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**Biotinylated Monoclonal Antibody To Human MRP14  
S100A9, Calgranulin B - Subpopulation Of Inflammatory Leukocytes**

Monoclonal antibody S32.2 identifies the Ca<sup>2+</sup>-binding 14kD subunit of the inflammatory L-1 protein complex, also called S100A9 or Calgranulin B. It is useful for the characterization of circulating granulocytes or inflammatory infiltrates of the myelo-monocytic lineage which express MRP14 differently depending on the inflammatory status of the disease.

*This antibody was produced serum-free, without fetal calf serum.*

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**Product number: T-1029**

**Clone: S32.2**

**Lot: 04PB1427**

**TECHNICAL AND ANALYTICAL CHARACTERISTICS:**

**Host species, isotype:** Mouse IgG1

**Quantity:** 100µg

**Format:** Affinity purified from cell culture supernatant, biotinylated, lyophilized.  
Reconstitute by adding 0.5ml distilled water. This stock solution contains 0.2mg/ml IgG, phosphate buffered saline pH 7.2 (PBS), 5mg/ml bovine serum albumin (BSA) as a stabilizer and 0.05% (v/v) Kathon CG as a preservative.

**Stability:** Original vial: 1 year at 4° - 8°C. Stock solution or aliquots thereof: 1 year at -20°C. Avoid repeated thawing and freezing.

**Applications:** Each lot of this antibody has been tested and validated for immunohistochemistry and ELISA; has also been described to work in FACS and dot blots.

**Approximate working dilution for IHC:**

Frozen sections: 0.25µg/ml (1:800)

Paraffin sections: 2µg/ml (1:100); no pretreatment for antigen retrieval necessary.

Optimal dilutions should be determined by the end user.

Suggested positive control: Human tonsil.

Please see [www.bma.ch](http://www.bma.ch) for protocols and general information.

**Immunogen:** Cultured human monocytes.

**Antigen, epitope:** The antigen is MRP14, the epitope is suspected in the carboxyterminal portion of the peptide.

<b>Antigen distribution:</b>	<p><b>Isolated cells:</b> The antigen is found in granulocytes and monocytes. It is absent from all other blood cells. In cultured monocytes, maximum MRP14 expression is found after 3 - 4 days. Myeloid leukaemia cells have been found to be positive as well.</p> <p><b>Tissue sections:</b> MRP14 is found in a distinct subpopulation of inflammatory perivascular infiltrates of the myelo-monocytic lineage. Macrophages synthesise MRP14 increasingly during the early stages of inflammation. A high MRP14 (and low MRP8) expression by macrophages was reported in granulomatous diseases such as tuberculosis and sarcoidis. In non-granulomatous chronic inflammatory diseases like chronic rheumatoid arthritis, MRP8 and MRP14 positive cells consist of different subpopulations. During early inflammation endothelial cells are also positive with MRP8/14 determined by antibody 27E10 (product T-1023).</p>
<b>Specificity:</b>	<p><b>Human:</b> MRP14, granulocytes, stimulated monocytes and macrophages.</p> <p><b>Other:</b> does not react with bovine and swine spleen</p>

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For *in vitro* research only. This product contains Kathon as a preservative.