## **Product Data Sheet**

## **Purified anti-mouse CD11a**

Catalog # / Size: 1105505 / 50 μg

**Clone:** M17/4

**Isotype:** Rat IgG2a, κ

Immunogen: C57BL/6 mouse splenic secondary

cytotoxic T cells

Reactivity: Mouse

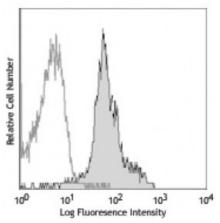
Preparation: The antibody was purified by affinity

chromatography.

Formulation: Phosphate-buffered solution, pH 7.2,

containing 0.09% sodium azide.

**Concentration:** 0.5



C57BL/6 mouse splenocytes stained with purified M17/4, followed by anti-rat IgGs FITC

## **Applications:**

**Applications:** Other

Recommended Usage:

Each lot of this antibody is quality control tested by immunofluorescent staining with flow cytometric analysis. For flow cytometric staining, the suggested use of

this reagent is  $\leq$  0.25 microg per 106 cells in 100 microL volume. It is

recommended that the reagent be titrated for optimal performance for each

application.

Application Notes:

The M17/4 antibody can block CD11a-mediated cellular adhesion. Additional reported applications of this antibody (for the relevant formats) include: immunoprecipitation  $^{1,2}$ , *in vitro* blocking of cell-cell adhesion  $^{1,2}$  and FOXP3 expression5, and immunohistochemical staining of acetone-fixed frozen sections3. The M17/4 antibody does not block the binding of 2D7 antibody (Cat. No. 101002) to CD11a. The LEAF  $^{\text{TM}}$  purified antibody (Endotoxin <0.1 EU/ $\mu$ g, Azide-Free, 0.2  $\mu$ m filtered) is recommended for functional assays (Cat. No. 101110). For *in vivo* studies or highly sensitive assays, we recommend Ultra-LEAF  $^{\text{TM}}$  purified antibody (Cat. No. 101118) with a lower endotoxin limit than standard LEAF  $^{\text{TM}}$  purified antibodies (Endotoxin <0.01 EU/microg).

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**Description:** 

CD11a is a 180 kD glycoprotein, also known as  $\alpha_L$  integrin, LFA-1  $\alpha$ , Ly-15, or Ly-21. It is a member of the integrin family, primarily expressed on lymphocytes, monocytes/macrophages, and granulocytes. In association with CD18, the CD11a/CD18 complex forms LFA-1. CD11a plays an important role in intercellular adhesion and costimulation by binding its ligands, ICAM-1 (CD54), ICAM-2 (CD102), and ICAM-3 (CD50).

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