PRODUCT INFORMATION



CB₂ Receptor Polyclonal FITC Antibody

Item No. 10010712

Overview and Properties

Contents:	This vial contains 500 μ l of peptide affinity-purified antibody.
Synonyms:	Cannabinoid Receptor 2, CNR ₂
Immunogen:	Synthetic peptide from the N-terminal region of human CB ₂ receptor
Species Reactivity:	(+) Human; other species not tested
Uniprot No.:	P34972
Form:	Liquid
Storage:	-20°C (as supplied)
Stability:	≥1 year
Storage Buffer:	PBS, pH 7.2, with 50% glycerol and 0.02% sodium azide
Host:	Rabbit
Applications:	Flow cytometry (FC) and immunofluoroescence (IF); the recommended starting dilution
	for FC and IF is 1:40. Other applications were not tested, therefore optimal working
	concentration/dilution should be determined empirically.

Description

The central cannabinoid (CB₂) and peripheral cannabinoid (CB₂) receptors are G protein-coupled receptors (GPCRs) that bind the active component of cannabis, Δ^9 -tetrahydrocannabinol, as well as anandamide which is an endogenous CB receptor ligand. This antibody has been raised against a sequence between the N-terminal and the first transmembrane domain of the protein of the human CB_2 receptor.¹ Conserved amino acids between the CB_1 and CB_2 receptors in this region are minimal.² Human and mouse CB_2 receptors exhibit 82% homology at the amino acid level over the complete protein sequence.² The CB₂ receptor is localized predominantly in peripheral tissues, including the spleen and hemopoietic cells.¹

References

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SAFFTY DATA

This material should be considered hazardous until further information becomes available. Do not ingest, inhale, get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Before use, the user must review the complete Safety Data Sheet, which has been sent via email to your institution.

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