

## Technical Data Sheet

## BV510 Rat Anti-Mouse CD25

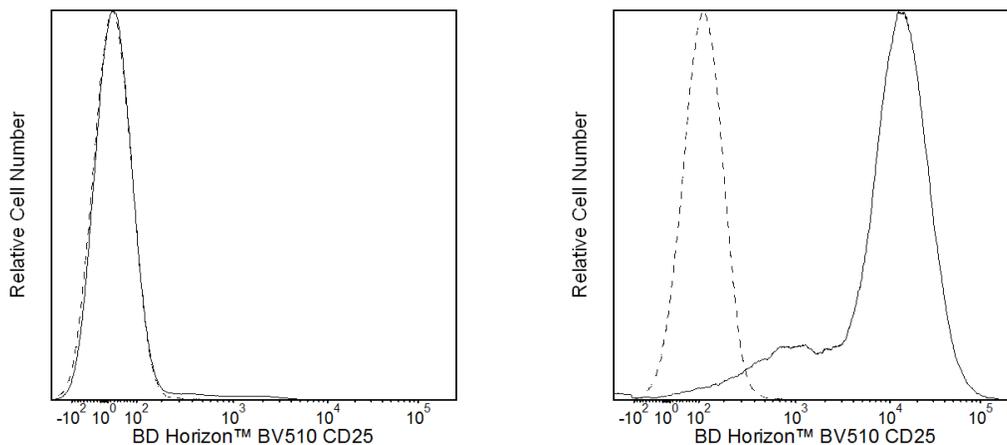
## Product Information

<b>Material Number:</b>	563037
<b>Alternate Name:</b>	Interleukin-2 receptor alpha chain; IL-2RA; IL-2R $\alpha$ ; Il2ra; IL-2R p55
<b>Size:</b>	50 $\mu$ g
<b>Concentration:</b>	0.2 mg/ml
<b>Clone:</b>	PC61
<b>Immunogen:</b>	IL-2-dependent cytolytic mouse T-cell clone B6.1
<b>Isotype:</b>	Rat (OFA) IgG1, $\lambda$
<b>Reactivity:</b>	QC Testing: Mouse
<b>Storage Buffer:</b>	Aqueous buffered solution containing BSA and $\leq$ 0.09% sodium azide.

## Description

The PC61 antibody reacts with CD25, the low-affinity IL-2 Receptor  $\alpha$  chain (IL-2R $\alpha$ , p55) expressed on activated T and B lymphocytes from all mouse strains tested. IL-2R $\alpha$  by itself is not a signaling receptor. However, it can combine with IL-2 Receptor  $\beta$  (CD122) and  $\gamma$ c (CD132) chains to form high-affinity, signaling receptor complexes for IL-2. Resting T and B lymphocytes and resting and activated NK cells do not express IL-2R $\alpha$ . CD25 is transiently expressed at a low level during normal B-cell development in the bone marrow on the CD45R/B220low TdT- sIg- Pre-B/Pre-B-II and CD45R/B220low TdT- sIgM+ sIgD- immature B stages, but not on the CD45R/B220low TdT+ sIg- Pro-B/Pre-B-I stage nor on CD45R/B220high TdT- sIgM+ sIgD+ mature B cells. It is expressed at a higher level during a very early stage of T-cell development in fetal and adult thymus. Peripheral CD25+CD4+ lymphocytes called regulatory T (Treg) cells are involved in the maintenance of self-tolerance. It has also been reported that dendritic cells express CD25, recognized by mAb 7D4 (Cat. No. 553068). The PC61 antibody recognizes an epitope of CD25 which is distinct from the IL-2 binding site and from those recognized by mAbs 3C7 (Cat. No. 557364) and 7D4 (Cat. No. 553068). It blocks binding of IL-2 to CD25, presumably by inducing a conformational change in CD25.

The antibody was conjugated to BD Horizon™ BV510 which is part of the BD Horizon™ Brilliant Violet™ family of dyes. With an Ex Max of 405-nm and Em Max at 510-nm, BD Horizon™ BV510 can be excited by the violet laser and detected in the BD Horizon™ V500 (525/50-nm) filter set. BD Horizon™ BV510 conjugates are useful for the detection of dim markers off the violet laser.



**Flow cytometric analysis of CD25 expression on mouse splenocytes.** Fresh mouse splenic leucocytes (Left Panel) or Concanavalin A-activated mouse splenocytes (Right Panel) were pre-incubated with Purified Rat Anti-Mouse CD16/CD32 antibody (Mouse BD Fc Block™) (Cat. No. 553141/553142). The cells were then stained with either BD Horizon™ BV510 Rat Anti-Mouse CD25 antibody (Cat. No. 563037; solid line histogram) or BD Horizon™ BV510 Rat IgG1,  $\lambda$  Isotype Control (Cat. No. 563270; dashed line histogram). The fluorescence histograms were derived from gated events with the forward and side light-scatter characteristics of viable cells. Flow cytometric analysis was performed using a BD™ LSR II Flow Cytometer System.

## 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™ BV510 under optimum conditions, and unconjugated antibody and free BD Horizon™ BV510 were removed.

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## Application Notes

### Application

Flow cytometry

Routinely Tested

### Suggested Companion Products

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone
554656	Stain Buffer (FBS)	500 ml	(none)
563270	BV510 Rat IgG1, $\lambda$ Isotype Control	50 $\mu$ g	A110-1
553141	Purified Rat Anti-Mouse CD16/CD32 (Mouse BD Fc Block™)	0.1 mg	2.4G2
553142	Purified Rat Anti-Mouse CD16/CD32 (Mouse BD Fc Block™)	0.5 mg	2.4G2
555899	Lysing Buffer	100 ml	(none)

### Product Notices

1. Since applications vary, each investigator should titrate the reagent to obtain optimal results.
2. Source of all serum proteins is from USDA inspected abattoirs located in the United States.
3. An isotype control should be used at the same concentration as the antibody of interest.
4. Please refer to [www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/protocols](http://www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/protocols) for technical protocols.
5. 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.
6. For fluorochrome spectra and suitable instrument settings, please refer to our Multicolor Flow Cytometry web page at [www.bdbiosciences.com/colors](http://www.bdbiosciences.com/colors).
7. Brilliant Violet™ 510 is a trademark of Sirigen.

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