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# **Product Information**

## Rabbit Anti-Rat IgG (H+L), Whole Antibody, Highly Cross-Adsorbed (min x Hu), CF® Dye Conjugates

CF® Dye	Ex/Em	Catalog No.	Size
CF®488A	490/515 nm	20025-1	50 uL
		20025	500 uL
		20025-1mg	1 mg (lyophilized)
CF®568	562/583 nm	20094-1	50 uL
		20094	500 uL
		20094-1mg	1 mg (lyophilized)
CF®594	593/614 nm	20157-1	50 uL
		20157	500 uL
		20157-1mg	1 mg (lyophilized)
CF®633	630/650 nm	20135-1	50 uL
		20135	500 uL
		20135-1mg	1 mg (lyophilized)
CF®640R	642/662 nm	20201-1	50 uL
		20201	500 uL
		20201-1mg	1 mg (lyophilized)

Hu: human

#### Concentration

Liquid format: 2 mg/mL in pH  $\sim$ 7.4 PBS containing 50% glycerol, 2 mg/ml bovine serum albumin (lgG-free and protease-free) and 0.05% sodium azide.

Lyophilized format (after reconstitution): 2 mg/mL in pH ~7.4 PBS containing 15 mg/mL bovine serum albumin (IgG-free and protease-free) and 20 mg/mL trehalose.

#### Storage and Handling

Store at -20°C, protected from light. Product is stable for at least 6 months from date of receipt when stored as recommended. Liquid format antibodies contain 50% glycerol and will not freeze at -20°C.

Reconstitution (lyophilized format only): add 0.5 mL dH<sub>2</sub>O and mix gently to dissolve. Store at -20°C, protected from light. Aliquot to avoid freeze-thaw cycles. Alternatively, glycerol can be added to the antibody so that it will not freeze at -20°C: add 0.25 mL dH<sub>2</sub>O to the lyophilized antibody and mix gently to dissolve, then add 0.25 mL glycerol and mix well. Optional: a preservative may be added, such as 0.05% (final concentration) sodium azide.

Note: storage of the antibody for more than a day at final working dilution is not recommended.

#### Product Description

Rabbit anti-rat IgG (H+L), whole antibody, highly cross-adsorbed is an affinity purified rabbit antibody that recognizes rat IgG. This antibody is highly-cross adsorbed for multiple labeling, and has minimal cross-reactivity with human serum proteins.

CF® dyes are superior to Alexa Fluor®, DyLight®, and Cy® dyes for antibody labeling by having combined advantages in brightness, photostability, specificity and novel features ideal for in vivo imaging. For more information about CF® dyes, download our CF® Dye Selection Guide at www.biotium.com.

#### **Recommended Dilution Range**

Fluorescence microscopy: 1-2 ug/mL Flow cytometry: 1 ug/10<sup>6</sup> cells Near-infrared western detection: 50-100 ng/mL

These concentrations are provided as a starting point for optimization; appropriate dilutions should be determined empirically. Generally IgG conjugates are used in the range of 1-10 ug/mL.

For more detailed protocols for immunofluorescence staining for fluorescence microscopy, flow cytometry, or fluorescence-based western detection, please visit our website.

### **Related Products**

Cat. No.	Product Name	Features	
23001	EverBrite™ Mounting Medium	Excellent protection from photobleaching     Compatible with a window prior to global and the protection of the prior	
23002	EverBrite™ Mounting Medium with DAPI		
23003	EverBrite™ Hardset Mounting Medium	Compatible with a wide variety of dyes including cyanine dyes     Available in wet-set or hardset formulations	
23004	EverBrite™ Hardset Mounting Medium with DAPI	With or without DAPI	
23005	CoverGrip™ Coverslip Sealant	<ul> <li>Replaces nail polish for coverslip sealing</li> <li>Won't mix with aqueous mounting media</li> </ul>	
23007	TrueBlack™ Lipofuscin Autofluorescence Quencher	<ul> <li>Eliminates lipofuscin autofluorescence with less background than Sudan Black B</li> <li>Reduces background from other sources</li> <li>Can be used before or after IF staining</li> </ul>	
40061	RedDot™2 Far Red Nuclear Counterstain	Far-red nuclear dye for the Cy®5 channel     More specific than Draq®7	
22005	Mini Super <sup>н⊤</sup> Pap Pen 2.5 mm tip, ~400 uses	<ul> <li>Create hydrophobic barriers around tissue sections</li> <li>Heat-stable to 120°C</li> <li>Insoluble in aqueous buffers, detergents, alcohol and acetone; can be removed with xylene</li> </ul>	
22006	Super <sup>HT</sup> Pap Pen 4 mm tip, ~800 uses		
22003	Mini-Cell Scrapers	Collect cells from 96-well to 24-well plates     Polypropylene, sterile, disposable	
23006	Flow Cytometry Fixation/Permeabilization Kit	Ready-to-use fix/perm buffers for intracellular staining	
22015	Fixation Buffer	Convenient buffers and blocking agents for immunofluorescence or western	
22016	Permeabilization Buffer		
22017	Permeabilization and Blocking Buffer		
22010	10X Fish Gelatin Blocking Agent		
22011	Fish Gelatin Powder		
22014	30% Bovine Serum Albumin Solution		
22002	Tween®-20		

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