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## Recombinant 2B4/CD244 Monoclonal Antibody

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Note: Centrifuge before opening to ensure complete recovery of vial contents.

## Description

Reactivity Human

Immunogen Recombinant Human 2B4 / CD244 protein

HostRabbitIsotypeIgGClone6H3PurificationProtein A

**Buffer** 0.2 μm filtered solution in PBS

**Applications** Recommended Dilution

**WB** 1:500-1:2000

**IP** 1-4  $\mu$ L/mg of lysate

## **Preparation & Storage**

Storage This antibody can be stored at 2°C-8°C for one month without detectable loss of

activity. Antibody products are stable for twelve months from date of receipt when stored at -20°C to -80°C. Preservative-Free. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

Shipping Ice bag

## Background

CD244, known as 2B4, is a 38 kD type I transmembrane protein. It is a member of the CD2 subset of the immunoglobulin superfamily (IgSF) molecules. CD244 is expressed on NK cells, a subset of T cells (including most CD8+ T cells and  $\gamma/\delta$  T cells), monocytes, basophils, and eosinophils. CD48 is the ligand of CD244. It has been reported that ligation of human CD244 results in enhanced NK cell cytotoxicity and cytokine production. Recent studies have shown that human CD244, like murine CD244, has both activating and inhibitory functions, which are dependent on the density of surface 2B4 expression, degree of ligation, and the level of the adaptor molecule SAP expression.