



# Mouse Anti-Vero Toxin/Shiga Toxin subunit A Monoclonal antibody, clone WF12 (CABT- CS105)

This product is for research use only and is not intended for diagnostic use.

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

Specificity	Reacts with subunit A of VT1, VT2 and Stx.
Target	Vero Toxin/Shiga Toxin subunit A
Immunogen	Culture supernatant of E. coli O111 ( EHEC strain)
Isotype	IgG1
Source/Host	Mouse
Species Reactivity	E. coli
Clone	WF12
Purification	Affinity-purified with Protein A
Conjugate	unconjugated
Applications	WB, ELISA, IC
Format	Liquid
Concentration	1 mg/mL
Size	100 µg
Buffer	PBS, 50% glycerol
Preservative	None

**Storage**

Ship at 4°C and store at -20°C. Do not freeze.

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## BACKGROUND

**Introduction**

Vero toxin (VT) is produced by Enterohaemorrhagic strains of *Escherichia coli* (*E. coli*, VTEC, EHEC) and has lethal activity to Vero cells. EHEC strains produce either one or both of the VT1 and VT2. Both VT1 and VT2 consist of one subunit A and five copies of subunit B. The primary structure of VT1 is identical or nearly identical to Shiga toxin (Stx) produced by *Shigella dysenteriae* serotype 1 and also called Slt 1 (Shiga-like toxin 1). Subunit A causes inhibition of protein synthesis and subsequent cell death, whereas subunit B is presumed to bind specifically to the Vero cell-surface receptor and mediate uptake of the toxins. Some *E. coli* strains produce both Slt1 and Slt2, and they share sequence identity of 55 %, but they are immunologically distinct.

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**Keywords**

Verotoxin; Stx A; Shiga Toxin; Stx; Vero toxin

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