# Anti-Human CD99 (3B2/TA8)



# 1. PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

#### Clone: 3B2/TA8

Isotype: Mouse IgG2a

Tested application: flow cytometry

Species reactivity: Human

Storage instruction: store in the dark at 2-8  $^\circ\text{C}$ 

Storage buffer: aqueous buffered solution containing protein stabilizer and 0.09% sodium azide (NaN3).

Recommended usage: Immunostep's CD99, clone 3B2/TA8, is a monoclonal antibody designed for the identification and enumeration of human T cells, plasma cells, and thymocytes that express CD99, utilizing flow cytometry techniques. This reagent is effective for direct immunofluorescence staining of human tissue for flow cytometric analysis using I test for 106 cells.

#### Presentation: liquid

Source: Supernatant proceeding from an in vitro cell culture of a cell hybridoma.

Purification: Affinity chromatography.

#### 2. ANTIGEN DETAILS

Large description: Large description: Anti-CD99 Monoclonal Antibody (Clone 3B2/TA8) targets the CD99 antigen (E2, MIC2), a 32 kDa transmembrane sialoglycoprotein expressed on all leukocyte lineages, particularly high in thymocytes and T cells, while absent in mature granulocytes. This antibody plays a crucial role in T cell adhesion and activation, as well as in hematopoietic adhesion pathways, regulating adhesive properties and programmed cell death distinct from apoptosis. CD99 is differentially expressed during lymphoid and granulocytic development, with significant involvement in T cell differentiation stages, facilitating leukocyte extravasation and spontaneous rosette formation with erythrocytes, independently of PECAMI. Ideal for research in T cell biology and hematopoietic development.[I-4]

**Other Names:** CD99R, E2, MIC2 gene product, 12E7, E2 antigen, Protein MIC2, T-cell surface glycoprotein E5.

#### Gene ID: 4267

Please, refer to www.immunostep.com technical support for more information.

#### 3. WARRANTY

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### PROTOCOL

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#### Direct Immunofluorescence Cell Surface Staining Protocol

- 1. Transfer 100 ul (106 cells/test) of the sample to a 12 x 75 mm polystyrene test tube.
- 2. Add the suggested volume indicated on the antibody vial to the 12x75 mm cytometer tube.
- 3. Mix well and incubate in the dark at room temperature at 4  $^\circ C$  for 30 minutes or at room temperature (20-25  $^\circ C)$  for 15 minutes.
- After the incubation period, add I,5 ml of an erythrocyte-lysing solution and mix. Incubate at room temperature in the darkness (the blood should be well mixed with the lysing solution).
- Centrifuge tubes at 540xg for 5 minutes. The supernatant is removed with a Pasteur pipette or with a vacuum pump.
- 6. Resuspend and wash with 3-5 mL of PBS at 540xg for 5 min.
- 7. After removing the supernatant and resuspending the cell pellet, add 300  $\mu L$  of PBS and adquire on the flow cytometer are recorded.
- Analyse on a flow cytometer or store at 2- 8 °C in the dark until analysis. Samples can be run up to 24 hours after lysis.

#### Indirect Immunofluorescence Cell Surface Staining Protocol

- Transfer 100 ul (106 cells/test) of the sample to a 12 x 75 mm polystyrene test tube
- 2. Add purified reagent according to manufacturer's recommendation and mix gently with a vortex mixer.
- 3. Incubate in the dark at room temperature at 4  $^\circ C$  for 30 minutes or at room temperature (20-25  $^\circ C)$  for 15 minutes.
- 4. Add 2 mL 0.01 mol/L PBS (It betters that it containing 2% bovine serum albumin) and resuspend the cells by using a vortex mixer. Centrifuge at 540xg for 5 min in order to remove the McAb not bound to its antigen.
- Add a secondary conjugated reagent with some fluorochrome and mix. Incubate at room temperature for 15 min in the dark. The absence of light is necessary as the fluorochrome is photoinstability.
- 6. After the incubation period, add 1,5 ml of an erythrocyte-lysing solution and mix. Incubate at room temperature in the darkness (the blood should be well mixed with the lysing solution). Centrifuge at 540xg for 5 minutes. The supernatant is removed with a Pasteur pipette or with a vacuum pump.
- 7. Resuspend and a made a final wash with 3-5 mL of PBS at 540xg for 5 min.
- 8. After removing the supernatant and resuspending the cell pellet, add 300  $\mu L$  of PBS and adquire on the flow cytometer are recorded.
- 9. Analyse on a flow cytometer or store at 2- 8 °C in the dark until analysis. Samples can be run up to 24 hours after lysis.

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# 6. EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

| ι.               | Form                                 |
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| REF              | Catalog reference                    |
| $\sum_{i=1}^{n}$ | Contains sufficient for <n> test</n> |
| <b>₽</b> )       | Regulatory Status                    |
| $\bigcirc$       | Quantity per test                    |
| RUO              | Research Use Only                    |
|                  | Manufacturer                         |

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