# H2-I/Eκ (5K42): sc-71204



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# **BACKGROUND**

Major histocompatibility complex (MHC) molecules, which include human leukocyte antigens (HLAs), form an integral part of the immune response system. They are cell-surface receptors that bind foreign peptides and present them to cytotoxic T lymphocytes (CTLs). MHC class I molecules consist of two polypeptide chains, an  $\alpha$  or heavy chain and a non-covalently associated protein,  $\beta 2$ -microglobulin. MHC class II molecules consist of a non-covalent complex of an  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  chain. The differential structural properties of MHC class I and class II molecules account for their respective roles in activating different populations of T lymphocytes. H2-E is an MHC class II molecule and the mouse homolog of human HLA-DR.

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# **SOURCE**

H2-I/E $\kappa$  (5K42) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against C3H skin graft and splenocytes of mouse origin.

#### **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 100  $\mu g$   $lgG_{2a}$  in 1.0 ml of PBS with <0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

 $H2-I/E\kappa$  (5K42) is available conjugated phycoerythrin (sc-71204 PE, 100 tests in 2 mI), for IF, IHC(P) and FCM.

# **APPLICATIONS**

H2-I/E $\kappa$  (5K42) is recommended for detection of H2-I/E $\kappa$  alloantigen on cells of the H-2r haplotype of mouse origin by flow cytometry (1 μg per 1 x 10<sup>6</sup> cells); non cross-reactive with H2-d and H2-p haplotypes.

# **STORAGE**

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

# **RESEARCH USE**

For research use only, not for use in diagnostic procedures.

# **PROTOCOLS**

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