

ORDERING INFORMATION

Catalog Number: AF2410

Lot Number: UQD01

Size: 100 µg

Formulation: 0.2 µm filtered solution in PBS with 5% trehalose

Storage: -20° C

Reconstitution: sterile PBS

Specificity: canine CD4 extracellular domain

Immunogen: NS0-derived rcaCD4 extracellular domain

Ig Type: goat IgG

Applications: Western blot
Immunocytochemistry
Flow cytometry
Direct ELISA

Preparation

Produced in goats immunized with purified, NS0-derived, recombinant canine CD4 (rcaCD4) extracellular domain. Canine CD4 specific IgG was purified by canine CD4 affinity chromatography. CD4 is a type I membrane protein belonging to the immunoglobulin superfamily. It functions as an accessory protein for T cell receptor/MHC class II antigen interaction.

Formulation

Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution in phosphate-buffered saline (PBS) with 5% trehalose.

Reconstitution

Reconstitute with sterile PBS. If 0.5 mL of PBS is used, the antibody concentration will be 0.2 mg/mL.

Storage

Lyophilized samples are stable for twelve months from date of receipt when stored at -20° C to -70° C. Upon reconstitution, the antibody can be stored at 2° - 8° C for 1 month without detectable loss of activity. Reconstituted antibody can also be aliquotted and stored frozen at -20° C to -70° C **in a manual defrost freezer** for six months without detectable loss of activity. **Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.**

Specificity

This antibody has been selected for its ability to recognize canine CD4 in the applications listed below.

Applications

Western blot - This antibody can be used at 0.1 - 0.2 µg/mL with the appropriate secondary reagents to detect canine CD4. The detection limit for rcaCD4 is approximately 5 ng/lane under non-reducing and reducing conditions.

Immunocytochemistry - This antibody will detect CD4 in cells. The working dilution is 5 - 15 µg/mL. For chromogenic detection of labeling, use R&D Systems' Cell and Tissue Staining Kits (CTS Series).

Direct ELISA - This antibody can be used at 0.5 - 1.0 µg/mL with the appropriate secondary reagents to detect canine CD4. The detection limit for rcaCD4 is approximately 0.5 ng/well. In this format, this antibody shows approximately 25% cross-reactivity with rfeCD4 and 5% cross-reactivity with rhCD4.

Flow cytometry - This antibody can be used at 3 - 10 µg/mL/10⁶ cells with an appropriate secondary antibody for indirect immunofluorescence staining of cells by flow cytometry.

Optimal dilutions should be determined by each laboratory for each application.