

**Spark Violet™ 538 anti-mouse/human CD45R/B220**

**Catalog # / Size:** 1116420 / 100 µg  
1116415 / 25 µg

**Clone:** RA3-6B2

**Isotype:** Rat IgG2a, κ

**Immunogen:** Abelson murine leukemia virus-induced pre-B tumor cells

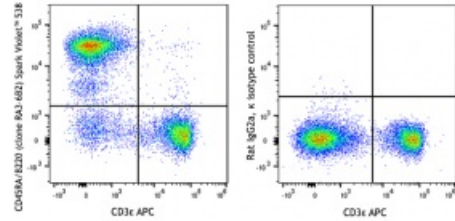
**Reactivity:** Human, Mouse, Other

**Preparation:** The antibody was purified by affinity chromatography and conjugated with Spark Violet™ 538 under optimal conditions.

**Formulation:** Phosphate-buffered solution, pH 7.2, containing 0.09% sodium azide

**Workshop Number:** 750 under optimal conditions.

**Concentration:** 0.5 mg/mL

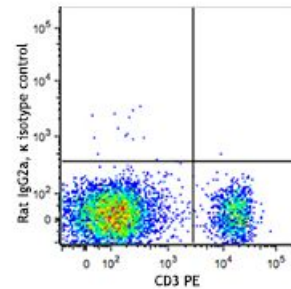


C57BL/6 mouse splenocytes stained with CD3ε APC and CD45R/B220 (clone RA3-6B2) Spark Violet™ 538 (left) or rat IgG2a, κ Spark Violet™ 538 isotype control (right).

**Applications:**

**Applications:** Flow Cytometry

**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 ≤ 1.0 µg per million cells in 100 µL volume. It is recommended that the reagent be titrated for optimal performance for each application.



\* Spark Violet™ 538 has a maximum excitation of 396 nm and a maximum emission of 538 nm.

**Application Notes:** Clone RA3-6B2 has been described to react with an epitope on the extracellular domain of the transmembrane CD45 glycoprotein which is dependent upon the expression of exon A and specific carbohydrate residues. Additional reported applications (for the relevant formats) include: immunoprecipitation<sup>1</sup>, *in vitro* and *in vivo* modulation of B cell responses<sup>2-4</sup>, and immunohistochemistry of acetone-fixed frozen sections and formalin-fixed paraffin-embedded sections<sup>5,6</sup>.

**Application  
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**Description:** CD45R, also known as B220, is an isoform of CD45. It is a member of the protein tyrosine phosphatase (PTP) family with a molecular weight of approximately 180-240 kD. CD45R is expressed on B cells (at all developmental stages from pro-B cells through mature B cells), activated B cells, and subsets of T and NK cells. CD45R (B220) is also expressed on a subset of abnormal T cells involved in the pathogenesis of systemic autoimmunity in MRL-*Fas<sup>lpr</sup>* and MRL-*Fas<sup>gld</sup>* mice. It plays a critical role in TCR and BCR signaling. The primary ligands for CD45 are galectin-1, CD2, CD3, and CD4. CD45R is commonly used as a pan-B cell marker; however, CD19 may be more appropriate for B cell specificity.

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