

Datasheet for ABIN94236  
**anti-CD8 antibody (APC)**[Go to Product page](#)

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## Overview

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

## Product Details

Immunogen:	Crude thymus membrane fraction.
Clone:	MEM-31
Isotype:	IgG2a
Specificity:	<p>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).</p> <p>The antibody does not react with formaldehyde-fixed cells, negative in Western blotting application.</p>
Cross-Reactivity (Details):	Human
Purification:	Purified antibody is conjugated with activated allophycocyanin (APC) under optimum conditions and unconjugated antibody and free fluorochrome are removed by size-exclusion

## Product Details

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## Target Details

Target:	CD8
Alternative Name:	CD8 ( <a href="#">CD8 Products</a> )
Background:	<p>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</p>

## Application Details

Application Notes:	<p>Flow cytometry: The reagent is designed for analysis of human blood cells using 10 µL reagent / 100 µL of whole blood or 10<sup>6</sup> cells in a suspension. The content of a vial (1 ml) is sufficient for 100 tests.</p>
Comment:	<p>The purified antibody is conjugated with cross-linked Allophycocyanin (APC) under optimum conditions. The conjugate is purified by size-exclusion chromatography and adjusted for direct use. No reconstitution is necessary.</p>
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:	<p>This product contains Sodium azide: a POISONOUS AND HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE which should be handled by trained staff only.</p>
Handling Advice:	<p><b>Do not freeze.</b></p> <p>Avoid prolonged exposure to light.</p>

## Handling

Storage: 4 °C

Storage Comment: Store at 2-8°C. Protect from prolonged exposure to light. Do not freeze.

## Publications

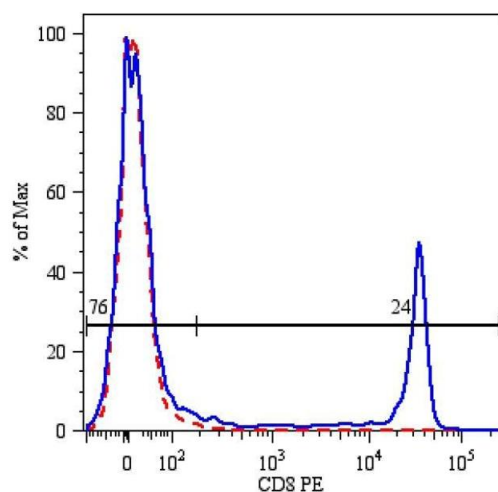
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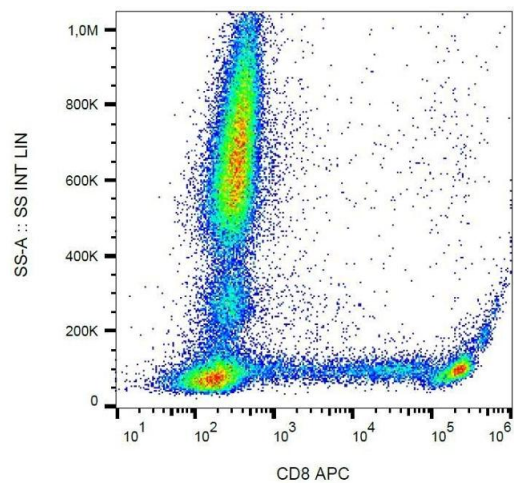
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## Images



### Flow Cytometry

**Image 1.** Surface staining of human peripheral blood lymphocytes using anti-human CD8



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**Image 2.** Surface staining of human peripheral blood using anti-human CD8 (clone MEM-31) APC.