

Technical Data Sheet

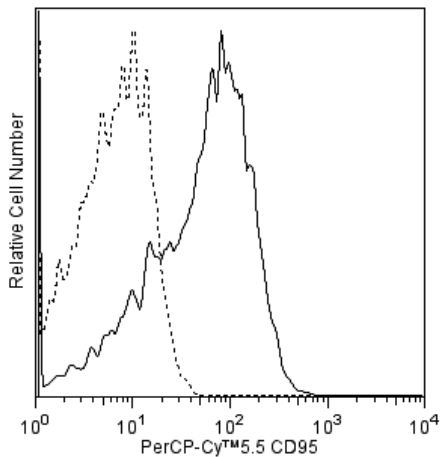
PerCP-Cy™ 5.5 Mouse Anti-Human CD95

Product Information

Material Number:	561655
Alternate Name:	APO-1; FAS; TNFRSF6; Tumor necrosis factor receptor superfamily, member 6
Entrez Gene ID:	355
Size:	50 tests
Vol. per Test:	5 µl
Clone:	DX2
Isotype:	Mouse IgG1, κ
Reactivity:	QC Testing: Human
Workshop:	VI C-64
Storage Buffer:	Aqueous buffered solution containing BSA and ≤0.09% sodium azide.

Description

The DX2 monoclonal antibody specifically binds to the human Fas antigen (also called APO-1). This 45 kDa transmembrane cell surface molecule was designated as CD95 at the Fifth HLDA Workshop. Fas is a member of the TNF-receptor superfamily. It is expressed on a variety of normal and neoplastic cells including activated T and B lymphocytes. The Fas/CD95 antigen is a polypeptide that plays a role in the programmed sequence of events leading to cell death, termed apoptosis. The DX2 clone specifically reacts with murine L cells, murine L1210 leukemia cells and murine P815 mastocytoma cells transfected with human Fas cDNA but not with untransfected parental cell lines. Crosslinking CD95 with DX2 antibody delivers an apoptotic signal indicating that DX2 recognizes a functional epitope of the CD95 antigen.



**Flow cytometric analysis of CD95 expression on human peripheral blood lymphocytes.** Whole blood was stained with either PerCP-Cy™ 5.5 Mouse Anti-Human CD95 antibody (Cat. No. 561655; solid line histogram) or with a PerCP-Cy™ 5.5 Mouse IgG1, κ Isotype Control (Cat. No. 550795; dashed line histogram). The erythrocytes were lysed with BD Pharm Lyse™ Lysing Buffer (Cat. No. 555899). The fluorescence histograms were derived from events with the forward and side light-scatter characteristics of viable lymphocytes. Flow cytometry was performed using a BD™ LSR II Flow Cytometer System.

Preparation and Storage

Store undiluted at 4°C and protected from prolonged exposure to light. Do not freeze.

The monoclonal antibody was purified from tissue culture supernatant or ascites by affinity chromatography.

The antibody was conjugated with PerCP-Cy5.5 under optimum conditions, and unconjugated antibody and free PerCP-Cy5.5 were removed. Storage of PerCP-Cy5.5 conjugates in unoptimized diluent is not recommended and may result in loss of signal intensity.

Application Notes

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Flow cytometry	Routinely Tested
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Suggested Companion Products

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone
550795	PerCP-Cy™ 5.5 Mouse IgG1 κ Isotype Control	0.1 mg	MOPC-21
555899	Lysing Buffer	100 ml	(none)
554656	Stain Buffer (FBS)	500 ml	(none)

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## Product Notices

1. This reagent has been pre-diluted for use at the recommended Volume per Test. We typically use  $1 \times 10^6$  cells in a 100- $\mu$ l experimental sample (a test).
2. An isotype control should be used at the same concentration as the antibody of interest.
3. Source of all serum proteins is from USDA inspected abattoirs located in the United States.
4. Please observe the following precautions: Absorption of visible light can significantly alter the energy transfer occurring in any tandem fluorochrome conjugate; therefore, we recommend that special precautions be taken (such as wrapping vials, tubes, or racks in aluminum foil) to prevent exposure of conjugated reagents, including cells stained with those reagents, to room illumination.
5. Caution: Sodium azide yields highly toxic hydrazoic acid under acidic conditions. Dilute azide compounds in running water before discarding to avoid accumulation of potentially explosive deposits in plumbing.
6. PerCP-Cy5.5-labelled antibodies can be used with FITC- and R-PE-labelled reagents in single-laser flow cytometers with no significant spectral overlap of PerCP-Cy5.5, FITC, and R-PE fluorescence.
7. PerCP-Cy5.5 is optimized for use with a single argon ion laser emitting 488-nm light. Because of the broad absorption spectrum of the tandem fluorochrome, extra care must be taken when using dual-laser cytometers, which may directly excite both PerCP and Cy5.5™. We recommend the use of cross-beam compensation during data acquisition or software compensation during data analysis.
8. For fluorochrome spectra and suitable instrument settings, please refer to our Fluorochrome Web Page at [www.bdbiosciences.com/colors](http://www.bdbiosciences.com/colors).
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11. Please refer to [www.bdbiosciences.com/pharming/en/protocols](http://www.bdbiosciences.com/pharming/en/protocols) for technical protocols.

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