# PRODUCT INFORMATION SUMMARY

# ANTI-RAT MHC-I

PRODUCT	NUMBER	MR916620	Purified	0.12 mg
PRODUCT	NUMBER	MR916630	FITC	50 tests
PRODUCT	NUMBER	MR916670	R-PE	50 tests

# ANTIGEN DISTRIBUTION AND SPECIFICITY:

Mouse monoclonal antibodies specific for RAT (RTIa), MHC-I bearing cells. Recognizes a polymorphic determinant on rat MHC class I molecules, and the RT1-a allele. Reacts with certain allotypic rat strains, including DA, PVG RT1-a, and PVG RT1-1.

#### CLONE:

Anti-MHC clone MN4, PURIFIED FORM: Mouse IgG1
Anti-MHC-I clone OX27 - FITC and R-PE conjugates only: Mouse IgG2a

# HANDLING AND STORAGE:

All regents supplied as liquid preparations. Purified antibody may be diluted in a protein-containing or other stabilizing medium to a concentration suitable for use in specific protocols. All reagents in a liquid state should be stored at  $2-8^{\circ}$  C when not in use. CAUTION: Contains 0.1% sodium azide.

For long-term storage, freeze small aliquots (unconjugated form only), undiluted. Avoid repeat freeze-thaw cycles. DO NOT FREEZE CONJUGATES.

# PRODUCT USE:

For flow cytometry use approx. 1 ug/test in 10-20 uL; For immuno-histochemistry, Anti-Rat MHC-I may be diluted, (approx. 1:50) using enough reagent to cover the tissue section or cytoprep. Reactivity in frozen and Paraffin tissue has been observed. (Purified form)

As second antibody, use ANTIGENIX goat anti-Mouse Igs (FITC, or PE or Biotin conjugates (cat. #s F200035, F200070, F200065, respectively).

Western blot Not Tested.

Reactive in immunoprecipitation

**REFERENCE:** Pockley, A.G., et al, (1995), An EIA for soulable rat MHC-I..., Immunol. Invest., V: 24, 679-687.

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