

CD68 Mouse Monoclonal Antibody (6F3)

Catalog No.: RA10243

Basic Information

Information

Reactivity	H,M,R
Immunogen	Synthetic Peptide
Host	Mouse
Isotype	IgG1
Storage Buffer & Condition	1mg/ml in PBS, pH 7.4, containing 0.02% sodium azide and 50% glycerol.
Observed MW	37KD

Applications

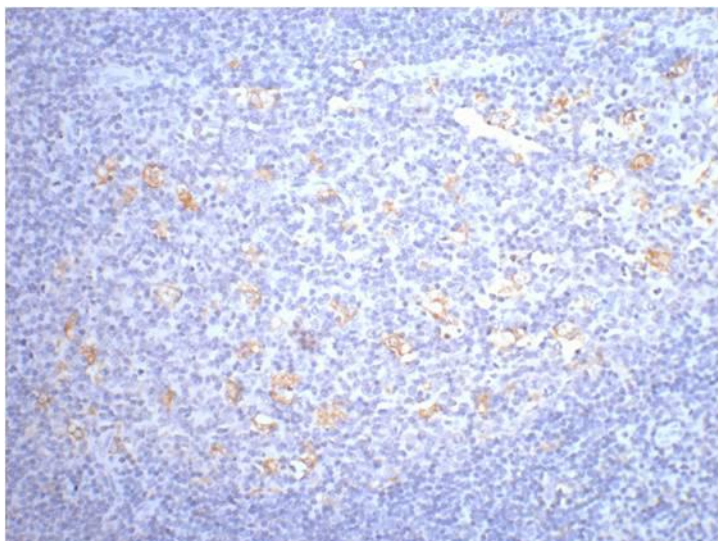
Recommended Dilution

IHC	1:100-200
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Preparation & Storage

Storage	Store at -20°C. Stable for one year from the date of shipment.
Shipping	Bule Ice

Experimental Data



IHC staining of human tonsil tissue with CD68 mouse mAb diluted at 1:200.

Background

The CD68 antigen is a 37kD transmembrane protein that is post-translationally glycosylated to give a protein of 87-115kD. CD68 is specifically expressed by tissue macrophages, Langerhans cells and at low levels by dendritic cells. It could play a role in phagocytic activities of tissue macrophages, both in intracellular lysosomal metabolism and extracellular cell-cell and cell-pathogen interactions. It binds to tissue- and organ-specific lectins or selectins, allowing homing of macrophage subsets to particular sites. Rapid recirculation of CD68 from endosomes and lysosomes to the plasma membrane may allow macrophages to crawl over selectin bearing substrates or other cells.