

1F-237-C100

Monoclonal Antibody to beta2-Microglobulin Fluorescein (FITC) conjugated (0.1 mg)

Clone: B2M-01

Isotype: Mouse IgG2a

Specificity: The antibody B2M-01 reacts with beta2-microglobulin (beta2M) associated with

cell-surface MHC Class I molecules and other membrane antigens as well as with soluble beta2-microglobulin. Beta2M is a 12 kDa Ig like glycoprotein expressed on lymphocytes, thymocytes, monocytes, granulocytes, platelets, endothelial cells and

epithelial cells. It is absent on erythrocytes.

Regulatory Status: RUO

Immunogen: Purified human beta2-microglobulin

Species Reactivity: Human

Negative Species: Mouse, Bovine, Canine (Dog), Rabbit, Chicken

Preparation: The purified antibody is conjugated with Fluorescein isothiocyanate (FITC) under

optimum conditions. The reagent is free of unconjugated FITC.

Concentration: 1 mg/ml

Storage Buffer: Phosphate buffered saline (PBS) with 15 mM sodium azide, approx. pH 7.4

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.

Suggested working dilution is 1:200. Indicated dilution is recommended starting point for use of this product. Working concentrations should be determined by the

investigator.

Expiration: See vial label

Lot Number: See vial label

Background: Beta2-microglobulin non-covalently associates with the 44 kDa alpha chain to

forms the HLA Class I antigen complex. Human beta2-microglobulin associated with HLA Class I antigens is expressed on many types of cells including lymphocytes, thymocytes, monocytes, granulocytes, platelets, endothelial cells,

and epithelial cells. It is absent on erythrocytes.

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