

## Monoclonal Antibody to Flagellin FliC - Purified

**Alternate names:** JW1908, b1923, flaF, fliC, hag

**Catalog No.:** TA327967

**Quantity:** 0.1 mg

**Concentration:** 0.5 mg/ml

**Background:** FliC is a protein expressed in many motile enteric bacteria including *Salmonella* and *Escherichia*. The C- and N-terminal regions of the protein among various strains of bacteria are well-conserved. However, there is great variability of length and amino acid sequence in the central region. For example, *E. coli* flagellin have been reported to vary in size from 36 K to 69 K in MW. FliC is a subunit protein that polymerizes (in conjunction with other proteins) to form the filaments of bacterial flagella in a precise order. Flagellin is a potent ligand of toll-like receptor 5 (TLR5). By binding to TLR5, flagellin induces activation of NF- $\kappa$ B and triggers the production of cytokines and innate immune responses.  
**Structure:** Member of the bacterial flagellin family; 51-53 kD in *Salmonella* and *Escherichia*.  
**Distribution:** Expressed in many motile enteric bacteria including *Salmonella* and *Escherichia*.  
**Interaction:** C-terminus of FliC binds to the export chaperone FliS. This interaction is thought to facilitate FliC polymerization and prevent FliC from polymerizing prematurely in cytosol.

**Uniprot ID:** [P04949](#)

**NCBI:** [AP\\_002538.1](#)

**GeneID:** [949101](#)

**Host / Isotype:** Mouse / IgG1

**Recommended Isotype Controls:** AM03095PU-N

**Clone:** FLIC-1

**Format:** **State:** Liquid purified IgG fraction  
**Purification:** Affinity Chromatography  
**Buffer System:** PBS, pH 7.2  
**Preservatives:** 0.09% Sodium Azide

**Applications:** **Western blotting:** Each lot of this antibody is quality control tested.  
**Recommended Dilutions:** Use 5  $\mu$ g antibody per 5 ml antibody dilution buffer for each mini-gel.  
**Immunoprecipitation** (Reported).  
**Immunofluorescence** (Reported).  
Other applications not tested. Optimal dilutions are dependent on conditions and should be determined by the user.

- Specificity:** FliC is expressed in motile bacteria including *Salmonella* and *E. Coli*. The epitope recognized by this antibody is not known.  
There is a possibility that some Flagellins are not recognized by this *FLIC-1* antibody.
- Storage:** Store undiluted at 2-8°C.  
**DO NOT FREEZE!**  
Shelf life: one year from despatch.
- General Readings:**
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**Pictures:** Recombinant flagellin protein (50 ng per lane) was resolved by electrophoresis, transferred to nitrocellulose, and probed with monoclonal antibody against FliC. Protein was visualized using a goat anti-mouse secondary conjugated to HRP and a chemiluminescence detection system.

