

A7-320-C100

Monoclonal Antibody to IgM Alexa Fluor® 700 conjugated (0.1 mg)

Clone: CH2

Isotype: Mouse IgG1

Specificity: The antibody CH2 reacts with Fc fragment of human IgM.

Regulatory Status: RUO

Immunogen: Purified human IgM.

Species Reactivity: Human

Preparation: The purified antibody is conjugated with Alexa Fluor® 700 under optimum

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

Concentration: 0.1 mg/ml

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.

Suggested working concentration is $1.5 \mu g/ml$. 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: Immunoglobulin M (IgM) is produced as a 900 kDa pentamer, which is an efficient

complement binder. This antibody type is produced initially in the immune response and it is the first immunoglobulin class to be synthesized by a fetus or newborn. IgM antibodies do not cross the placenta. IgM concentration in blood is

0.12 g/l and its biological survival (plasma T1/2) is 5 days.

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