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Monoclonal Antibody to CD26 Allophycocyanin (APC) conjugated (100 tests)

Clone: BA5b

Isotype: Mouse IgG2a

Specificity: The mouse monoclonal antibody BA5b recognizes CD26, a 110 kDa type II

membrane glycoprotein, which is a peptidase expressed on mature thymocytes, T

cells (especially activated), B cells, NK cells and macrophages.

HLDA VI; WS Code N-L078

Regulatory Status: RUO

Immunogen: A human T cell clone

Species Reactivity: Human

Preparation: The purified antibody is conjugated with cross-linked Allophycocyanin (APC) under

optimum conditions. The conjugate is purified by size-exclusion chromatography

and adjusted for direct use. No reconstitution is necessary.

Storage Buffer: The reagent is provided in stabilizing phosphate buffered saline (PBS) solution

containing 15mM sodium azide.

Storage / Stability: Store in the dark at 2-8°C. Do not freeze. Avoid prolonged exposure to light. Do not

use after expiration date stamped on vial label.

Usage: The reagent is designed for Flow Cytometry analysis of human blood cells using

10 µl reagent / 100 µl of whole blood or 10° cells in a suspension.

The content of a vial (1 ml) is sufficient for 100 tests.

Expiration: See vial label

Lot Number: See vial label

Background: CD26, also known as dipeptidyl peptidase IV (DPP-IV), is a homodimeric cell

surface serine peptidase that degradates IFN-gamma-induced cytokines, acts as a T cell costimulatory molecule, and participates in multiple immunopathological roles in leukocyte homing and inflammation. Alterations in its peptidase activity are characteristic of malignant transformation. The enzymatic activity increases dramatically with tumour grade and severity. CD26 is expressed in various blood cell types, but also e.g. in cells that are histogenetically related to activated fibroblasts. Alterations in CD26 density have been reported on circulating monocytes and CD4+ T cells during rheumatoid arthritis and systemic lupus

erythematosus.



PRODUCT DATA SHEET

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