

# CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS - TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

**Product name** DAF, Rat, clone RDIII-7

Catalog number HM3035

Lot number - Expiry date -

**Volume** 1 ml **Amount** 100 μg

Formulation 0.2 μm filtered in PBS+0.1%BSA Concentration 100 μg/ml

Host Species Mouse IgG1 Conjugate None

Endotoxin <24 EU/mg Purification Protein G

Storage 4°C

# **Application notes**

	IHC-F	IHC-P	IF	FC	FS	IA	IP	W
Reference #	3-5		4,5	2,3	2,3,6			1-6
Yes	•		•	•	•			•
No								
N.D.		•				•	•	

N.D.= Not Determined; IHC = Immuno histochemistry; F = Frozen sections; P = Paraffin sections; IF = Immuno Fluorescence; FC = Flow Cytometry; FS = Functional Studies; IA = Immuno Assays; IP = Immuno Precipitation; W = Western blot

Dilutions to be used depend on detection system applied. It is recommended that users test the reagent and determine their own optimal dilutions. The typical starting working dilution is 1:50.

- FS: RDIII-7 antibody completely blocked the protective effect of expressed rat DAF.
- W: non-reduced with a band size of 60-70kDa. As positive control CHO-rat DAF hyper-expressing cells were used.

# **General Information**

### Description

The monoclonal antibody RDIII-7 recognizes complement decay accelerating factor (DAF), also designated as CD55. RDIII-7 recognizes the common extracellular SCR region of CD55, detecting all isoforms of the protein. Cells express on their surface several proteins which protect against complement attack, namely C receptor I (CR1), decay accelerating factor (DAF), membrane cofactor protein (MCP) and CD59. CR1, DAF and MCP regulate the activation pathways of complement by either accelerating decay of the C3 and C5 convertase (CR1, DAF), or acting as cofactors for the serine protease factor I, which cleaves and irreversibly inactivates C3b (CR1, MCP). Rat DAF (CD55) is a 60 kDa transmembrane protein that binds C3b and C4b to inhibit formation and half-life of the C3 convertases. It belongs to the receptors of complement activation (RCA) family. DAF is broadly distributed among cells in contact with plasma complement proteins, including both haematopoietic and nonhaematopoietic cells. Although DAF does not have an essential role in controlling hemolysis of erythrocytes, it has an important role in regulation of the deposition of C3 on nucleated cells. Together with other complement regulators DAF protects self-cells from autologous complement-mediated injury. DAF cooperates with CD46 in circumventing autologous C3 deposition, while CD59 inhibits the pathway at the critical end-point.

Immunogen NIH-3T3 cells expressing GPI-anchored rat DAF

Aliases Complement Decay Accelerating Factor, CD55

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Storage&stability

Product should be stored at 4°C. Under recommended storage conditions, product is stable for at least one year.

#### **Precautions**

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