
Product Data Sheet

PerCP/Cy5.5 anti-human CD16

Catalog # / Size:	2110140 / 100 tests 2110135 / 25 tests	□ Human peripheral blood lymphocytes stained with 3G8 PerCP/Cy5.5
Clone:	3G8	
Isotype:	Mouse IgG1, κ	
Immunogen:	Human PMN cells	
Reactivity:	Human	
Preparation:	The antibody was purified by affinity chromatography, and conjugated with PerCP/Cyanine5.5 under optimal conditions. The solution is free of unconjugated PerCP/Cyanine5.5 and unconjugated antibody.	
Formulation:	Phosphate-buffered solution, pH 7.2, containing 0.09% sodium azide and 0.2% (w/v) BSA (origin USA).	
Workshop Number:	V NK80	
Concentration:	Lot-specific	

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 5 µl per million cells or 5 µl per 100 µl of whole blood. It is recommended that the reagent be titrated for optimal performance for each application.

* PerCP/Cyanine5.5 has a maximum absorption of 482 nm and a maximum emission of 690 nm.

Application Notes: The 3G8 antibody blocks neutrophil phagocytosis and stimulates NK cell proliferation. Additional reported applications (for the relevant formats) include: immunohistochemical staining of acetone-fixed frozen tissue sections⁶, immunoprecipitation³, stimulation of NK cell proliferation⁴, blocking of phagocytosis⁵, and blocking of immunoglobulin binding to FcγRIII^{7,8}. The LEAF™ purified antibody (Endotoxin <0.1 EU/µg, Azide-Free, 0.2 µm filtered) is recommended for functional assays (Cat. No. 302014). For highly sensitive assays, we recommend Ultra-LEAF™ purified antibody (Cat. No. 302050) with a lower endotoxin limit than standard LEAF™ purified antibodies (Endotoxin <0.01 EU/microg).

Application References:

1. Fleit H, *et al.* 1982. *P. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 79:3275.
2. Stroncek D, *et al.* 1991. *Blood* 77:1572.
3. Wirthmueller U, *et al.* 1992. *J. Exp. Med.* 175:1381.

Description: CD16 is known as low affinity IgG receptor III (FcγRIII). It is expressed as two distinct forms (CD16a and CD16b). CD16a (FcγRIIIA) is a 50-65 kD polypeptide-anchored transmembrane protein. It is expressed on the surface of NK cells, activated monocytes, macrophages, and placental trophoblasts in humans. CD16b (FcγRIIIB) is a 48 kD glycosylphosphatidylinositol (GPI)-anchored protein. Its extracellular domain is over 95% homologous to that of CD16a, and it is expressed specifically on neutrophils. CD16 binds aggregated IgG or IgG-antigen complex which functions in NK cell activation, phagocytosis, and antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC).

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References:

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