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# Mouse Anti-Mouse Bax

| Cat. No. | Format          |
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| 10050-01 | Purified (UNLB) |

#### **Overview**

| Clone             | 5B7  |
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| Isotype           | Mouse IgG <sub>1</sub> κ                           |
| Immunogen         | Murine Bax peptide (a.a. 3-16)                     |
| Specificity       | Mouse Bax  |
| Alternate Name(s) | Apoptosis regulator BAX, BCL2 associated X protein |

### Description

Bax is a 20-22 kDa member of the Bcl-2 family of proteins involved in regulation of programmed cell death, or apoptosis. In murine thymocytes it is expressed primarily as a cytoplasmic protein. Over-expression of Bax promotes apoptosis by formation of homodimers and through heterodimerization with Bcl-2, an inhibitor of apoptosis. The monoclonal antibody 5B7 recognizes both native and activated forms of Bax as well as Bax-Bcl-2 and Bax-Bcl-x<sub>L</sub> heterodimers.

Size 0.1 mg

#### **Applications**

| WB – Quality tested <sup>1-3,5</sup>               |
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| IP – Reported in literature <sup>1,3,5</sup>       |
| FC – Reported in literature <sup>4</sup>           |
| ICC – Reported in literature <sup>4</sup>          |
| Purification – Reported in literature <sup>5</sup> |

## **Working Dilutions**

| Immunoblotting     | Purified (UNLB) antibody   | ≤ 2 μg/mL |
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| Other Applications | Since applications vary, you should determine the optimum working dilution for the product that is appropriate for your specific need. |           |

# Handling and Storage

- The purified (UNLB) antibody is supplied as 0.1 mg of purified immunoglobulin in 1.0 mL of borate buffered saline, pH 8.2. No preservatives or amine-containing buffer salts added. Store at 2-8°C.
- Reagent is stable for the period shown on the label if stored as directed.

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