**BACKGROUND**
Cytotoxic T lymphocyte (CTL)-mediated cytotoxicity constitutes an important component of specific effector mechanisms in immunosurveillance against virus-infected or transformed cells. Two mechanisms appear to account for this activity, one of which is the perforin-based process. Independently, a FAS-based mechanism involves the transducing molecule FAS (also designated Apo-1) and its ligand (FAS-L). The human FAS protein is a cell surface glycoprotein that belongs to a family of receptors that includes CD40, nerve growth factor receptors and tumor necrosis factor receptors. The FAS antigen is expressed on a broad range of lymphoid cell lines, certain of which undergo apoptosis in response to treatment with antibody to FAS. These findings strongly imply that targeted cell death is potentially mediated by the intercellular interactions of FAS with its ligand or effectors, and that FAS may be critically involved in CTL-mediated cytotoxicity.

**REFERENCES**

**CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**
Genetic locus: Fast (mouse) mapping to 1 H2.1.

**SOURCE**
FAS-L (Kay-10) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against C57BL/6 mouse FAS-L cDNA-transfected L5178Y mouse T lymphoma.

**PRODUCT**
Each vial contains 200 µg IgG2b kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin. Also available azide-free for blocking of FAS-L action, sc-19988 L, 200 µg/0.1 ml.
FAS-L (Kay-10) is available conjugated to either phycoerythrin (sc-19988 PE) or fluorescein (sc-19988 FITC), 200 µg/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM.

**APPLICATIONS**
FAS-L (Kay-10) is recommended for detection of FAS-L of mouse origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 µg per 100-500 µg of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)], immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500), immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and flow cytometry (1 µg per 1 x 10⁶ cells). Suitable for use as control antibody for FAS-L siRNA (m): sc-35358, FAS-L shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-35358-SH and FAS-L shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-35358-V.

Molecular Weight of soluble FAS-L: 26 kDa.
Molecular Weight of FAS-L membrane: 40 kDa.

**STORAGE**
Store at 4° C. **DO NOT FREEZE**. Stable for one year from the date of shipment. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

**DATA**

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**RESEARCH USE**
For research use only, not for use in diagnostic procedures.

**PROTOCOLS**
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