

MONOCLONAL ANTIBODY anti-Glycophorin A

Cat. No.	Form	Quantity	Presentation
2210	Purified	0.2 mg	Freeze-dried
2211	PE	100 tests	Liquid 2 mL
2212	FITC	100 tests	Liquid 2 mL

Clone 11E4B7.6

Isotype IgG1, kappa (mouse)

Immunogen Human red blood cells.

Hybridoma Myeloma NS/1-Ag4 x Balb/cJ spleen cells.

Specificity Glycophorin A is a sialoglycoprotein, expressed on human red blood cell membranes and erythroid precursors, including proerythroblasts, and reticulocytes.

Applications Flow cytometry or fluorescent microscopy.

Buffer Freeze-dried form: 1 mg/mL bovine serum albumin in phosphate buffered saline.
Liquid forms: 2 mg/mL bovine serum albumin in phosphate buffered saline containing 0.1 % sodium azide.

Reconstitution and Storage The freeze-dried form may be stored at 2 - 8°C until the expiration date. Reconstitute with 1 mL of distilled water. No preservative has been added. The reconstituted form may be stored at -20°C until the expiration date. Aliquotting is suggested to avoid multiple freeze-thaw cycles. The addition of sodium azide at 0.1 % (w/v) is recommended for storage of the reconstituted form for up to one month at 2 - 8°C.
The conjugated forms should not be frozen and should be stored in the dark at 2 - 8°C until the expiration date stated on the vial label.

Recommended Procedures Flow cytometry:
Freeze-dried form: 2 µg antibody / 5 x 10⁶ - 5 x 10⁷ red blood cells / test (RBCs / test)
For K562 cell line. 2 µg / 5 x 10⁵ cells / test.
Liquid forms: 20 µL / 5 x 10⁶ - 5 x 10⁷ RBCs / test.
Immunohistochemistry:
The reconstituted antibody should be used at 1-2 µg/mL for use on fixed, paraffin-embedded tissue sections.

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