

Ultra-LEAF™ Purified anti-mouse Tim-4 Antibody

Catalog# / Size	130017 / 50 mg 130018 / 100 mg 130016 / 25 mg 130013 / 100 µg 130014 / 1 mg 130015 / 5 mg
Clone	RMT4-54
Regulatory Status	RUO
Other Names	T cell immunoglobulin and mucin domain containing protein-4
Isotype	Rat IgG2a, κ
Description	Tim-4 is a transmembrane protein known as T cell immunoglobulin and mucin domain containing protein-4. It is expressed on antigen-presenting cells and not on T cells. Tim-4 binds to Tim-1 to promote T cell proliferation by enhancing cell division and reducing apoptosis. Tim-4 bind to phosphatidylserine through its FG-CC' binding cleft in the N-terminal IgV domain to facilitate the clearance of apoptotic cells or bodies.

Product Details

Verified Reactivity	Mouse
Antibody Type	Monoclonal
Host Species	Rat
Immunogen	Mouse TIM4-Ig fusion protein
Formulation	0.2 µm filtered in phosphate-buffered solution, pH 7.2, containing no preservative. Endotoxin level is <0.01 EU/µg of the protein (<0.001 ng/µg of the protein) as determined by the LAL test.
Preparation	The Ultra-LEAF™ (Low Endotoxin, Azide-Free) antibody was purified by affinity chromatography.
Concentration	The antibody is bottled at the concentration indicated on the vial, typically between 2 mg/mL and 3 mg/mL. Older lots may have also been bottled at 1 mg/mL. To obtain lot-specific concentration, please enter the lot number in our Concentration and Expiration Lookup or Certificate of Analysis online tools.
Storage & Handling	The antibody solution should be stored undiluted between 2°C and 8°C. This Ultra-LEAF™ solution contains no preservative; handle under aseptic conditions.
Application	FC - Quality tested
Recommended Usage	Each lot of this antibody is quality control tested by immunofluorescent staining with flow cytometric analysis . For flow cytometric staining, the suggested use of this reagent is ≤ 0.25 µg per million cells in 100 µl volume. It is recommended that the reagent be titrated for optimal performance for each application.
Application Notes	Additional reported applications (for the relevant formats of this clone) include: <i>in vivo</i> induction of auto-antibody production ¹ and blockade of dendritic cell Tim-4 ² .
Application References	1. Nakayama M, <i>et al.</i> 2009. <i>Blood</i> . 113:3821. (FA) 2. Yeung MY, <i>et al.</i> 2013. <i>J. Immunol.</i> 191:4447. (Block)
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Antigen Details

Structure	Transmembrane protein containing immunoglobulin domain and mucin-like domain
Distribution	Unlike the other Tims, Tim-4 is only expressed by antigen-presenting cells, but not by T cells.
Function	Tim-4 is expressed on antigen-presenting cells. It provides co-stimulation to promote T cell proliferation and survival and has a possible role in clearance of apoptotic cells by binding phosphatidylserine.
Interaction	Phosphatidylserine is the ligand of Tim-4 and Tim-4 is a ligand of Tim-1.
Ligand/Receptor	Phosphatidylserine, TIM1
Cell Type	Antigen-presenting cells
Biology Area	Immunology
Antigen References	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Kuchroo VK, <i>et al.</i> 2008. <i>Nat. Rev. Immunol.</i> 8:5772. Miyanishi M, <i>et al.</i> 2007. <i>Nature</i> 450:4353. Rodriguez-Manzanet R, <i>et al.</i> 2008. <i>J. Immunol.</i> 180:4706
Gene ID	276891

Related Protocols

[Cell Surface Flow Cytometry Staining Protocol](#)

Other Formats

Purified anti-mouse Tim-4, PE anti-mouse Tim-4, Alexa Fluor® 647 anti-mouse Tim-4, PE/Cyanine7 anti-mouse Tim-4, TotalSeq™-A0567 anti-mouse Tim-4, Ultra-LEAF™ Purified anti-mouse Tim-4, PerCP/Cyanine5.5 anti-mouse Tim-4, TotalSeq™-C0567 anti-mouse Tim-4, TotalSeq™-B0567 anti-mouse Tim-4, APC anti-mouse Tim-4

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