## PERFORMANCE DATA SHEET

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## Monoclonal anti-human TNF alpha\*

mAb name/Clone: J1D9
Isotype: Mouse IgG1

Immunogen: Recombinant TNF alpha

**CATALOG#: 398-020 QUANTITY: 100 μg** 

CONCENTRATION: 1.0 mg/ml

**INFORMATION:** Human tumor necrosis factor alpha (TNF alpha) is a proinflammatory cytokine expressed mainly by activated monocytes and macrophages. TNF alpha exerts a key role with regard to pathogenesis of many infectious and inflammatory diseases. Antibody J1D9 neutralizes TNF alpha biological activities (2). *References:* 1) P. Vassalli, (1992) Annu Rev Immunol 10: 411-452. 2) P.J. McLaughlin, et al, (1992) Anticancer Res 12: 1243-1246. 3) M. Pasparakis, et al, (1996) Cytokine and Growth Factor Reviews 7: 223-229. 4) A. Eigler, et al, (1997) Immunology Today 18: 487-492.

**STORAGE CONDITIONS:** *Store at 2 - 5<sup>o</sup>C*. Freeze/Thawing is not recommended.

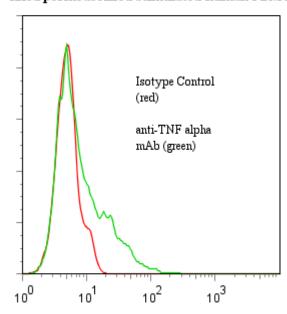
**PRODUCT STABILITY:** Product should retain activity for at least 12 months after shipping date when stored as recommended. Ship Date:\_\_\_\_\_

**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 by culturing 6 hours in the presence of 50 ng/ml PMA, 1 mM Ionomycin and 1 µg/ml Brefeldin A. 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  $10^5$ 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  $\mu$ l of anti-TNF $\alpha$ antibody at 5 µg/ml. Cells were washed twice and incubated with 2º reagent Goat anti-Mouse IgG/FITC (Catalog #232-011), after which they were washed three times, fixed and analyzed by FACS. A 20% sub population of the cells stained positive with a mean shift of 0.89 log<sub>10</sub> fluorescent units when compared to a Mouse IgG1 negative control (Catalog #278-010).

Binding of anti-TNF alpha mAb +GAM/FITC to fixed permeabolized stimulated human PBMC



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