

Product datasheet for **SM1009R**

Human Lambda Light Chain Mouse Monoclonal Antibody [Clone ID: Mc24-IC6]

Product data:

Product Type:	Primary Antibodies
Clone Name:	Mc24-IC6
Applications:	FC
Recommended Dilution:	Flow cytometry.
Reactivity:	Human
Host:	Mouse
Isotype:	IgG1
Clonality:	Monoclonal
Immunogen:	Purified human IgG. Spleen cells from immunised BALB/c mice were fused with cells of the mouse NS1 myeloma cell line.
Specificity:	This antibody recognises lambda light chains, and shows no cross- reactivity to kappa light chains or to immunoglobulin heavy chains.
Formulation:	PBS, pH7.4 containing 0.09% Sodium Azide and 1% Bovine Serum Albumin Label: PE State: Lyophilized purified IgG Label: R. Phycoerythrin (RPE)
Reconstitution Method:	Restore with 1 ml distilled water
Purification:	Affinity chromatography on Protein A
Conjugation:	PE
Storage:	Prior to and following reconstitution 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.



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Background:

All five immunoglobulin classes share the same basic four polypeptide chain structure of two heavy-chains and two light chains. There are five heavy chain types, and two light-chain types (Kappa and Lambda) both having a molecular weight of 22.5kDa. Any heavy-chain type can associate with either light-chain type, but on any immunoglobulin molecule both light-chains are of the same type. Kappa and Lambda consist of a variable region and a constant region and can easily be differentiated by the antigenic properties of the constant region. The ratio of Kappa to Lambda is 70:30, the vast majority of which is bound to heavy-chain in immunoglobulin. In normal individuals low levels of free light-chain are present in serum (kappa, 1.6-15.2 mg/L; Lambda, 0.4-4.2mg/L), with the occurrence of multiple myeloma or other B-cell malignancies these levels can be greatly elevated and can be found at high levels in the urine (Bence-Jones proteins).