## PERFORMANCE DATA SHEET

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## Monoclonal anti-human CD44\*

*mAb name/Clone:* BU52 *Isotype:* Mouse IgG1

*Immunogen:* Human peripheral myeloma cells

CATALOG#: 193-820 (Preservative Free)

QUANTITY: 100 μg CONCENTRATION: 1.0 mg/ml

**INFORMATION:** Human CD44 molecules appear to serve as lymphocyte adhesion molecules with numerous functions in extracellular matrix binding, cell migration, hemopoisis, and lymphocyte homing. Antibody BU52 recognizes epitope 1 of the CD44 molecule, and is useful for Western Blot (4).

**References** 1) Leukocyte Typing IV (W. Knapp, et al, eds.) Oxford University Press, Oxford, (1989) 619-627. 2) D. J. Anstee, et al, (1991) Immunology **74:** 197-205. 3) F. Hynes, et al, (1993) Adv Immunol **54:** 271-335. .X. Liao, et al, (1995) J Immunol **155:** 3938-3945. 4) I. Okamoto, et al, (1999) J Biol Chem **274:** 25525-25534.

**STORAGE CONDITIONS:** *Store at 2 - 5<sup>o</sup>C*. **Open under aseptic conditions.** Freeze/Thawing is not recommended.

**PRODUCT STABILITY:** Product should retain activity for at least 12 months after shipping date when stored as recommended. Ship Date:\_\_\_\_\_

**BUFFER:** 50 mM Sodium Phosphate pH 7.5, 100 mM Potassium Chloride, 150mM NaCl.

**PRODUCTION:** Antibody was Protein A purified from (low FBS containing) tissue culture supernatant. Purity was >95% Immunoglobulin by SDS-PAGE and contains less than 1% Bovine Immunoglobulin. Product was 0.2 µm filtered and vialed under aseptic conditions.

**PERFORMANCE:** Five x  $10^5$  cultured **Molt-4** human tumor cells were incubated 45 minutes on ice with 80 µl of anti-CD44(epitope 1) antibody at **5** µg/ml. Cells were washed twice and incubated with  $2^0$  reagent Goat anti-Mouse IgG/FITC (Catalog #232-011), after which they were washed three times, fixed and analyzed by FACS. Cells stained positive with a mean shift of **1.98** log<sub>10</sub> fluorescent units when compared to a Mouse IgG1 negative control (Catalog #278-010) at a similar concentration.

\*This Product is intended for Laboratory Research use only.

## Binding of anti-CD44 antibody to human cell lines

