

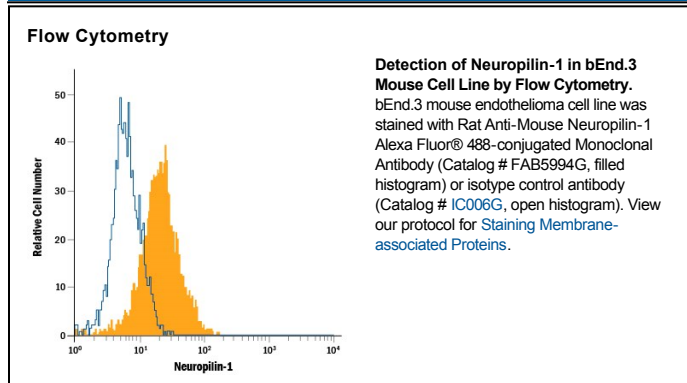
| DESCRIPTION               |  |
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| <b>Species Reactivity</b> | Mouse  |
| <b>Specificity</b>        | Detects mouse Neuropilin-1 in direct ELISAs. In direct ELISAs, less than 5% cross-reactivity with recombinant rat (rr) Neuropilin-1 is observed and no cross-reactivity with recombinant human (rh) Neuropilin-1, rhNeuropilin-2, or rrNeuropilin-2 is observed.   |
| <b>Source</b>             | Monoclonal Rat IgG <sub>2A</sub> Clone # 761705  |
| <b>Purification</b>       | Protein A or G purified from hybridoma culture supernatant   |
| <b>Immunogen</b>          | Mouse myeloma cell line NS0-derived recombinant mouse Neuropilin-1<br>Phe21-Pro856<br>Accession # P97333   |
| <b>Conjugate</b>          | Alexa Fluor 488<br>Excitation Wavelength: 488 nm<br>Emission Wavelength: 515-545 nm  |
| <b>Formulation</b>        | Supplied in a saline solution containing BSA and Sodium Azide. See Certificate of Analysis for details.<br><br>*Contains <0.1% Sodium Azide, which is not hazardous at this concentration according to GHS classifications. Refer to the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for additional information and handling instructions. |

**APPLICATIONS**

**Please Note:** Optimal dilutions should be determined by each laboratory for each application. *General Protocols* are available in the *Technical Information* section on our website.

|                       | Recommended Concentration  | Sample    |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|-----------|
| <b>Flow Cytometry</b> | 5 µL/10 <sup>6</sup> cells | See Below |

**DATA**



**PREPARATION AND STORAGE**

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| <b>Shipping</b>                | The product is shipped with polar packs. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended below. |
| <b>Stability &amp; Storage</b> | <b>Protect from light. Do not freeze.</b><br>● 12 months from date of receipt, 2 to 8 °C as supplied.             |

#### BACKGROUND

Neuropilin-1 (Nrp-1), also known as CD304, is a 130-140 kDa type I transmembrane (TM) glycoprotein that regulates axon guidance and angiogenesis (1-4). The full-length 923 amino acid (aa) mouse Nrp-1 contains a 623 aa extracellular domain (ECD) that shares 98% aa identity with rat and 93% aa identity with human, equine, bovine and canine Nrp-1 (3, 4). The ECD contains two N-terminal CUB domains (termed a1a2), two domains with homology to coagulation factors V and VIII (b1b2) and a MAM (meprin) domain (c). At least one splice variant that diverges at aa 587 and lacks the TM domain has been sequenced (5). This form is potentially a soluble antagonist, based on results from human Nrp-1 splice variants (1, 6-8). The sema domains of Class III secreted semaphorins such as Sema3A bind Nrp-1 a1a2 (9). Heparin, the heparin-binding forms of VEGF (VEGF<sub>165</sub>, VEGF-B and VEGF-E), PlGF (PlGF2), and the C-terminus of Sema3 bind the b1b2 region (9, 10). Nrp-1 and Nrp-2 share 48% aa identity within the ECD and can form homo- and hetero-oligomers via interaction of their MAM domains (1). Neuropilins show partially overlapping expression in neuronal and endothelial cells during development (1, 2). Both neuropilins act as co-receptors with plexins, mainly plexin A3 and A4, to bind class III semaphorins that mediate axon repulsion (11). However, only Nrp-1 binds Sema3A, and only Nrp-2 binds Sema3F (1). Both are co-receptors with VEGF R2 (also called KDR or Flk-1) for VEGF<sub>165</sub> binding (1). Sema3A signaling can be blocked by VEGF<sub>165</sub>, which has higher affinity for Nrp-1 (12). Nrp-1 is preferentially expressed in developing or remodeling arteries (1, 2). Nrp-1 is also expressed on dendritic cells and mediates DC-induced T cell proliferation (13).

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