



Mab to M13, fd, F1 Filamentous Phages

Clone Determination	B62-FE2
Category	Mouse monoclonal
Immunoglobulin Class	IgG _{2b}
Purification	Protein A affinity chromatography
Antigen Used for Immunization	fd phages from E. coli F ⁺ strain (JM109)
Specificity	B62-FE2 binds to an epitope on pVIII (phage coat protein) covering the N-terminal region of g8p AEGDDPAKAAFDSLQASAT (cf. Kneissel et al.)
Application	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Phage display (immunoassay for identification of recombinant antigen- or antibody-phages) Detection limit: 10⁷ phage particles• Immunoblotting• Immunoelectron microscopy
Working Dilution	1:50 000 for ELISA
Stability/Storage	Store at 2-8°C; after reconstitution use immediately. For prolonged storage of reconstituted antibody solution we strongly recommend addition of a stabilizing protein (e.g. 0.5% BSA) and a preservative (e.g. thimerosal or sodium azide); aliquots should be kept at -20°C. Avoid repeated thawing and freezing. Important note: antibody shows a tendency to precipitate at neutral pH.
Reconstitution	Reconstitute in 0.1 ml dist. water (final solution contains 10 mM Tris-HCl buffer, pH 8.0, 300 mM NaCl); antibody concentration after reconstitution is c = 5 mg/ml
Quantity	500 µg (lyoph.)

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