## Technical Data Sheet

# V500 Mouse Anti-Human CD4

#### **Product Information**

**Material Number:** 560768 100 tests Size: 5 µl Vol. per Test: RPA-T4 Clone: Mouse IgG1, κ Isotype: QC Testing: Human Reactivity:

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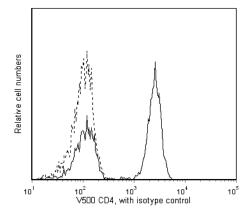
Storage Buffer: Aqueous buffered solution containing protein stabilizer, glycerol and ≤0.09%

#### Description

The RPA-T4 clone reacts with CD4, a 59 kDa single-chain transmembrane glycoprotein [receptor for human immunodeficiency virus (HIV)] present on T-helper/inducer cell populations. This antibody binds to the D1 domain (CDR1 and CDR3 epitopes) of the CD4 antigen and reacts with approximately 80% of thymocytes and 45% of peripheral blood lymphocytes. CD4 is also present in low density on peripheral blood monocytes. RPA-T4 is capable of blocking HIV-1, gp120, and inhibits syncytium formation.

The antibody is conjugated to BD Horizon™ V500, which has been developed for use in multicolor flow cytometry experiments and is available exclusively from BD Biosciences. It is excited by the Violet laser with an Ex max of 415 nm and Em Max at 500 nm. BD Horizon V500 conjugates emit at a similar wavelength to Amcyan yet exhibit reduced spillover into the FITC channel. For more information on BD Horizon V500, visit bdbiosciences.com/colors.

When compensating dyes in this spectral range (such as Horizon<sup>TM</sup> V500 and AmCyan), the most accurate compensation can be obtained using single stained cellular controls. Due to spectral differences between cells and beads in this channel, using BD CompBeads can result in spillover errors for V500 and AmCyan reagents. Therefore, the use of BD CompBeads or BD CompBeads Plus to determine spillover values for these reagents is not recommended. Different V500 reagents (e.g. CD4 vs. CD45) can have slightly different fluorescence spillover therefore, it may also be necessary to use clone specific compensation controls when using these reagents.



Analysis of CD4 on human lymphocytes. Whole blood was stained with BD Horizon™ V500 Mouse Anti-Human CD4 and compared to whole blood stained with BD Horizon<sup>TM</sup> V500 Mouse IgG1,  $\kappa$  Isotype Control (clone X40, Cat. No. 560787). The isotype control is represented by a dashed line and the V500 Mouse Anti-Human CD4 by the solid line. Lymphocytes were selected by light scatter profile. Flow cytometry was performed on a BD FACSCanto ™ II flow cytometry system.

#### **Preparation and Storage**

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

The antibody was conjugated with BD Horizon™ V500 under optimum conditions, and unreacted BD Horizon™ V500 was removed. Store undiluted at 4°C and protected from prolonged exposure to light. Do not freeze.

### **Application Notes**

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Flow cytometry Routinely Tested

# **Suggested Companion Products**

Catalog Number Clone V500 Mouse IgG1, κ Isotype Control 560787 0.1 mg X40

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#### **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).
- BD Horizon<sup>TM</sup> V500 has a maximum absorption of 415 nm and maximum emission of 500 nm. Before staining with this reagent, please
  confirm that your flow cytometer is capable of exciting the fluorochrome and discriminating the resulting fluorescence.
- 3. Please refer to www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/protocols for technical protocols.
- 4. For fluorochrome spectra and suitable instrument settings, please refer to our Fluorochrome Web Page at www.bdbiosciences.com/colors.
- 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.

#### References

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