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## Monoclonal Antibody to CD15 Purified Antibody (0.025 mg)

Clone: MMA

**Isotype:** Mouse IgM

Specificity: The mouse monoclonal antibody MMA reacts with CD15, a cell membrane

molecule 3-fucosyl-N-acetyllactosamine (3-FAL) strongly expressed on granulocytes, monocytes, macrophages, mast cells; it is also present on Langerhans cells and some myeloid precursors cells. This antibody is a superior

reagent for identifying of Hodgkin's lymphoma.

Regulatory Status: RUO

Immunogen: U937 histiocytic lymphoma cells

Species Reactivity: Human

**Application:** Flow Cytometry

Immunohistochemistry (paraffin sections) Immunohistochemistry (frozen sections)

Immunocytochemistry

**Purity:** > 95% (by SDS-PAGE)

**Purification:** Purified by precipitation and chromatography

Concentration: 1 mg/ml

Storage Buffer: Tris buffered saline (TBS) with 15 mM sodium azide, approx. pH 8.0

Storage / Stability: Store at 2-8°C. Do not freeze. Do not use after expiration date stamped on vial

label.

Expiration: See vial label

Lot Number: See vial label

Background: CD15 (Lewis X, Le(x); stage specific embryonic antigen-1, SSEA-1) is a

trisacharide determinant (3-fucosyl-N-acetyllactosamine) expressed on several glycolipids, glycoproteins and proteoglycans of various cell types, e.g. granulocytes, mast cells, monocytes, macrophages, cells of gastric mucosa, nervous system or various tumour cells. There are several variants of Lewis x, such as sialyl-Lewis x or sulphated Lewis x. Cells with high surface expression of Le(x) antigen exhibit strong self-aggregation, based on calcium-dependent Le(x)-Le(x) interaction. This process is involved for example in embryo compaction or in autoaggregation of teratocarcinoma cells. Sialyl-Le(x) and its isomer sialyl-Le(a) are ligands of selectins. CD15 expression has been extensively used to

confirm diagnosis of Hodgkin's disease.



## PRODUCT DATA SHEET

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