

TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

APC Anti-Mouse CD117 (c-Kit) (ACK2)

Catalog Number: 20-1172

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Contents: APC Anti-Mouse CD117 (c-Kit) (ACK2)

Isotype: Rat IgG2b, kappa

Concentration: 0.2 mg/mL

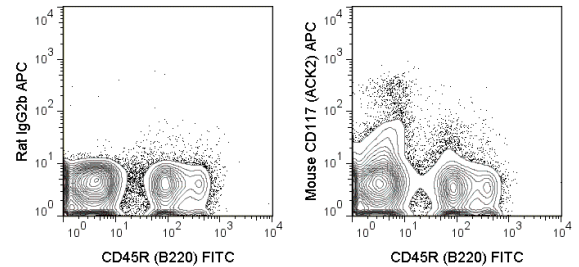
Clone: ACK2

Reactivity: Mouse

Use By: 12 months from date of receipt

Storage Conditions: 2-8°C protected from light

Formulation: 10 mM NaH₂PO₄, 150 mM NaCl, 0.09% NaN₃, 0.1% gelatin, pH7.2



C57Bl/6 bone marrow cells were stained with FITC Anti-Mouse CD45R (B220) (35-0452) and 0.06 ug APC Anti-Mouse CD117 (20-1172) (right panel) or 0.06 ug APC Rat IgG2b (left panel).

DESCRIPTION

The ACK2 antibody is specific for CD117, also called c-Kit, a 145 kDa cytokine receptor important in the development of hematopoietic stem cells, in oogenesis, and for functional activity of immune cells such as NK and mast cells. c-Kit binds to a ligand known as stem cell factor (SCF), or alternatively as mast cell growth factor. Ligand binding promotes the activation (dimerization) and subsequent tyrosine kinase activity of the c-Kit receptor and triggers key survival, expansion and maturation signals during hematopoietic progenitor cell development. Conversely, shedding of extracellular domain of c-Kit receptor is reported to induce inactivation or apoptosis within these cells. The survival signaling activity of c-Kit confers a proto-oncogenic attribute to the receptor, as overexpression or mutations in this protein are associated with tumor development. The ACK2 antibody is widely utilized as a marker to identify hematopoietic progenitors, and to neutralize receptor-ligand binding in vitro and in vivo (use format appropriate for functional assays).

PREPARATION & STORAGE

This monoclonal antibody was purified from tissue culture supernatant via affinity chromatography. The purified antibody was conjugated under optimal conditions, with unreacted dye removed from the preparation. It is recommended to store the product undiluted at 4°C, and protected from prolonged exposure to light. Do not freeze.

APPLICATION NOTES

This antibody preparation has been quality-tested for flow cytometry using mouse spleen cells, or an appropriate cell type (where indicated). Please refer to the figure legend for the optimal concentration used to stain the tissue shown. We recommend titrating the antibody under your specific conditions to determine the optimal concentration of antibody needed in your experimental system.

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