### **Technical Data Sheet**

# PE Mouse Anti-Human CD138

#### **Product Information**

**Material Number:** 552026

Syndecan; SDC; Syndecan 1; SDC1; SYND1 Alternate Name:

Size: 100 Tests Vol. per Test: 20 μl Clone: MI15

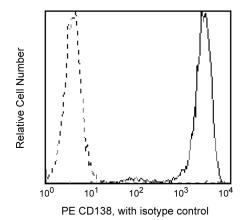
Mouse (BALB/c) IgG1, κ Isotype: QC Testing: Human Reactivity: Workshop: VI BP100, B005

Storage Buffer: Aqueous buffered solution containing BSA and ≤0.09% sodium azide.

#### Description

The MI15 monoclonal antibody specifically binds to CD138 (Syndecan-1), an 85-92 kDa single chain transmembrane protein, which is strongly expressed on multiple-myeloma-derived cell lines and malignant plasma cell populations. It is also expressed on pre-B cells, immature B cells, and plasma cells, but not on mature circulating B-lymphocytes. Syndecan-1 is a member of the transmembrane heparan sulfate proteoglycans family. It is also expressed on some non-hematopoietic cells, including embryonic mesenchymal cells, vascular smooth muscle cells, endothelial and neural cells. CD138 binds to many extracellular matrix proteins through its heparan sulfate side-chains, like fibronectin, collagen types I, III, and V, tenascin, thrombospondin, and antithrombin III. It is considered an extracellular matrix receptor that may serve as a co-receptor for fibroblast growth factor and related molecules. Monoclonal antibody MI15 blocks the binding of clone B-B4 but not clone DL-101 (other anti-syndecan-1 antibodies) by flow cytometric analysis.

This antibody is routinely tested by flow cytometric analysis. Other applications were tested at BD Biosciences Pharmingen during antibody development only or reported in the literature.



Profile of U266 cell line analyzed by flow cytometry

## **Preparation and Storage**

The monoclonal antibody was purified from tissue culture supernatant or ascites by affinity chromatography.

The antibody was conjugated with R-PE under optimum conditions, and unconjugated antibody and free PE were removed.

Store undiluted at 4°C and protected from prolonged exposure to light. Do not freeze.

## **Application Notes**

Application

Flow cytometry Routinely Tested

## **Suggested Companion Products**

Catalog Number Clone Size 555749 PE Mouse IgG1, κ Isotype Control 100 Tests MOPC-21

### **Product Notices**

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- 1. This reagent has been pre-diluted for use at the recommended Volume per Test. We typically use  $1 \times 10^6$  cells in a 100- $\mu$ l experimental sample (a test).
- 2. Since applications vary, each investigator should titrate the reagent to obtain optimal results.
- 3. Please refer to www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/protocols for technical protocols.
- 4. For fluorochrome spectra and suitable instrument settings, please refer to our Multicolor Flow Cytometry web page at www.bdbiosciences.com/colors.
- 5. Caution: Sodium azide yields highly toxic hydrazoic acid under acidic conditions. Dilute azide compounds in running water before discarding to avoid accumulation of potentially explosive deposits in plumbing.
- 6. Source of all serum proteins is from USDA inspected abattoirs located in the United States.

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