

Technical Data Sheet

PE-CF594 Mouse Anti-Human HLA-DR

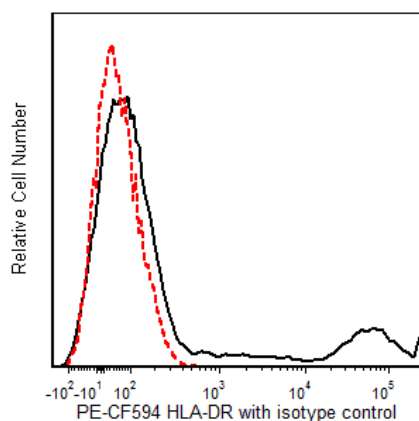
Product Information

Material Number:	562304
Alternate Name:	MHC class II antigen; HLA class II histocompatibility antigen
Size:	100 Tests
Vol. per Test:	5 µl
Clone:	G46-6
Isotype:	Mouse IgG2a, κ
Reactivity:	QC Testing: Human Tested in Development: Rhesus, Cynomolgus, Baboon Reported Reactivity: Dog
Storage Buffer:	Aqueous buffered solution containing BSA and ≤0.09% sodium azide.

Description

The G46-6 monoclonal antibody specifically binds to HLA-DR, a major histocompatibility complex (MHC) class II antigen. HLA-DR antigens are encoded by genes within the Human Leukocyte Antigen (HLA) Complex located on chromosome 6. HLA-DR is a transmembrane heterodimeric glycoprotein composed of an α chain (36 kDa) and a β subunit (27 kDa) expressed primarily on antigen presenting cells: B cells, dendritic cells, monocytes, macrophages, and thymic epithelial cells. HLA-DR is also expressed on activated T cells. This molecule plays a major role in mediating cellular interactions during antigen presentation to CD4-positive T cells.

This antibody is conjugated to BD Horizon™ PE-CF594, which has been developed exclusively by BD Biosciences as a better alternative to PE-Texas Red. PE-CF594 excites and emits at similar wavelengths to PE-Texas Red yet exhibits improved brightness and spectral characteristics. Due to PE having maximal absorption peaks at 496 nm and 564 nm, PE-CF594 can be excited by the blue (488-nm), green (532-nm) and yellow-green (561-nm) lasers and can be detected with the same filter set as PE-Texas Red (eg 610/20-nm filter).



Flow cytometric analysis of HLA-DR expression on human peripheral blood lymphocytes. Human whole blood was stained with the BD Horizon™ PE-CF594 Mouse Anti-Human HLA-DR antibody (Cat. No. 562304/562331; solid line histogram) or with a BD Horizon™ PE-CF594 Mouse IgG2a, κ Isotype Control (Cat. No. 562306; dashed line histogram). The erythrocytes were lysed with BD Pharm Lyse™ Lysing Buffer (Cat. No. 555899). The fluorescence histograms were derived from events with the forward and side light-scatter characteristics of viable lymphocytes. Flow cytometry was performed using a BD™ LSR II Flow Cytometer System.

Preparation and Storage

Store undiluted at 4°C and protected from prolonged exposure to light. Do not freeze.

The monoclonal antibody was purified from tissue culture supernatant or ascites by affinity chromatography.

The antibody was conjugated with BD Horizon™ PE-CF594 under optimum conditions, and unconjugated antibody and free PE-CF594 were removed.

Application Notes

Application

Flow cytometry	Routinely Tested
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Suggested Companion Products

<u>Catalog Number</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Size</u>	<u>Clone</u>
555899	Lysing Buffer	100 mL	(none)
562306	PE-CF594 Mouse IgG2a, κ Isotype Control	0.1 mg	G155-178
554656	Stain Buffer (FBS)	500 mL	(none)
349202	BD FACST [™] Lysing Solution	100 mL	(none)
554657	Stain Buffer (BSA)	500 mL	(none)
562331	PE-CF594 Mouse Anti-Human HLA-DR	25 Tests	G46-6

Product Notices

1. This reagent has been pre-diluted for use at the recommended Volume per Test. We typically use 1×10^6 cells in a 100- μ l experimental sample (a test).
2. An isotype control should be used at the same concentration as the antibody of interest.
3. Source of all serum proteins is from USDA inspected abattoirs located in the United States.
4. Caution: Sodium azide yields highly toxic hydrazoic acid under acidic conditions. Dilute azide compounds in running water before discarding to avoid accumulation of potentially explosive deposits in plumbing.
5. When excited by the yellow-green (561-nm) laser, the fluorescence may be brighter than when excited by the blue (488-nm) laser.
6. Because of the broad absorption spectrum of the tandem fluorochrome, extra care must be taken when using multi-laser cytometers, which may directly excite both PE and CF[™]594.
7. Please observe the following precautions: Absorption of visible light can significantly alter the energy transfer occurring in any tandem fluorochrome conjugate; therefore, we recommend that special precautions be taken (such as wrapping vials, tubes, or racks in aluminum foil) to prevent exposure of conjugated reagents, including cells stained with those reagents, to room illumination.
8. For fluorochrome spectra and suitable instrument settings, please refer to our Multicolor Flow Cytometry web page at www.bdbiosciences.com/colors.
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11. Species testing during development may have been performed with a different format of the same clone. Selected applications have been tested for cross-reactivity.
12. Texas Red is a registered trademark of Molecular Probes, Inc., Eugene, OR.
13. Please refer to www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/protocols for technical protocols.

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