Purified anti-mouse IL-4 (Maxpar® Ready) Antibody

Catalog# / Size	504129 / 100 µg
Clone	11B11
Regulatory Status	RUO
Other Names	Interleukin-4, Ia inducing factor (IaIF), B cell stimulating factor-1 (BSF-1), Hodgkin's cell growth factor (HCGF), Mast cell growth factor-2 (MCGF-2), Macrophage fusion factor (MFF), T cell growth factor-2 (TCGF-2)
Isotype	Rat IgG1, κ
Description	IL-4 is a pleiotropic cytokine produced by activated T cells, mast cells, and basophils. IL-4 is a potent lymphoid cell growth factor which stimulates the growth and activation of certain B cells and T cells. IL-4 is important for regulation of T helper subset development.

Product Details

Verified Reactivity	Mouse
Antibody Type	Monoclonal
Host Species	Rat
Immunogen	Partially purified native mouse IL-4
Formulation	Phosphate-buffered solution, pH 7.2, containing 0.09% sodium azide and EDTA.
Preparation	The antibody was purified by affinity chromatography.
Concentration	1.0 mg/ml
Storage & Handling	The antibody solution should be stored undiluted between 2°C and 8°C.
Application	ELISA Capture - Quality tested CyTOF® - Verified
Recommended Usage	This product is suitable for use with the Maxpar® Metal Labeling Kits. For metal labeling using Maxpar® Ready antibodies, proceed directly to the step to Partially Reduce the Antibody by adding 100 µl of Maxpar® Ready antibody to 100 µl of 4 mM TCEP-R in a 50 kDa filter and continue with the protocol. Always refer to the latest version of Maxpar® User Guide when conjugating Maxpar® Ready antibodies.
Application Notes	**ELISA[1,2,10,13] or ELISPOT[5] Capture:** The purified 11B11 antibody is useful as the capture antibody in a sandwich ELISA or ELISPOT assay, when used in conjunction with the biotinylated BVD6-24G2 antibody (Cat. No. 504202) as the detecting antibody and recombinant mouse IL-4 (Cat. No. 575609) as the standard. The LEAF™ purified antibody is suggested for ELISPOT capture. **Neutralization[1-2,9,12]:** The 11B11 antibody can neutralize the bioactivity of natural or recombinant IL-4. The LEAF™ purified antibody (Endotoxin <0.1 EU/µg, Azide-Free, 0.2 µm filtered) is recommended for neutralization of mouse IL-4 bioactivity *in vivo* and *in vitro* (Cat. No. 504108). **Additional reported applications (for the relevant formats) include:** immunoprecipitation[16], immunohistochemical staining of formalin-fixed paraffin-embedded tissue sections[8] and paraformaldehyde-fixed, saponin-treated frozen tissue sections[6,7], and immunocytochemistry[4]. **Note:** For testing mouse IL-4 in serum, plasma or supernatant, BioLegend's ELISA Max™ Sets (Cat. No. 431101 to 431106) are specially developed and recommended.
Additional Product Notes	Maxpar® is a registered trademark of Standard BioTools Inc.

Application References

(PubMed link indicates BioLegend citation)

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Antigen Details

Structure	Cytokine; 15-19 kD (Mammalian)
Bioactivity	Differentiation of naïve $CD4^+$ T cells to the T_H2 type, proliferation/differentiation of activated B cells, expression of class II MHC antigens, and of low affinity IgE receptors in resting B cells
Cell Sources	Mast cells, T cells, bone marrow stromal cells
Cell Targets	B cells, T cells, monocytes, endothelial cells, fibroblasts
Receptors	Heterodimer IL-4Rα (CD124); γ-subunit (CD132) in common with IL-2R, IL-7R, IL-13R, IL-15R
Cell Type	Tregs
Biology Area	Immunology
Molecular Family	Cytokines/Chemokines
Antigen References	1. Fitzgerald K, *et al.* Eds. 2001. The Cytokine FactsBook. Academic Press San Diego. 2. Boulay J, *et al.* 1992. *Curr. Opin. Immunol.* 4:294. 3. Dullens H, *et al.* 1991. *In vivo* 5:567. 4. Paul W. 1991. *Blood* 77:1859.
Regulation	Upregulated by IL-2, platelet activating factor; downregulated by TGF-β
Gene ID	16189

Related Protocols

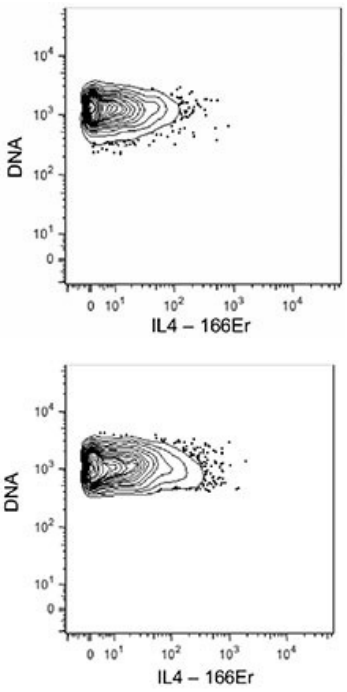
Active Protocols: Sandwich ELISA - Video

Sandwich ELISA Protocol

Other Formats

APC anti-mouse IL-4, PE anti-mouse IL-4, Purified anti-mouse IL-4, Alexa Fluor® 488 anti-mouse IL-4, Alexa Fluor® 647 anti-mouse IL-4, PE/Cyanine7 anti-mouse IL-4, Brilliant Violet 421™ anti-mouse IL-4, Ultra-LEAF™ Purified anti-mouse IL-4, PerCP/Cyanine5.5 anti-mouse IL-4, Brilliant Violet 605™ anti-mouse IL-4, Purified anti-mouse IL-4 (Maxpar® Ready), PE/Dazzle™ 594 anti-mouse IL-4, Brilliant Violet 711™ anti-mouse IL-4, APC/Fire™ 750 anti-mouse IL-4

Product Data



C57BL/6 mouse splenocytes were incubated for 20 hours in media alone (top) or with LPS (bottom) in the presence of monensin and brefeldin A. Cells were then fixed, permeabilized, and stained with 166Er-anti-IL4 (11B11). Monocytes are displayed in the analysis. Data provided by DVS Sciences.

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