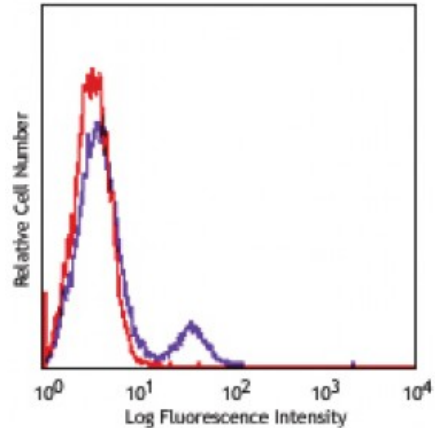


Pacific Blue™ anti-mouse CD8b.2

Catalog # / Size: 1302070 / 100 µg
Clone: 53-5.8
Isotype: Rat IgG1, κ
Immunogen: Mouse thymus or spleen
Reactivity: Mouse
Preparation: The antibody was purified by affinity chromatography, and conjugated with Pacific Blue™ under optimal conditions. The solution is free of unconjugated Pacific Blue™.
Formulation: Phosphate-buffered solution, pH 7.2, containing 0.09% sodium azide.
Concentration: 0.5



C57BL/6 mouse splenocytes stained with 53-5.8 Pacific Blue™

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 ≤0.25 microg per million cells in 100 microL volume. It is recommended that the reagent be titrated for optimal performance for each application.

* Pacific Blue™ has a maximum emission of 455 nm when it is excited at 405 nm. Prior to using Pacific Blue™ conjugate for flow cytometric analysis, please verify your flow cytometer's capability of exciting and detecting the fluorochrome.

Application Notes: Additional reported applications (for the relevant formats) include: immunofluorescence³, immunohistochemical staining⁴ of frozen tissue section using dry ice-isopentane method and immunoprecipitation⁵.

Application References:
1. Ledbetter J, *et al.* 1979. *Immunol. Rev.* 47:63.
2. Ledbetter J, *et al.* 1980. *J. Exp. Med.* 152:280.
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Description: CD8b is the 32 kD β chain of CD8, also known as Lyt-3.2 or Ly-3.2. It is a member of the Ig superfamily expressed as a heterodimer with the CD8α chain on a subset of MHC class I-restricted T cells and most thymocytes. CD8 is a co-receptor for the TCR complex involved in T cell activation. The antibody 53-5.8 is specific for Ly-3.2 and has low reactivity with Ly-3.1.

Antigen References:
1. Ledbetter J, *et al.* 1981. *J. Exp. Med.* 153:1503.
2. Renard V, *et al.* 1996. *J. Exp. Med.* 184:2439.