Cy5 were removed.

Store undiluted at 4°C and protected from prolonged exposure to light. Do not freeze.

## **Application Notes**

### Application

Flow cytometry	Routinely Tested
Isotype control	Routinely Tested

## **Recommended Assay Procedure:**

An isotype control should be used at the same concentration as the antibody of interest.

## **Product Notices**

- 1. This reagent has been pre-diluted for use at the recommended Volume per Test. We typically use  $1 \times 10^6$  cells in a 100- $\mu$ l experimental sample (a test).
- 2. Since applications vary, each investigator should titrate the reagent to obtain optimal results.
- 3. Please refer to www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/protocols for technical protocols.
- Cy is a trademark of Amersham Biosciences Limited. This conjugated product is sold under license to the following patents: US Patent Nos. 5,486,616; 5,569,587; 5,569,766; 5,627,027.
- 5. PE-Cy5 is optimized for use with a single argon ion laser emitting 488-nm light. Because of the broad absorption spectrum of the PE-Cy5 tandem fluorochrome, extra care must be taken when using dual-laser cytometers which may directly excite both PE and Cy5<sup>TM</sup>.

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- 6. For fluorochrome spectra and suitable instrument settings, please refer to our Fluorochrome Web Page at www.bdbiosciences.com/colors.
- 7. PE-Cy5 is a tandem fluorochrome composed of R-phycoerythrin (PE), which is excited by the 488 nm light of an Argon ion laser and serves as an energy donor, coupled to the cyanine dye Cy5, which acts as an energy acceptor and fluoresces at 670 nm. BD Biosciences Pharmingen has maximized the fluorochrome energy transfer in PE-Cy5, thus maximizing its fluorescence emission intensity, minimizing residual emission from PE, and minimizing lot-to-lot variation.
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- Caution: Sodium azide yields highly toxic hydrazoic acid under acidic conditions. Dilute azide compounds in running water before discarding to avoid accumulation of potentially explosive deposits in plumbing.
- 10. Source of all serum proteins is from USDA inspected abattoirs located in the United States.

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