

TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

CyFlow™ CD3 act. PE Anti-Hu/Ms; Clone APA1/1

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For Research Use Only.

Not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

Specifications

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| Antigen | CD3 (activation epitope) |
| Alternative Names | — |
| Clone | APA1/1 |
| Clonality | monoclonal |
| Format | PE |
| Host / Isotype | Mouse / IgG1 |
| Species Reactivity | Human Mouse |
| Negative Species Reactivity | — |
| Quantity [Concentration] | 0.1 mg [0.1 mg/ml] |
| Immunogen | Purified human CD3 proteins isolated from thymus |

Specificity

The mouse monoclonal antibody APA1/1 recognizes an activation-dependent intracellular epitope of CD3 ε. Exposure of the epitope precedes CD3 phosphorylation and recruitment and activation of ZAP70, which

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initiates the signaling cascade produced by T-cell activation. APA1/1 provides the earliest known marker for TCR-mediated T cell activation

Application

The reagent is designed for Flow Cytometry analysis. Suggested working usage is 5 µg/ml. Indicated dilution is recommended starting point for use of this product, but working concentrations should be validated by the investigator.

Other usages may be determined from the scientific literature.

Storage Buffer

The reagent is provided in stabilizing phosphate buffered saline (PBS) solution, pH ≈7.4, containing 0.1% (w/v) sodium azide.

Storage and Stability

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| Storage | Avoid prolonged exposure to light. Store in the dark at 2-8°C. Do not freeze. |
| Stability | Do not use after expiration date stamped on vial label. |

Background Information

CD3 complex is crucial in transducing antigen-recognition signals into the cytoplasm of T cells and in regulating the cell surface expression of the TCR complex.

T cell activation through the antigen receptor (TCR) involves the cytoplasmic tails of the CD3 subunits CD3 γ, CD3 δ, CD3 ε and CD3 ζ. These CD3 subunits are structurally related members of the immunoglobulins super family encoded by closely linked genes on human chromosome 11. The CD3 components have long cytoplasmic tails that associate with cytoplasmic signal transduction molecules. This association is mediated at least in part by a double tyrosine-based motif present in a single copy in the CD3 subunits. CD3 may play a role in TCR-induced growth arrest, cell survival and proliferation. The CD3 antigen is present on 68-82% of normal peripheral blood lymphocytes, 65-85% of thymocytes and Purkinje cells in the cerebellum. It is never expressed on B or NK cells. Decreased percentages of T lymphocytes may be observed in some autoimmune diseases.

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