

FITC anti-mouse CD103

Catalog # / Size: 1207100 / 200 µg
1207095 / 50 µg

Clone: 2E7

Isotype: Hamster IgG

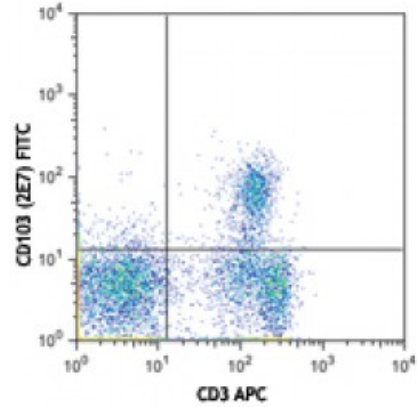
Immunogen: Mouse intestinal intraepithelial lymphocytes

Reactivity: Mouse

Preparation: The antibody was purified by affinity chromatography, and conjugated with FITC under optimal conditions. The solution is free of unconjugated FITC.

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

Concentration: 0.5



C57BL/6 mouse splenocytes were stained with CD3 APC and CD103 (clone 2E7) FITC (top) or Armenian hamster IgG FITC isotype control (bottom).

Applications:

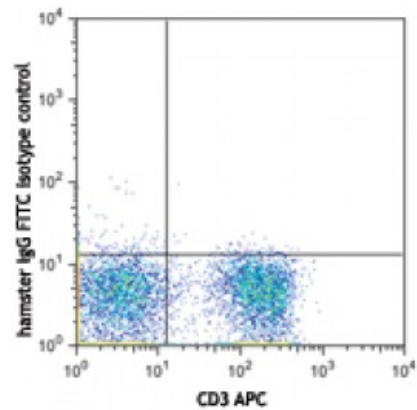
Applications: Flow Cytometry

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 ≤1.0 microg per million cells in 100 microL volume. It is recommended that the reagent be titrated for optimal performance for each application.

Application Notes: Additional reported applications (for the relevant formats) include: immunoprecipitation¹, immunohistochemical staining^{1,7} of acetone-fixed frozen sections, immunofluorescence², and *in vitro* activation¹.

Application References:

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7. Xiao B, *et al.*, 2015. *PLoS One* 1:e0115333. (IHC)



Description: CD103 is a type I transmembrane glycoprotein known as αE integrin or Integrin α_{IEL} chain. It belongs to the integrin family and is primarily found on intestinal intraepithelial lymphocytes (IEL). CD103 is also expressed on a subpopulation of lamina propria T cells, epithelial dendritic cells, lamina propria-derived dendritic

cells, and a small subset of peripheral lymphocytes. T regulatory cells express high level of CD103. The CD103 expression on lymphocytes can be induced upon activation and TGF- β stimulation. In association with integrin β_7 , CD103 is expressed as $\alpha E/\beta_7$ heterodimer. Mature CD103 protein can be cleaved into 2 chains, a 150 kD (C-terminal) chain and a 25 kD (N-terminal) chain, which remain linked by disulfide bonds. CD103 binds to E-cadherin and mediates homing of lymphocytes to the intestinal epithelium.

**Antigen
References:**

1. Kilshaw PJ and Sj. Murrant. 1990. *Eur. J. Immunol.* 20:2201.
2. Karecla PI, *et al.* 1995. *Eur. J. Immunol.* 25:852.
3. LeFrancois L, *et al.* 1994. *Eur. J. Immunol.* 24:635.
4. Sung SS, *et al*