

## AF680 Anti-human CD4 Antibody \*OKT-4\*

Catalog number: 10043190, 10043191

Unit size: 100 tests, 500 tests

**Product Details** 

Storage Conditions 2-8°C with minimized light exposure. Do not freeze.

Expiration Date 12 months upon receiving

Concentration 0.1 mg/mL

Formulation Phosphate-buffered saline (PBS, pH 7.2), 0.09% sodium azide, 0.2% (w/v) BSA

**Antibody Properties** 

Species Reactivity Human

Class Primary

Clonality Monoclonal

Host Mouse

Isotype Mouse igg2b, κ

Immunogen CD4 (Leu-3, T4)

Clone OKT-4

Conjugate AF680

**Biological Properties** 

Appearance liquid

Preparation Antibody purified by affinity chromatography and then conjugated with AF680 under optimal

conditions

Application Flow Cytometry (FACS), Fluorescence Imaging

**Spectral Properties** 

Conjugate AF680

Excitation Wavelength 681 nm

Emission Wavelength 704 nm

## **Applications**

OKT-4 is an anti-human monoclonal antibody that targets the CD4 antigen. CD4 (also known as T4) is a 55 kD member of the Ig superfamily that is located on the surface of cells such as macrophages. In certain organisms, CD4 positively regulates kinase activity, promotes I-kappaB kinase/NF-kappaB signaling and upregulates transcription, DNA-templated. Additionally, it has been thought to be involved with essential biological processes such as immune response, especially adaptive immune response. CD4 is a member of critical cellular pathways, for

instance, the cytokine-mediated signaling pathway, enzyme linked receptor protein signaling pathway and interleukin-15-mediated signaling pathway. From a research standpoint, it is of biological interest due to its association with key macromolecules/ligands like Lck and IL-16. CD4 is a very popular antibody target, with over 185000 publications in the last decade. CD4 is frequently used in flow cytometry applications as a phenotypic marker for differentiation of cell types, especially in the study of immunology. This antibody was purified through affinity chromatography and conjugated to AF680 (ex/em = 681/704 nm). It is compatible with the 642 nm laser and 702/85 nm bandpass filter (for example, as in the Luminex Amnis ImageStream).