Technical Data Sheet

Alexa Fluor® 647 Mouse anti-JNK (pT183/pY185)

Product Information

Material Number: 562481

Alternate Name: MAPK8, MAPK9; SAPK1, SAPK; PRKM8, PRKM9

Size: 50 test Vol. per Test: 5 μ l Clone: N9-66

Immunogen: Phosphorylated Human JNK Peptide

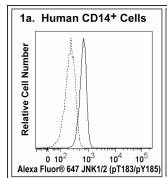
Isotype: Mouse IgG1, κ

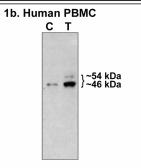
Reactivity: QC Testing: Human; Tested in Development: Mouse

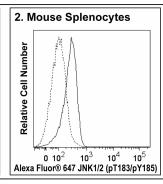
Storage Buffer: Aqueous buffered solution containing BSA and ≤0.09% sodium azide.

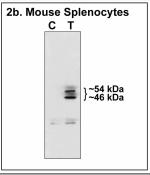
Description

The N9-66 monoclonal antibody specifically binds to JNK1 and JNK2 phosphorylated at the pT183/pY185 sites. c-Jun NH2-terminal Kinases (JNKs), also called Stress Activated Protein Kinases (SAPKs), are mitogen-activated protein kinases (MAPKs) with observed molecular weights of ~46 kDa (JNK1) and ~54 kDa (JNK2). Along with the p38 and ERK families, JNK represents one of three major classes of MAPKs. Complete activation of JNK requires the phosphorylation of both Thr183 and Tyr185 that are located in a Thr-X-Tyr motif. Phosphorylation of these residues is carried out by MKK4 and MKK7 that are phosphorylated and activated by MEKKs and MLKs in response to stress signals delivered through small GTPases of the Rho family. Once activated, JNK can translocate into the nucleus and regulate the expression of genes through phosphorylation of c-Jun, ATF-2, and other transcription factors. JNK plays a role in signal transduction in response to cytokines and various forms of environmental stress, such as endotoxins, UV irradiation, heat, and hyperosmolarity. JNK is critical to the regulation of cell growth, apoptosis, and the cellular response to stress, making it an important factor in tumorigenesis and adaptive immunity. During antibody development, the N9-66 monoclonal antibody was found to detect phosphorylated JNK1/2 by Western blot analysis of cellular lysates and by immunofluorescent staining and flow cytometric analysis of fixed and permeabilized cells. This antibody crossreacts with phosphorylated JNK1/2 expressed by mouse cells, as tested by Western blot analysis and flow cytometry.









Analyses of JNK1/2 (pT183/pY185) expression by Human and Mouse Cells.

Human Cells

Panel 1a: Flow cytometric analysis of JNK1/2 (pT183/pY185) expressed by human peripheral blood CD14+ cells. Whole blood cells were prestained with BD Horizon™ V450 Mouse Anti-Human CD14 (Cat. No. 560350/560349) and were then either not stimulated (dashed line histogram) or stimulated (solid line histogram) with PMA (Sigma, Cat. No. P8139; 400 nM), lonomycin (Sigma, Cat. No. 10634, 250 ng/ml) and 10 µg/ml of LPS (Sigma, Cat. No. L3137) at 37°C for 15 minutes (ie, PMA/lono/LPS treated). Cells were fixed in 1× BD Phosflow™ Lyse/Fix Buffer (Cat. No. 558049; 10 min, 37°C) and permeabilized in BD Phosflow™ Perm Buffer III (Cat. No. 558050) or ice (30 min). Cells were then stained with BD Phosflow™ AlexaFluor® 647 Mouse anti-JNK (pT183/pY185) (Cat. No. 562480). Histograms showing JNK1/2 (pT183/pY185) expression were generated for CD14-positive gated events with the forward and side-light scatter characteristics of intact cells using a BD FACSCanto™ II Flow Cytometer System.

Panel 1b: Western blot analysis of JNK1/2 (pT183/pY185) expressed by peripheral blood mononuclear cells (PBMC). Lysates from 1X10^6 untreated (C) and PMA/lono/LPS-treated (T) PBMC were blotted using Purified Mouse Anti-JNK1/2 (pT183/pY185) antibody (2.0 µg/ml), HRP Goat Anti-Mouse Ig (Cat. No. 554002) and a chemiluminescent detection system. JNK1/2 (pT183/pY185) were identified as ~46 kDa and ~ 54 kDa bands, respectively.

Mouse Cells

Panel 2a: Flow cytometric analysis of JNK1/2 (pT183/pY185) expressed by mouse splenocytes. Splenocytes were either not stimulated (dashed line histogram) or were PMA/lono/LPS treated (solid line histogram). Cells were fixed, permeabilized, stained and analyzed as described above.

Panel 2b: Western blot analysis of JNK1/2 (pT183/pY185) expressed by mouse splenocytes. Lysates from 1X10^6 untreated (C) and PMA/lono/LPS-treated (T) splenocytes were blotted as described.

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Preparation and Storage

The antibody was conjugated to Alexa Fluor® 647 under optimum conditions, and unreacted Alexa Fluor® 647 was removed.

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

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

Application Notes

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Intracellular staining (flow cytometry)

Routinely Tested

The purified or conjugated mAb was characterized by flow cytometry (Flow) and western blot (WB) using these model systems:

Method	Species	Cells	Treatment	Fixation	Perm buffer	Result	
Flow	Human	Whole blood	PMA/lonomycin/LPS + antibody blocking	Lyse/Fix	Perm III	Induced in monocytes and lymphocytes. Blocked by three anti-JNK (pT183/pY185) antibodies but not lg isotype control.	
	Human	Whole blood	PMA/Ionomycin	Lyse/Fix	Perm III	Induced in lymphocytes	
	Human	Whole blood	LPS	Lyse/Fix	Perm III	Induced in monocytes	
	Human	Whole blood	Anisomycin	Lyse/Fix	Perm III	Induced in monocytes	
	Human	Jurkat	Anisomycin	Cytofix	Perm III	Induced	
	Mouse	Spleen cells	PMA/Ionomycin/LPS	Lyse/Fix	Perm III	Induced	
WB	Human	PBMC	PMA/Ionomycin/LPS			46-kDa and 54-kDa bands induced	
	Human	PBMC	PMA			46-kDa and 54-kDa bands induced	
	Human	Jurkat	Anisomycin + peptide blocking			46-kDa and 54-kDa bands induced.	
						Blocked by pT183/pY185 phospho peptide	
						but not by non-phospho peptide.	
	Human	Thp1	Anisomycin			46-kDa and 54-kDa bands induced	
	Mouse	Spleen cells	PMA/Ionomycin/LPS			46-kDa and 54-kDa bands induced	

Suggested Companion Products

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone
558049	Lyse/Fix Buffer 5X	250 ml	(none)
558050	Perm Buffer III	125 ml	(none)
554656	Stain Buffer (FBS)	500 ml	(none)
560350	V450 Mouse Anti-Human CD14	30 tests	ΜφΡ9
560349	V450 Mouse Anti-Human CD14	120 tests	ΜφΡ9

Product Notices

- This reagent has been pre-diluted for use at the recommended Volume per Test. We typically use 1 × 10⁶ cells in a 100-μl experimental sample (a test).
- 2. An isotype control should be used at the same concentration as the antibody of interest.
- 3. Alexa Fluor® 647 fluorochrome emission is collected at the same instrument settings as for allophycocyanin (APC).
- 4. For fluorochrome spectra and suitable instrument settings, please refer to our Multicolor Flow Cytometry web page at www.bdbiosciences.com/colors.
- 5. The Alexa Fluor®, Pacific BlueTM, and Cascade Blue® dye antibody conjugates in this product are sold under license from Molecular Probes, Inc. for research use only, excluding use in combination with microarrays, or as analyte specific reagents. The Alexa Fluor® dyes (except for Alexa Fluor® 430), Pacific BlueTM dye, and Cascade Blue® dye are covered by pending and issued patents.
- 6. 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.
- 7. Please refer to www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/protocols for technical protocols.
- 8. Alexa Fluor® is a registered trademark of Molecular Probes, Inc., Eugene, OR.
- 9. Source of all serum proteins is from USDA inspected abattoirs located in the United States.

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