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anti-CD40 (mouse), mAb (FGK45)

[Tumor Necrosis Factor Receptor Superfamily Member 5; CD40L Receptor]

AG-20B-0036-C100 100 µg
AG-20B-0036-C500 500 µg

Clone FGK45
Source/Host Purified from concentrated hybridoma tissue culture supernatant.
Isotype Rat IgG2a
Immunogen Recombinant mouse CD40 fusion protein.

Handling / Storage

Shipping BLUE ICE
Short Term Storage +4°C
Long Term Storage -20°C

After opening, prepare aliquots and store at -20°C. Avoid freeze/thaw cycles.

Use / Stability

Stable for at least 1 year after receipt when stored at -20°C.

MSDS available at www.adipogen.com or upon request.

Product Specifications

Specificity Recognizes mouse CD40.
Species Crossreactivity Mouse
Application **Flow Cytometry**

Functional Application: Activates B and NK cells *in vivo* and *in vitro*. For *in vivo* studies use the preservative free antibody (Prod. No. [AG-20B-0036PF](#)).

Purity ≥95% (SDS-PAGE)
Formulation Liquid. In PBS containing 0.02% sodium azide.
Concentration 1mg/ml
Endotoxin Content <0.01EU/µg purified protein (LAL test; Lonza).
Isotype Negative Control [Rat IgG2a Isotype Control](#)

Other Product Data

Widely used stimulatory MAb to CD40. Shown to indirectly activate natural killer (NK) cells, producing significant antitumor and antimetastatic effects. Effective in boosting immune responses against infectious agents and can potentially be used to treat chronic autoimmune inflammatory processes.

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Product Description

CD40 belongs to the TNF-receptor superfamily and is essential in mediating a broad variety of immune and inflammatory responses including T cell-dependent immunoglobulin class switching, memory B cell development, and germinal center formation. The interaction of CD40-CD40L is necessary for amyloid-beta-induced microglial activation, and thus is thought to be an early event in Alzheimer disease pathogenesis. CD40 is constitutively expressed by antigen presenting cells, including dendritic cells, B cells and macrophages. Consistent with its widespread expression on normal cells, CD40 is also expressed on a wide range of tumor cells, including non-Hodgkin's and Hodgkin's lymphomas, myeloma and some carcinomas including nasopharynx, bladder, cervix, kidney and ovary.

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