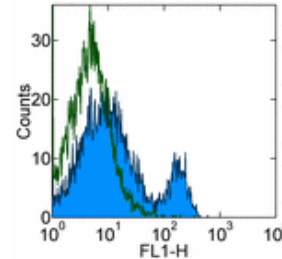


## Product Information

Contents: Affinity Purified anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4)  
Catalog Number: 14-0041  
Sizes: 50 ug, 100 ug, 500 ug, 1 mg  
Formulation: Phosphate buffer pH 7.2,  
150 mM NaCl, 0.09% NaN<sub>3</sub>  
Storage Conditions: Store at 4°C.  
Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.  
Clone: GK1.5  
Isotype: Rat IgG2b, κ



*Staining of C57Bl/6 splenocytes with 0.06 µg of Purified Rat IgG2b Isotype Control (cat. 14-4031) (open histogram) or 0.06 µg of Purified anti-mouse CD4 (GK1.5) (colored histogram) followed by FITC anti-rat IgG (cat. 11-4811). Total viable cells were used for analysis.*

Available Formats of This Product				
Cat. No.	Format	Excite (nm)	Emit (nm)	Reported Applications
11-0041	FITC anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4)	488	518	FC
12-0041	PE anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4)	488	575	FC
13-0041	Biotin anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4)	N/A	N/A	FC
14-0041	Affinity Purified anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4)	N/A	N/A	FC IH/F IP
15-0041	PE-Cy5 anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4)	488	670	FC
16-0041	Functional Grade* Purified anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4)	N/A	N/A	FC
17-0041	APC anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4)	633	660	FC
19-0041	Cy5 anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4)	633	670	FC
25-0041	PE-Cy7 anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4)	488	760	FC

\*Functional Grade™ (FG™): Azide-free, sterile-filtered, and endotoxin < 0.001 ng/µg.  
Purified: Contains azide, not sterile-filtered, and not endotoxin tested.

## Description

The GK1.5 monoclonal antibody reacts with the mouse CD4 molecule, a 55 kDa cell surface receptor expressed by a majority of thymocytes, subpopulation of mature T cells and dendritic cells. CD4 binds to MHC class II on the surface of antigen presenting cells and plays an important role both in T cell development and in optimal functioning of mature T cells. In T cells, CD4 associates with protein tyrosine kinase p56lck through its cytoplasmic tail. Binding of GK1.5 is blocked by RM4-5.

## Usage

For research use only, not for diagnostic or therapeutic use. The GK1.5 antibody has been reported for use in flow cytometric analysis, immunoprecipitation, and immunohistochemical staining of frozen tissue sections. It has also been reported in isolation and depletion of CD4<sup>+</sup> cells, blocking of ligand binding and T cell activation via CD4.

## Applications Tested

The GK1.5 antibody has been tested by flow cytometric analysis of mouse thymocyte and splenocyte suspensions. This can be used at less than or equal to 0.125 µg per million cells in a 100 µl total staining volume. It is recommended that the antibody be carefully titrated for optimal performance in the assay of interest.

## Related Products

Cat. 11-0041 FITC anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4) (clone GK1.5)  
Cat. 12-0041 PE anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4) (clone GK1.5)  
Cat. 13-0041 Biotin anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4) (clone GK1.5)  
Cat. 15-0041 PE-Cy5 anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4) (clone GK1.5)  
Cat. 16-0041 Functional Grade Purified anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4) (clone GK1.5)  
Cat. 17-0041 APC anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4) (clone GK1.5)  
Cat. 19-0041 Cy5 anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4) (clone GK1.5)  
Cat. 25-0041 PE-Cy7 anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4) (clone GK1.5)  
Cat. 10-0042 APC-Cy7 anti-mouse CD4 (clone RM4-5)  
Cat. 11-0042 FITC anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4) (clone RM4-5)  
Cat. 12-0042 PE anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4) (clone RM4-5)  
Cat. 13-0042 Biotin anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4) (clone RM4-5)  
Cat. 14-0042 Affinity Purified anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4) (clone RM4-5)  
Cat. 15-0042 PE-Cy5 anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4) (clone RM4-5)  
Cat. 16-0042 Functional Grade Purified anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4) (clone RM4-5)  
Cat. 17-0042 APC anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4) (clone RM4-5)  
Cat. 25-0042 PE-Cy7 anti-mouse CD4 (L3T4) (clone RM4-5)  
Cat. 35-0042 PE-Cy5.5 anti-mouse CD4 (clone RM4-5)  
Cat. 14-4031 Purified Rat IgG2b Isotype Control (clone eB149/10H5)  
Cat. 11-4317 Streptavidin-FITC (Fluorescein isothiocyanate)  
Cat. 12-4317 Streptavidin-PE (Phycoerythrin)  
Cat. 17-4317 Streptavidin Allophycocyanin (SA-APC)  
Cat. 11-4811 FITC Anti-Rat IgG  
Cat. 13-4813 Biotin Anti-Rat IgG (clone Polyclonal)

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