

Product datasheet for **AM26771FC-N**

CD56 Mouse Monoclonal Antibody [Clone ID: LT56]

Product data:

Product Type:	Primary Antibodies
Clone Name:	LT56
Applications:	FC
Recommended Dilution:	Flow Cytometry analysis of human blood cells using 4 µl reagent / 100 µl of whole blood or 10 ⁶ cells in a suspension. The content of a vial (0.4 ml) is sufficient for 100 tests.
Reactivity:	Human
Host:	Mouse
Isotype:	IgG2a
Clonality:	Monoclonal
Immunogen:	Cell line KG1a
Specificity:	This antibody recognizes CD56 (NCAM), a transmembrane glycoprotein expressed ubiquitously in the nervous system and found also on T cells and NK cells.
Formulation:	Phosphate buffered saline (PBS) Label: FITC State: Liquid purified Ig fraction Stabilizer: 0.2% (w/v) high-grade protease free Bovine Serum Albumin (BSA) Preservative: 15 mM sodium azide Label: Conjugated with Fluorescein isothiocyanate (FITC) under optimum conditions. The reagent is free of unconjugated FITC and adjusted for direct use.
Conjugation:	FITC
Storage:	Store the antibody at 2-8°C. DO NOT FREEZE! This product is photosensitive and should be protected from light.
Stability:	Shelf life: one year from despatch.
Gene Name:	neural cell adhesion molecule 1
Database Link:	Entrez Gene 4684 Human P13591



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Background:	CD56 (NCAM, neural cell adhesion molecule) is a transmembrane glycoprotein of immunoglobulin family serving as adhesive molecule which is ubiquitously expressed in nervous system, usually as 120 kDa, 140 kDa or 180 kDa isoform, and it is also found on T cells and NK cells. Polysialic modification results in reduction of CD56-mediated cell adhesion and is involved in cell migration, axonal growth, pathfinding and synaptic plasticity. CD56 is a widely used neuroendocrine marker with a high sensitivity for neuroendocrine tumours and ovarian granulosa cell tumours.
Synonyms:	NCAM-1, N-CAM-1, NCAM
Protein Families:	Druggable Genome, ES Cell Differentiation/IPS, Transmembrane
Protein Pathways:	Cell adhesion molecules (CAMs), Prion diseases