# **Technical Data Sheet**

# V450 Rat Anti-Human IL-13

#### **Product Information**

561158 **Material Number:** 

Interleukin-13; NC30; ALRH; BHR1; P600 Alternate Name:

Size: 5 μl Vol. per Test: JES10-5A2 Clone:

Human Recombinant IL-13 Immunogen:

Rat IgG1 Isotype:

QC Testing: Human Reactivity:

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

azide.

### Description

The JES10-5A2 monoclonal antibody specifically binds to human interleukin-13, IL-13. IL-13 is produced by activated T cells, mast cells and NK cells. IL-13 regulates IgE production by B cells and can suppress the cytotoxic activity of macrophages and their production of inflammatory mediators. The immunogen used to produce the JES10-5A2 hybridoma was COS-expressed recombinant human IL-13. This is a neutralizing antibody.

The antibody is conjugated to BD Horizon<sup>TM</sup> V450, 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 Ex max of 406 nm and has an Em Max at 450 nm. Conjugates with BD Horizon<sup>TM</sup> V450 can be used in place of Pacific Blue<sup>TM</sup> conjugates.

#### Preparation and Storage

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

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

The antibody was conjugated with BD Horizon<sup>TM</sup> V450 under optimum conditions, and unreacted BD Horizon<sup>TM</sup> V450 was removed.

## **Application Notes**

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Intracellular staining (flow cytometry)	Routinely Tested		

## **Suggested Companion Products**

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone	
554724	Protein Transport Inhibitor (Containing Monensin)	0.7 ml	(none)	
557695	Alexa Fluor®488 Mouse Anti-Human CD4	100 tests	RPA-T4	
560535	V450 Rat IgG1, κ Isotype Control	0.1 mg	R3-34	
554656	Stain Buffer (FBS)	500 ml	(none)	
554714	BD Cytofix/Cytoperm <sup>TM</sup> Fixation/Permeablization Kit	250 tests	(none)	

### **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
- 2. An isotype control should be used at the same concentration as the antibody of interest.
- BD Horizon<sup>TM</sup> V450 has a maximum absorption of 406 nm and maximum emission of 450 nm. Before staining with this reagent, please confirm that your flow cytometer is capable of exciting the fluorochrome and discriminating the resulting fluorescence.
- 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.
- Pacific Blue™ is a trademark of Molecular Probes, Inc., Eugene, OR.

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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. Please refer to www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/protocols for technical protocols.

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