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anti-CD8 antibody (PE)





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Quantity:	100 tests
Target:	CD8
Reactivity:	Human
Host:	Mouse
Clonality:	Monoclonal
Conjugate:	This CD8 antibody is conjugated to PE
Application:	Flow Cytometry (FACS)

Product Details

Immunogen:	Crude thymus membrane fraction.
Clone:	MEM-31
Isotype:	lgG2a
Specificity:	The antibody MEM-31 recognizes a conformationally-dependent extracellular epitope of CD8, a cell surface glycoprotein found on most cytotoxic T lymphocytes that mediates efficient cell-cell interactions within the immune system. CD8 is a disulfide-linked dimer and exists as a CD8 alpha/alpha homodimer or CD8 alpha/beta heterodimer (each monomer approx. 32-34 kDa). The antibody does not react with formaldehyde-fixed cells, negative in Western blotting application.
Cross-Reactivity (Details):	Human
Purification:	Purified antibody is conjugated with R-phycoerythrin (PE) under optimum conditions. Unconjugated antibody and free fluorochrome are removed by size-exclusion chromatography.

Target Details

Target:	CD8
Alternative Name:	CD8 (CD8 Products)
Background:	The CD8 T cell coreceptor (monomer approx. 32-34 kDa) is expressed as alpha/beta heterodimer on majority of MHC I-restricted conventional T cells and thymocytes and as alpha/alpha homodimer on subsets of memory T cells, intraepithelial lymphocytes, NK cells and dendritic cells. Regulation of CD8 beta level on T cell surface seems to be an important mechanism to control their effector function. Assembly of CD8 alpha-beta but not alpha-alpha dimers is connected with formation or localization to the lipid rafts. Recruiting triggered TCR complexes to these membrane microdomains as well as affinity of TCR to MHC I is modulated by CD8, thereby affecting the functional diversity of the TCR signaling.,p32, LEU2
Application Details	
Application Notes:	Flow cytometry: The reagent is designed for analysis of human blood cells using 20 μ L reagent / 100 μ L of whole blood or 10 ⁶ cells in a suspension. The content of a vial (2 ml) is sufficient fo 100 tests.
Comment:	The purified antibody is conjugated with R-Phycoerythrin (PE) under optimum conditions. The conjugate is purified by size-exclusion chromatography and adjusted for direct use. No reconstitution is necessary.
Restrictions:	For Research Use only
Handling	
Reconstitution:	No reconstitution is necessary.
Buffer:	Stabilizing phosphate buffered saline (PBS), pH 7.4, 15 mM sodium azide
Preservative:	Sodium azide
Precaution of Use:	This product contains Sodium azide: a POISONOUS AND HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE which should be handled by trained staff only.
Handling Advice:	Do not freeze. Avoid prolonged exposure to light.
Storage:	4 °C
Storage Comment:	Store at 2-8°C. Protect from prolonged exposure to light. Do not freeze.

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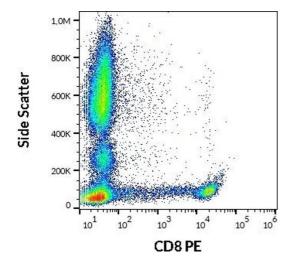
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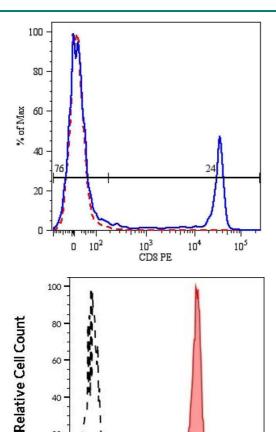
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Images



Flow Cytometry

Image 1. Flow cytometry surface staining pattern of human peripheral whole blood stained using anti-human CD8 (MEM-31) PE antibody (20 μ L reagent / 100 μ L of peripheral whole blood).



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Image 2. Surface staining of human peripheral blood lymphocytes using anti-human CD8

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Image 3. Separation of human CD8 positive lymphocytes (red-filled) from neutrophil granulocytes (black-dashed) in flow cytometry analysis (surface staining) of human peripheral whole blood stained using anti-human CD8 (MEM-31) PE antibody (20 μ L reagent / 100 μ L of peripheral whole blood).