

# Technical Data Sheet

## InVivoMAb anti-mouse CD28



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### Lot Specific Information

**Lot Number:** Lot Specific\*  
**Volume:** Lot Specific\*  
**Concentration:** Lot Specific\* (generally 4 to 11 mg/ml) \*  
**Total Protein:** Lot Specific\*

\*This information will be noted on the certificate of analysis that ships with this product.

**Product Website Link:** <https://bioxcell.com/invivomab-anti-mouse-cd28-be0500>

### Product Information

**Catalog Number:** BE0500  
**Clone:** E18  
**Isotype:** Mouse IgG2b,  $\kappa$   
**Recommended Isotype Control(s):** InVivoMAb mouse IgG2b isotype control, unknown specificity  
**Recommended Dilution Buffer:** InVivoPure pH 7.0 Dilution Buffer  
**Immunogen:** A20 cells expressing mCD28 and recombinant mCD28-Ig  
**Reported Applications:** *in vivo* blocking of CD28-B7 signaling  
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*in vitro* T cell co-stimulation with anti-CD3  
*in vitro* Organoids/Organ-on-Chip  
*in vitro* functional assay  
Flow cytometry  
**Formulation:** PBS, pH 7.0  
Contains no stabilizers or preservatives  
**Endotoxin:**  $\leq 1\text{EU/mg}$  ( $\leq 0.001\text{EU}/\mu\text{g}$ )  
Determined by LAL assay  
**Purity:**  $\geq 95\%$   
Determined by SDS-PAGE  
**Sterility:** 0.2  $\mu\text{m}$  filtration  
**Production:** Purified from cell culture supernatant in an animal-free facility  
**Purification:** Protein G  
**RRID:**  
**Molecular Weight:** 150 kDa

### Description

The E18 monoclonal antibody reacts with mouse T-cell-specific surface glycoprotein CD28 (mCD28), a co-stimulatory receptor and member of the Ig superfamily. CD28 is expressed by thymocytes, most peripheral T cells, and subsets of NK cells. CD28 is a receptor for B7 molecules: CD80 (B7-1) and CD86 (B7-2). Signaling through CD28 augments IL-2 and IL-2 receptor expression as well as cytotoxicity of CD3-activated T cells. In the presence of TCR/CD3 engagement and CD40L-mediated co-stimulation, CD28 enhances IL-4 and IL-10 production in T cells. In preclinical research, targeting mouse CD28 with functional-grade antibodies enables precise modulation of the CD28 co-stimulatory pathway, which is essential for T cell activation, survival, and prevention of anergy. The conventional anti-mouse CD28 antibodies such as E18 and 37.51 are B7-binding site-specific antagonistic antibodies that inhibit CD28 interactions with their natural/cognate ligands, CD80 or CD86, while paradoxically co-stimulating T cells *in vitro* (i.e., with anti-CD3, it boosts TCR-driven activation). Unlike 37.51, the E18 antibody completely blocks CD28 ligation by B7 molecules. Under *in vivo* conditions, the E18 antibody is reported to inhibit CD28 signaling, reduce Treg frequencies, and prevent GVHD or suppress T-cell responses to superantigens, offering dual

utility for studying immune regulation and autoimmune disease models.

## Storage

Store at the stock concentration at 4°C . **Do not freeze.**

It is not uncommon for a floccule or precipitate to appear during storage. The floccule is typically buffer salts precipitating out of solution or a small bit of protein aggregation. For information on how to remove floccules or precipitates see our FAQ's at <https://bioxcell.com/faqs>.

## Protocol Information

Since applications vary, each investigator should use the application references as a guide to help estimate the appropriate dose or concentration. The dose or concentration can be further optimized experimentally in a dose response or titration experiment.

## Application References

For a complete list of references, visit [https://bioxcell.com/invivomab-anti-mouse-cd28-be0500?utm\\_source=cr9k1b#tab\\_references](https://bioxcell.com/invivomab-anti-mouse-cd28-be0500?utm_source=cr9k1b#tab_references) or scan the QR code below.



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