

Technical Data Sheet

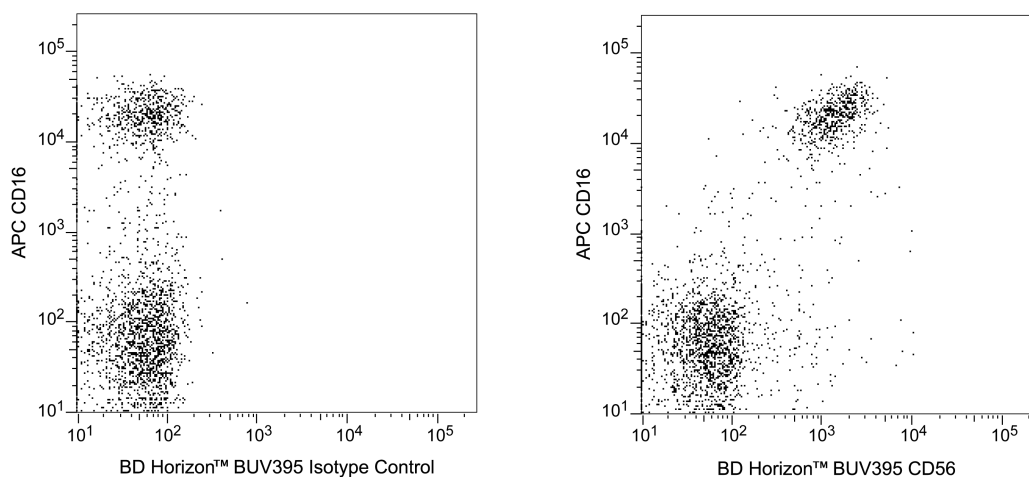
BUV395 Mouse Anti-Human CD56**Product Information**

Material Number:	563555
Alternate Name:	NCAM1; NCAM-1; NCAM; Leu-19; Neural cell adhesion molecule 1; NKH1; MSK39
Size:	25 tests
Vol. per Test:	5 µl
Clone:	NCAM16.2
Immunogen:	Immunoaffinity-enriched adult human brain NCAM
Isotype:	Mouse (BALB/c) IgG2b, κ
Reactivity:	QC Testing: Human
Workshop:	V NK60
Storage Buffer:	Aqueous buffered solution containing BSA and ≤0.09% sodium azide.

Description

The NCAM16.2 monoclonal antibody specifically binds to human CD56. It recognizes an extracellular immunoglobulin-like domain common to 120, 140, and 180 kDa forms of CD56, also known as the neural cell adhesion molecule (NCAM), NKH1 or MSK39. The CD56 antigen is expressed on approximately 10% to 25% of peripheral blood lymphocytes. It is present on essentially all resting and activated CD16+ natural killer (NK) lymphocytes and approximately 5% of CD3+ peripheral blood lymphocytes. CD3+ CD56+ T lymphocytes comprise a unique subset of cytotoxic T lymphocytes that mediates non-major histocompatibility complex (MHC)-restricted cytotoxicity. CD56 antigen density on NK lymphocytes increases upon cellular activation. The CD56 antigen is involved in neuronal homotypic cell adhesion and cell differentiation during embryogenesis. CD16+ CD56+ NK cells demonstrate reciprocal transfer of an activation state with dendritic cells.

The antibody was conjugated to BD Horizon™ BUV395 which has been exclusively developed by BD Biosciences as an optimal dye for use on a 355 nm laser equipped instrument. With an Ex Max at 348 nm and an Em Max at 395 nm, this dye has virtually no spillover into any other detector. BD Horizon™ BUV395 can be excited with a 355 nm laser and detected with a 379/28 filter.



Two-color flow cytometric analysis of CD56 expression on human peripheral blood lymphocytes. Human whole blood was stained with APC Mouse Anti-Human CD16 antibody (Cat. No. 561248) and either BD Horizon™ BUV395 Mouse IgG2b, κ Isotype Control (Cat. No. 563558; Left Panel) or BD Horizon™ BUV395 Mouse Anti-Human CD56 antibody (Cat. No. 563554/563555; Right Panel). The erythrocytes were lysed with BD FACS™ Lysing Solution (Cat. No. 349202). Two-color flow cytometric dot plots show the correlated expression patterns of CD56 (or Ig Isotype control staining) versus CD16 for gated events with the forward and side light-scatter characteristics of intact lymphocytes. 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™ BUV395 under optimum conditions, and unconjugated antibody and free BD Horizon™ BUV395 were removed.

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Suggested Companion Products

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone
554656	Stain Buffer (FBS)	500 ml	(none)
563558	BUV395 Mouse IgG2b, κ Isotype Control	50 μ g	27-35
563554	BUV395 Mouse Anti-Human CD56	100 tests	NCAM16.2
561248	APC Mouse Anti-Human CD16	50 tests	3G8
349202	BD FACST [™] Lysing Solution	100 ml	(none)

Product Notices

1. An isotype control should be used at the same concentration as the antibody of interest.
2. Source of all serum proteins is from USDA inspected abattoirs located in the United States.
3. 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.
4. For fluorochrome spectra and suitable instrument settings, please refer to our Multicolor Flow Cytometry web page at www.bdbiosciences.com/colors.
5. Please refer to www.bdbiosciences.com/pharming/en/protocols for technical protocols.
6. This reagent has been pre-diluted for use at the recommended Volume per Test. We typically use 1×10^6 cells in a 100- μ l experimental sample (a test).

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