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# Anti-MR1 Antibody

Catalog Number: A00618-1

## About MR1

Major histocompatibility complex class I-related gene protein is a protein that in humans is encoded by the MR1 gene. MAIT (mucosal-associated invariant T-cells) lymphocytes represent a small population of T-cells primarily found in the gut. The protein encoded by this gene is an antigenpresenting molecule that presents metabolites of microbial vitamin B to MAITs. This presentation may activate the MAITs to regulate the amounts of specific types of bacteria in the gut. Several transcript variants encoding different isoforms have been found for this gene, and a pseudogene of it has been detected about 36 kbp upstream on the same chromosome.

#### Overview

Product Name	Anti-MR1 Antibody
Reactive Species	Human, Mouse, Rat
Description	Boster Bio Anti-MR1 Antibody catalog # A00618-1. Tested in ELISA, Flow Cytometry, WB applications. This antibody reacts with Human, Mouse, Rat.
Application	ELISA, Flow Cytometry, WB
Clonality	Polyclonal
Formulation	Each vial contains 4mg Trehalose, 0.9mg NaCl, 0.2mg Na2HPO4, 0.05mg NaN3.
Storage Instructions	Store at -20°C for one year from date of receipt. After reconstitution, at 4°C for one month. It can also be aliquotted and stored frozen at -20°C for six months. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.
Host	Rabbit
Uniprot ID	Q95460

## **Technical Details**

Immunogen	E.coli-derived human MR1 recombinant protein (Position: R23-D269).
Predicted Reactive Species	Human
Recommended Detection Systems	Boster recommends Enhanced Chemiluminescent Kit with anti-Rabbit IgG (EK1002) for Western blot.
Cross Reactivity	No cross-reactivity with other proteins.
Isotype	Rabbit IgG
Form	Lyophilized
Concentration	Adding 0.2 ml of distilled water will yield a concentration of 500 ug/ml.



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Purification	Immunogen affinity purified.
Suggested Dilutions	Dilute the sample so that the expected range of concentrations fall within the detection range of this kit. If the expected range of concentration is unknown, a pilot test should be conducted to decide the optimal dilution ratio for your samples. Some PubMed article(s) citing the expression level of this target are as follows: Boster Bio's internal QC testing used: Western blot, 0.1-0.5ug/ml Flow Cytometry, 1-3ug/1x10 <sup>6</sup> cells Direct ELISA, 0.1-0.5ug/ml



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#### Anti-MR1 Antibody (A00618-1) Images

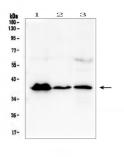


Figure 1. Western blot analysis of MR1 using anti-MR1 antibody (A00618-1).

Electrophoresis was performed on a 5-20% SDS-PAGE gel at 70V (Stacking gel) / 90V (Resolving gel) for 2-3 hours. The sample well of each lane was loaded with 50ug of sample under reducing conditions.

Lane 1: human T-47D whole cell lysates, Lane 2: human U-937 whole cell lysates, Lane 3: human A431 whole cell lysates.

After Electrophoresis, proteins were transferred to a Nitrocellulose membrane at 150mA for 50-90 minutes. Blocked the membrane with 5% Non-fat Milk/ TBS for 1.5 hour at RT. The membrane was incubated with rabbit anti-MR1 antigen affinity purified polyclonal antibody (Catalog # A00618-1) at 0.5 ug/mL overnight at 4°C, then washed with TBS-0.1%Tween 3 times with 5 minutes each and probed with a goat anti-rabbit IgG-HRP secondary antibody at a dilution of 1:10000 for 1.5 hour at RT. The signal is developed using an Enhanced Chemiluminescent detection (ECL) kit (Catalog # EK1002) with Tanon 5200 system. A specific band was detected for MR1 at approximately 40KD. The expected band size for MR1 is at 43KD.

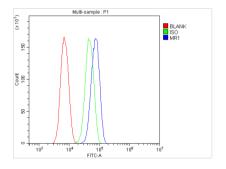


Figure 2. Flow Cytometry analysis of SiHa cells using anti-MR1 antibody (A00618-1).

Overlay histogram showing SiHa cells stained with A00618-1 (Blue line).The cells were blocked with 10% normal goat serum. And then incubated with rabbit anti-MR1 Antibody (A00618-1,1ug/1x106 cells) for 30 min at 20°C. DyLight®488 conjugated goat anti-rabbit IgG (BA1127, 5-10ug/1x106 cells) was used as secondary antibody for 30 minutes at 20°C. Isotype control antibody (Green line) was rabbit IgG (1ug/1x106) used under the same conditions. Unlabelled sample (Red line) was also used as a control.

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