

# CD4 Antibody [9H5A8]

Catalog # ASC12005

#### **Product Information**

**Application** WB, E **Primary Accession** P01730

Other Accession NP\_000607, 10835167
Reactivity Human, Mouse, Rat

Host Mouse
Clonality Monoclonal
Isotype IgG1

IsotypeIgG1Clone Names9H5A8Calculated MW51111Concentration (mg/ml)1 mg/mLConjugateUnconjugated

**Application Notes** CD4 antibody can be used for detection of CD4 by Western blot at 0.5 - 1

□g/mL.

## **Additional Information**

Gene ID 920

Other Names T-cell surface glycoprotein CD4, T-cell surface antigen T4/Leu-3, CD4, CD4

Target/Specificity CD4;

**Reconstitution & Storage** CD4 monoclonal antibody can be stored at -20°C, stable for one year.

**Precautions** CD4 Antibody [9H5A8] is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or

therapeutic procedures.

#### **Protein Information**

Name CD4

**Function** Integral membrane glycoprotein that plays an essential role in the immune

response and serves multiple functions in responses against both external and internal offenses. In T-cells, functions primarily as a coreceptor for MHC class II molecule:peptide complex. The antigens presented by class II peptides are derived from extracellular proteins while class I peptides are derived from cytosolic proteins. Interacts simultaneously with the T-cell receptor (TCR) and the MHC class II presented by antigen presenting cells (APCs). In turn, recruits the Src kinase LCK to the vicinity of the TCR-CD3 complex. LCK then initiates different intracellular signaling pathways by phosphorylating various substrates ultimately leading to lymphokine production, motility, adhesion and activation of T-helper cells. In other cells such as macrophages or NK cells, plays a role in differentiation/activation, cytokine expression and cell migration in a TCR/LCK-independent pathway.

Participates in the development of T- helper cells in the thymus and triggers the differentiation of monocytes into functional mature macrophages.

**Cellular Location** Cell membrane; Single-pass type I membrane protein. Note=Localizes to lipid

rafts (PubMed:12517957, PubMed:9168119). Removed from plasma membrane by HIV- 1 Nef protein that increases clathrin-dependent endocytosis of this antigen to target it to lysosomal degradation. Cell surface expression is also down-modulated by HIV-1 Envelope polyprotein gp160 that

interacts with, and sequesters CD4 in the endoplasmic reticulum

**Tissue Location** Highly expressed in T-helper cells. The presence of CD4 is a hallmark of

T-helper cells which are specialized in the activation and growth of cytotoxic T-cells, regulation of B cells, or activation of phagocytes. CD4 is also present in

other immune cells such as macrophages, dendritic cells or NK cells

# **Background**

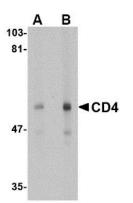
CD4 Monoclonal Antibody: CD4 is a member of the immunoglobulin superfamily and is implicated as associative recognition element in MHC (Major Histocompatibility Complex) class II-restricted immune response. On T-lymphocytes, it defines the helper/inducer subset. The mature 55 kd CD4 protein consists of a 372 amino acid extracellular segment composed of four tandem immunoglobulin-like VJ regions. The CD4 molecule is a major receptor for human immunodeficiency virus (HIV), binding directly to the envelope glycoprotein gp120 on HIV, with the co-receptors being CCR5 or CXCR4. It has been shown that the V-like domains are critical for binding with HIV envelope gp120.

#### References

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### **Images**



Western blot analysis of CD4 in human thymus tissue lysate with CD4 antibody at (A) 0.5 and (B) 1 µg/mL.

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