

Monoclonal Antibody to CD45 / LCA (CD45RA) - FITC

Alternate names:	L-CA, Leukocyte common antigen, PTPRC, Receptor-type tyrosine-protein phosphatase C, T200
Catalog No.:	SM279F
Quantity:	0.1 mg
Concentration:	0.1 mg/ml
Background:	CD45 is a family of single chain transmembrane glycoproteins consisting of at least four isoforms (220, 205, 190, 180 kDa) which share a common large intracellular domain. Their extracellular domains are heavily glycosylated. The different isoforms are produced by alternative messenger RNA splicing of three exons of a single gene on chromosome 1. CD45 is expressed on cells of the human hematopoietic lineage (including hematopoietic stem cells) with the exception of mature red cells. It is not detected on differentiated cells of other tissues. It is likely that CD45 plays an important role in signal transduction, inhibition or upregulation of various immunological functions. Antibodies recognising a common epitope on all of the isoforms are termed CD45 whilst those recognising only individual isoforms are termed CD45RA or CD45RO etc.
Uniprot ID:	P04157
NCBI:	NP_001103357.1
GeneID:	24699
Host / Isotype:	Mouse / IgG1
Clone:	OX-33
Immunogen:	Purified Rat spleen L-CA. Spleen cells from immunised BALB/c mice were fused with cells of the NSO/U mouse myeloma cell line.
Format:	State: Liquid purified IgG fraction. Purification: Affinity Chromatography on Protein G. Buffer System: PBS, pH 7.2 containing 0.09% Sodium Azide as preservative and 1% BSA as stabilizer. Label: FITC – Fluorescein Isothiocyanate Isomer 1
Applications:	Flow Cytometry: Use 10 µl of Neat-1/10 diluted antibody to label 10e6 cells in 100µl. this antibody does not always give a clear separation between positives and negatives in some cell preparations; if users find this to be the case we recommend the use of <i>R. Phycoerythrin</i> conjugated reagent SM279R which generally exhibits a peak of higher mean fluorescence. Other applications not tested. Optimal dilutions are dependent on conditions and should be determined by the user.

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- Specificity:** This antibody is directed against a high molecular weight band of the leucocyte common antigen.
MRC OX-33 only labels B-cells among thoracic duct lymphocytes with little labelling in bone marrow and none on thymocytes.
Species: Rat.
Other species not tested.
- Storage:** Store the antibody undiluted at 2-8°C for one month or (in aliquots) at -20°C for longer. This product is photosensitive and should be protected from light.
Avoid repeated freezing and thawing.
Shelf life: one year from despatch.
- General References:** 1. Woollett, G. R. et al. (1985) Molecular and antigenic heterogeneity of the rat leukocyte-common antigen from thymocytes and T and B lymphocytes. *Eur. J. Immunol.* 15:168-173.
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