

## anti-human HLA-ABC

monoclonal antibody W6/32 to human HLA-ABC

Cat-No: **21159031**

100 µg / 100µl

**Clone:** W6/32

**Specificity:** The anti-human HLA-ABC monoclonal antibody recognizes an epitope common among 43 kDa chains of the HLA-ABC antigens. These antigens appear on virtually every human nucleated cell. This antibody is suitable as a positive control for HLA tissue typing and crossmatching.

**Species Reactivity:** Human, Non-Human Primates, Bovine, Feline (Cat)

**Negative Species:** Rabbit

**Isotype subclass:** Mouse IgG2a

**Form:** Purified from bioreactor supernatant via Protein A Chromatography

**Physical state:** Liquid

**Buffer/Additives/Preservative:** PBS containing 0.09 % sodium azide (pH 7.2).

**Expiration date:** The reagent is stable until the expiry date stated on the vial label

**Storage conditions:** Aliquot and store at -20°C. Avoid freeze/thaw cycles.  
Should be handled under aseptic conditions.

**Application:** Flow Cytometry, Immunoprecipitation

**Background:** The W6/32 monoclonal antibody reacts with the human major histocompatibility complex (MHC) class I, HLA-A, B, C. MHC class I antigens associated with beta 2-microglobulin are expressed by all human nucleated cells and are central in cell-mediated immune response and tumor surveillance. W6/32 mAb recognizes a non-polymorphic epitope shared among products of the HLA-A, B, and C loci and immunoprecipitates both 43 kDa and 11-12 kDa chains.

Crossreactivity is also seen in baboon, rhesus and cynomolgus monkey.

### References:

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- \* King, A. et al (1996) Journal of Immunol.
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**Warning:** Sodium azide is harmful if swallowed (R22). Keep out of reach of children (S2). Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuff (S13). Wear suitable protective clothing (S36). If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label (S46). Contact with acids liberates very toxic gas (R32). Azide compounds should be flushed with large volumes of water during disposal to avoid deposits in lead or copper plumbing where explosive conditions can develop.

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