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## **Monoclonal Antibody To Mouse Myeloid Precursor Cells Cytoplasmic Antigen In Early Stage Myeloid Precursor Cells**

Monoclonal antibody ER-MP54 is a general marker for detecting myeloid precursor cells in the bone marrow. The antigen is detected on a range of macrophage precursor cells up to the monoblast level.

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<b>Product Number:</b>	T-2003 (Lot 03PO9302)
<b>Clone:</b>	ER-MP54
<b>Host species, isotype:</b>	Rat IgG1
<b>Quantity:</b>	100µg
<b>Format:</b>	Affinity purified, lyophilized
	Reconstitute by adding 0.5ml distilled water. This stock solution contains 0.2mg/ml IgG, phosphate buffered saline pH 7.2 (PBS), 10mg/ml bovine serum albumin (BSA) as a stabilizer and 0.01% thimerosal as a preservative.
<b>Stability:</b>	Original vial: 1 year at 4° - 8°C Stock solution or aliquots thereof: 1 year at -20°C. Avoid repeated thawing and freezing.
<b>Applications:</b>	Tested for immunohistochemistry (IHC) ; has been described to work in FACS. <b>Approximate working dilution for IHC:</b> Frozen sections: 1µg/ml (1:200) Paraffin sections: does not react on routinely processed paraffin sections. Optimal dilutions should be determined by the end user. Suggested positive control: Mouse spleen. Please see <a href="http://www.bma.ch">www.bma.ch</a> for protocols and general information.
<b>Immunogen:</b>	Mouse macrophage precursor cells.
<b>Antigen, epitope:</b>	Multiple antigens were precipitated by ER-MP54 under reducing and non-reducing conditions: Major bands could be detected at 90, 85-80 and 75-70 kDa, at lower amounts at 45kDa and less frequently at 27 and 12 kDa.

**Antigen distribution:**

**Isolated cells:** The antigen is present on bone marrow myeloid cells up to monoblasts where the antigen is localized in the cytoplasm. Under specific experimental *in vitro* conditions, treatment by glucocorticoids, the antigen can also be detected on the cell surface.

**Tissue sections:** The antigen can be detected in bone marrow plugs and some clusters of red pulp in spleen.

**Specificity:**

**Mouse:** Myeloid precursors up to monoblasts, cytoplasmatic antigen

**Other species:** unknown

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