

Mouse Anti Human CD3 APC

PRODUCT INFORMATION

CLONE:	HIT3a
ISOTYPE:	Mouse IgG2a, κ
WS.No.:	V 5T CD03.05
CATALOG#:	A6065/A6075
CONTENTS:	APC conjugated antibody buffered in 10mM PBS (pH 7.0) with 0.05%
	NaN₃ and 1% BSA.

DESCRIPTION

CD3 McAb recognizes the 17-19 KD ϵ -chain and reacts with this ϵ -chain of the CD3 antigen/T cell antigen receptor(TCR) complex. CD3 antigen appears in the cytoplasm of the cell during the early stage of T cell development and is expressed on the cell membrane at the late stage. CD3 antigen is present on 60%-80% of normal peripheral blood lymphocytes and 60%-70% of thymocytes and plays an important role in signal transduction after antigen recognition by TCR. HIT3a McAb at ng level has a strong mitogenic effect on T lymphocyte proliferation (in soluble or immobilized conditions) and has a immunosuppressive effect at high dose. In addition, NK cells express CD3 chain in the cytoplasm, and CD3 McAb provide a tool for analyzing the development relationship and the common precursor of both T cells and NK cells.

PREPARATION

The monoclonal antibody is purified from ascites by protein G affinity chromatography and is conjugated with APC under optimum conditions.

USAGE

The conjugated reagent is tested for flow cytometric analysis using 20µl/10⁶ cells.

STORAGE

Store at 4 $^\circ\!\mathrm{C}$. Conjugated forms should not be frozen and avoid prolonged exposure to light.

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