

Human TRA-1-60(R) Neuraminidase Resistant Epitope Alexa Fluor® 700-conjugated Antibody

Monoclonal Mouse IgM Clone # TRA-1-60

Catalog Number: FAB4770N

DESCRIPTION	
Species Reactivity	Human
Specificity	Detects human TRA-1-60(R).
Source	Monoclonal Mouse IgM Clone # TRA-1-60
Purification	IgM-specific Affinity-purified from hybridoma culture supernatant
Immunogen	2102Ep human embryonal carcinoma cell line
Conjugate	Alexa Fluor 700 Excitation Wavelength: 675-700 nm Emission Wavelength: 723 nm
Formulation	Supplied 0.2 mg/mL in a saline solution containing BSA and Sodium Azide. See Certificate of Analysis for details. *Contains <0.1% Sodium Azide, which is not hazardous at this concentration according to GHS classifications. Refer to the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for additional information and handling instructions.

APPLICATIONS		
<i>Please Note: Optimal dilutions should be determined by each laboratory for each application. General Protocols are available in the Technical Information section on our website.</i>		
	Recommended Concentration	Sample
Flow Cytometry	0.25-1 µg/10 ⁶ cells	BG01V human embryonic stem cells

PREPARATION AND STORAGE	
Shipping	The product is shipped with polar packs. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended below.
Stability & Storage	Protect from light. Do not freeze. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12 months from date of receipt, 2 to 8 °C as supplied.

BACKGROUND
TRA-1-60 is a monoclonal antibody raised against a cell surface antigen of human embryonal carcinoma (EC) cells (1). The TRA-1-60 epitope is also found on human embryonic stem (ES) cells and primordial germ cells, and TRA-1-60 serves as a serum marker in patients with germ cell tumors (2-4). Investigation into the identity of the TRA-1-60 epitope demonstrated that it is a carbohydrate carried by a cell surface, sialylated, keratan sulfate proteoglycan (5). Subsequent evidence implicated podocalyxin as a carrier for the TRA-1-60 epitope (6).

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