

# **Flow Cytometry Secondary Reagents**

Donkey Anti-Goat IgG (H+L)-Allophycocyanin Catalog Number: F0108 Lot Number: LXE05 100 Tests

### Intended Use

This reagent is designed for use as a secondary developing reagent in immunofluorescent assays, such as flow cytometry, where the primary antibody does not have a fluorescent reporter molecule, is of goat origin, and is of IgG class.

## **Background Information**

This polyclonal antibody preparation has been derived from donkey immunized with goat IgG. Goat IgG specific IgG is purified by goat IgG (H+L) affinity chromatography. The IgG fraction is then conjugated to allophycocyanin for use in immunofluorescent-type assays.

## **Reagents Provided**

Supplied as 10  $\mu g$  of antibody in 1 mL saline containing up to 0.5% BSA and 0.1% sodium azide.

### Storage

Reagents are stable for **twelve months** from date of receipt when stored in the dark at  $2^{\circ}$  -  $8^{\circ}$  C.

## **Reagent Preparation**

**Donkey anti-goat IgG (H+L)-Allophycocyanin** is produced as the allophycocyanin derivative of donkey IgG from animals immunized with goat IgG. The reagent is provided in a ready-to-use liquid format containing phosphate buffered saline with 0.5% BSA and 0.1% NaN<sub>3</sub> as a preservative. Store reagent at  $2^{\circ} - 8^{\circ}$  C. **DO NOT FREEZE**. Dispose of liquids containing azide with caution and according to local regulations.

### Sample Staining

- Cells of interest (1 5 x 10<sup>5</sup> cells) are stained with a goat IgG primary antibody according to the antibody manufacturer's instructions.
- 2. After the recommended incubation period the cells are washed 3 times with a PBS buffer by centrifugation at 250 x g for 5 minutes.
- 3. The cell pellet is resuspended in up to 200  $\mu$ L of PBS and 10  $\mu$ L of donkey anti goat IgG (H+L)-APC is added to each reaction.
- The cells are incubated for 30 minutes at 2° 8° C in the dark. The cells are washed 3 times as indicated in step # 2.
- 5. The cell pellet is resuspended in 400  $\mu L$  of PBS for flow cytometric analysis.

**Warning:** Contains sodium azide as a preservative. Sodium azide may react with lead and copper plumbing to form explosive metal azides. Flush with large volumes of water during disposal.

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