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## Certificate of Analysis and Data Sheet

# Mouse Anti-5-Methylcytidine With HRP-conjugated Secondary Antibody

Catalog No.	<b>Target Species</b>	Sotype
SDS-MB-00003	Broad	<b></b> IgG1

## Preparation

**Fusion Partners:** Spleen cells from immunized Balb/c mice were fused with cells of the Sp2/0-Ag 14 myeloma cell line.

#### **Formulation**

Product Form: Purified

**Product Type:** Monoclonal Antibody **Buffer Solution:** Phosphate buffered saline **Preservative Stabilizers:** 0.01% Thiomersal

**Approx. Protein Concentrations:** IgG concentration 1.0 mg/ml

## Specificity

DS-MB-00003 recognizes the modified base 5-methylcytidine (5-MeCyd) found in DNA of plants and vertebrates. DNA methylation is a DNA modification process, which is involved in the control of gene expression.

Reports suggest that in tumors, DNA is frequently globally hypomethylated compared to the DNA from normal tissue.

DS-MB-00003 has been developed to discriminate between the modified base 5-MeCyd and the normal counterpart cytosine.

DS-MB-00003 has been reported for use in Methylated DNA immunoprecipitation (MeDIP).

Species Cross Reactivity: Reacts with Human, Rat, Mouse

**N.B.** Antibody reactivity and working conditions may vary between species.

## Storage

Store at +4°C or at -20°C if preferred.

This product should be stored undiluted.

Storage in frost-free freezers is not recommended. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing as this may denature the antibody. Should this product contain a precipitate we recommend microcentrifugation before use.

**Shelf Life:** 18 months from date of dispatch.



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**Applications** 

Options Functions	YES	NO	Not determined	Recommended Work dilution or concentration
Flow Cytometry(1)	•			
Immunohistology - Frozen	•			
Immunohistology – Paraffin (2)	•			
Immunohistology - Resin	•			
Elisa			•	
Western Blotting			•	
Immunofluorescence	•			
Immunoblotting	•			
Methylated DNA Immunoprecipitation	•			

Note: Other applications have not been tested. Optimal dilutions should be determined.

- (1) Use 10ul of the suggested working dilution to label 1x10<sup>6</sup> cells in 100ul. Membrane permeabilization may be required for this application. Cell pretreatment before staining is described in reference 4. Giraldo, A. M. et al.
- (2) This product requires antigen retrieval using heat treatment prior to staining of paraffin sections. Sodium citrate buffer pH6.0 is recommended for this purpose.

Secondary Antibody Applications

Options Functions	YES	NO	Not determined	Recommended Work dilution or concentration
Immunoassay (ELISA, Western blot)	•			1:5000-1:10000



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