

**Alexa Fluor® 488 anti-mouse CD31**

**Catalog # / Size:** 1112070 / 100 µg  
1112065 / 25 µg

**Clone:** 390

**Isotype:** Rat IgG2a, κ

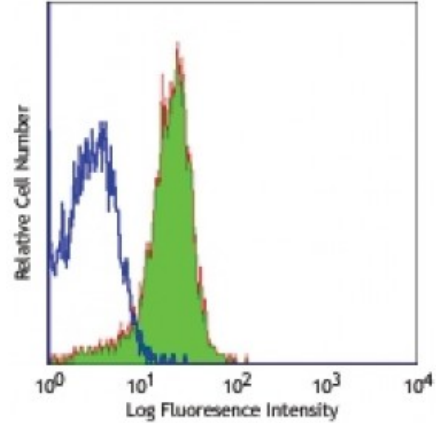
**Immunogen:** C3H/HeJ mouse hematopoietic progenitor cell line 3

**Reactivity:** Mouse

**Preparation:** The antibody was purified by affinity chromatography, and conjugated with Alexa Fluor® 488 under optimal conditions.

**Formulation:** Phosphate-buffered solution, pH 7.2, containing 0.09% sodium azide.

**Concentration:** 0.5



C57BL/6 mouse splenocytes stained with 390 Alexa Fluor® 488

**Applications:**

**Applications:** Immunofluorescence

**Recommended Usage:** Each lot of this antibody is quality control tested by immunofluorescent staining with flow cytometric analysis. For flow cytometric staining, the suggested use of this reagent is ≤2.0 microg per million cells in 100 microL volume. It is recommended that the reagent be titrated for optimal performance for each application.

\* Alexa Fluor® 488 has a maximum emission of 519 nm when it is excited at 488 nm.

**Application Notes:** Anti-mouse CD31 clones 390 and MEC13.3 bind to their respective non-overlapping epitopes in IgD2 of CD31.<sup>8</sup> Additional reported applications (for the relevant formats) include: immunoprecipitation<sup>1</sup>, *in vitro* and *in vivo* blocking of CD31-mediated cell-cell interactions<sup>1-4</sup>, and immunohistochemical staining<sup>5,6,7</sup> of acetone-fixed frozen sections and zinc-fixed paraffin-embedded sections. **Special Note:** This antibody is not recommended for formalin-fixed paraffin-embedded sections. The LEAF™ purified antibody (Endotoxin <0.1 EU/µg, Azide-Free, 0.2 µm filtered) is recommended for functional assays (Cat. No. 102412).

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**Description:** CD31 is a 130-140 kD glycoprotein, also known as platelet endothelial cell adhesion molecule (PECAM-1) and EndoCAM. It is a member of the Ig superfamily, expressed on endothelial cells, platelets, granulocytes, monocytes/macrophages, dendritic cells, and T and B cell subsets, and is critical for cell-cell interactions.

The primary ligands for CD31 have been reported to be CD38 and the vitronectin receptor ( $\alpha_v \beta_3$  integrin, CD51/CD61). Other reported functions of CD31 are neutrophil emigration to sites of inflammation and angiogenesis.

**Antigen  
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