

Description

CD8 α is a 34 kDa transmembrane glycoprotein of the immunoglobulin family found on T cytotoxic cells. It forms a dimer with CD8 β forming the complete CD8 molecule. CD8 binds the constant region of MHC class II molecules on antigen-presenting cells during T cell activation.

Technical information

Antibody: Mouse monoclonal, IgG_{2a}
 Specificity: Bovine CD8 α and CD8 $\alpha\beta$ ¹
 Cross-reactivity: Not tested
 Immunogen: NA

Formulation and Storage

Purity: IgG purified by protein G affinity chromatography from serum-free cell culture supernatant.

Product Formulation: Lyophilized from a ≥ 1 mg/ml solution in 20 mM NaH₂PO₄ 0.15 M NaCl, 1.0% (w/v) mannitol, pH 7.4. Concentration determined by absorbance at 280 nm using an extinction coefficient of 1.4 ($\epsilon_{0.1\%}$).

Reconstitution: Reconstitute with deionized water.

Storage: Aliquot and store at -20°C for prolonged periods. Avoid freeze-thaw cycles. Alternatively add 0.02% (w/v) sodium azide and store at 4°C.

Country of Origin: Hybridoma country of origin- Kenya.
 Subcloned and produced- USA.

Available Formats: 0.1 mg and 0.5 mg

References

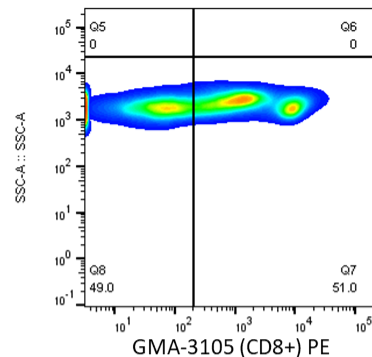
¹ MacHugh, N.D., Taracha, E. L., Toye, P.G. 1993. *Vet. Immunol. Immunopath.* 39:61-67.

Applications

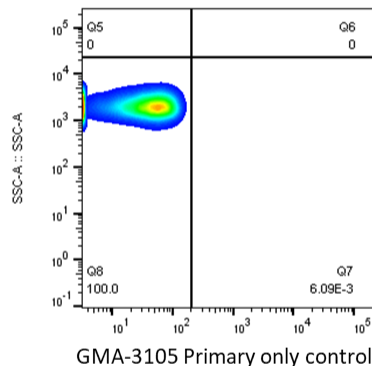
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Flow Cytometry: Recommended concentration is 2.0 to 20 μ g/mL per 1×10^6 PBMCs in 100 μ l. Investigator should titrate for specific application.

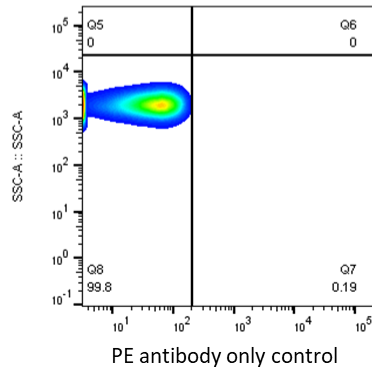
Flow Cytometry Data



Peripheral blood was collected from a purebred Holstein cow into sodium heparin vacutainers and peripheral blood mononuclear cells (PBMCs) were isolated using Histopaque-1083.



Cells were washed in phosphate-buffered saline and 1×10^6 cells were stained with 12.5 μ g/mL GMA-3105 and visualized with a secondary rat anti-mouse IgG_{2a} antibody conjugated to phycoerythrin (PE).



PBMCs were also stained with GMA-3105 or the PE-conjugated antibody only as negative controls. Cells were scanned and data collected using a Milltenyi VYB flow cytometer.

Data was analyzed with FlowJo[®] version 10.2 analysis software.