Antibodies	Rat IgG2b, kappa Isotype Control Antibody, Clone RTK4530, Biotin		STENCELL ^M
	Rat monoclonal IgG2b, kappa isotype control antibody, biotin-conjugated		Scientists Helping Scientists [™] WWW.STEMCELL.COM
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Product Description

The RTK4530 antibody (IgG2b, kappa) is suitable for use as an isotype-matched control antibody in several applications to estimate the degree of non-specific binding by an antigen-specific antibody. Ideally, the isotype control should have the same subclass of heavy chain (IgA, IgD, IgE, IgG, or IgM) and light chain (kappa or lambda) as the specific antibody being used. If a conjugated antibody is used, an isotype control conjugated to the same molecule (e.g. fluorochrome) should be chosen. The use of an appropriate isotype control helps confirm the specificity of the antigen-specific antibody and indicates non-specific binding that may result from binding to Fc receptors or other cell components. The RTK4530 antibody recognizes keyhole limpet hemocyanin (KLH) and has unknown binding specificity, having been screened on a variety of activated, resting, live, and fixed tissues from several species, including mouse, rat, human, and non-human primates.

Target Antigen Name:	IgG2b Isotype Control
Alternative Names:	Not applicable
Gene ID:	Not applicable
Species Reactivity:	Not applicable
Host Species:	Rat
Clonality:	Monoclonal
Clone:	RTK4530
Isotype:	lgG2b, kappa
Immunogen:	Trinitrophenol + KLH
Conjugate:	Biotin

Applications

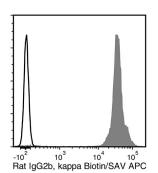
Verified:	FC
Reported:	FC
Special Applications:	This antibody clone has been verified for use as an isotype control antibody for assessing non-specific binding to cells in flow cytometry applications.

Abbreviations: CellSep: Cell separation; ChIP: Chromatin immunoprecipitation; FA: Functional assay; FACS: Fluorescence-activated cell sorting; FC: Flow cytometry; ICC: Immunocytochemistry; IF: Immunofluorescence microscopy; IHC: Immunohistochemistry; IP: Immunoprecipitation; RIA: Radioimmunoassay; WB: Western blotting

Properties	
Formulation:	Phosphate-buffered solution, pH 7.2, containing 0.09% sodium azide
Purification:	The antibody was purified by affinity chromatography and conjugated with biotin under optimal conditions. The solution is free of unconjugated biotin.
Stability and Storage:	Product stable at 2 - 8°C when stored undiluted. Do not freeze. For product expiry date, please contact techsupport@stemcell.com.
Directions for Use:	The suggested use of this antibody is at concentrations comparable to those of the specific antibody of interest.



Data



Flow cytometry analysis of C57BL/6 mouse splenocytes labeled with Rat IgG2b, kappa Isotype Control Antibody, Clone RTK4530, Biotin, followed by streptavidin (SAV) APC (solid line histogram). Filled histogram shows labeling with a rat IgG2b, kappa positive control antibody (Anti-Mouse CD45 Antibody, Clone 30-F11, Biotin; Catalog #60030BT), followed by SAV APC.

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