## PERFORMANCE DATA SHEET

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## Monoclonal anti-human IL-2\*

*mAb name/Clone:* ANC7F7 *Isotype:* Mouse IgG1κ

Immunogen: Recombinant human IL-2

**CATALOG#: 245-020 QUANTITY: 100 μg** 

μg CONCENTRATION: 1.0 mg/ml

**INFORMATION:** The cytokine human interleukin-2 (IL-2) is a 15 kd protein expressed upon activation by peripheral TH1 cells, medullary thymocytes, and a subset of large granular lymphocytes. Secreted IL-2 N7-48A stimulates proliferation and lymphokine production by T cells, B cells and NK cells. Antibody ANC7F7 binds to soluble and intracellular IL-2 in FACS and EIA.

**References:** 1. S.L. Swain (1991) Curr Opin Immunol 3-304-310. 2. A.K. Abbas, et al, (1996) Nature 383: 787-793. 3. A. Rebollo, et al, (1996) Advan Immunol 63: 127-196.

**STORAGE CONDITIONS:** *Store at 2 - 5<sup>o</sup>C*. 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, 0.5 mg/ml Gentamicin Sulfate (as a preservative).

**PRODUCTION:** Antibody was Protein A purified from (low FBS containing) tissue culture supernatant. Purity was >95% Immunoglobulin by SDS-PAGE with less than 1% Bovine Immunoglobulin.

**PERFORMANCE:** Ficoll prepared human **peripheral blood mononuclear cells** were stimulated 4 hours in the presence of 50 ng/ml PMA, 2 μM ionomicin and 5 μM monensin. Cells were then harvested, washed and fixed for 30 min with 2% buffered formaldehyde after which they were washed two times. Fixed cells were permeabolized 10 minutes in a buffer containing **0.3% Saponin**. Subsequent reagent incubations and washes were done using this buffer. Five x 10<sup>5</sup> cells per tube were pre incubated 5 minutes with 20 μl of 250 μg/ml human IgG (to block non specific binding), after which they were incubated 45 minutes on ice with 80 μl of **anti-IL-2** antibody at **5 μg/ml**. Cells were washed twice and incubated with 2<sup>o</sup> reagent Goat anti-Mouse IgG/FITC (Catalog #232-011), after which they were washed three times, fixed and analyzed by FACS. A net **40%** sub population of the cells stained positive with a mean shift of **1.07** log<sub>10</sub> fluorescent units when compared to a Mouse IgG1 negative control (Catalog #278-010) at a similar concentration.

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