

Anti-CD8 alpha/Cd8a Antibody Picoband™

Catalog Number: A02236-2

About Cd8a

The CD8 antigen is a cell surface glycoprotein found on most cytotoxic T lymphocytes that mediates efficient cell-cell interactions within the immune system. It is mapped to 2p11.2. The CD8 antigen, acting as a coreceptor, and the T-cell receptor on the T lymphocyte recognize antigen displayed by an antigen presenting cell (APC) in the context of class I MHC molecules. The functional coreceptor is either a homodimer composed of two alpha chains, or a heterodimer composed of one alpha and one beta chain. Both alpha and beta chains share significant homology to immunoglobulin variable light chains. This gene also encodes the CD8 alpha chain isoforms.

Overview

Product Name	Anti-CD8 alpha/Cd8a Antibody Picoband™
Reactive Species	Rat
Description	Boster Bio Anti-CD8 alpha/Cd8a Antibody Picoband™ catalog # A02236-2. Tested in ELISA, IHC, WB applications. This antibody reacts with Rat.
Application	ELISA, IHC, WB
Clonality	Polyclonal
Formulation	Each vial contains 4mg Trehalose, 0.9mg NaCl, 0.2mg Na2HPO4, 0.05mg NaN3.
Storage Instructions	Store at -20°C for one year from date of receipt. After reconstitution, at 4°C for one month. It can also be aliquotted and stored frozen at -20°C for six months. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.
Host	Rabbit
Uniprot ID	P07725

Technical Details

Immunogen	E.coli-derived rat CD8 alpha/Cd8a recombinant protein (Position: Q27-Q114).
Predicted Reactive Species	Human
Recommended Detection Systems	Boster recommends Enhanced Chemiluminescent Kit with anti-Rabbit IgG (EK1002) for Western blot, and HRP Conjugated anti-Rabbit IgG Super Vision Assay Kit (SV0002-1) for IHC(P).
Cross Reactivity	No cross-reactivity with other proteins.
Isotype	Rabbit IgG
Form	Lyophilized
Concentration	Adding 0.2 ml of distilled water will yield a concentration of 500 ug/ml.

Purification	Immunogen affinity purified.
Suggested Dilutions	<p>Dilute the sample so that the expected range of concentrations fall within the detection range of this kit.</p> <p>If the expected range of concentration is unknown, a pilot test should be conducted to decide the optimal dilution ratio for your samples.</p> <p>Some PubMed article(s) citing the expression level of this target are as follows:</p> <p>Boster Bio's internal QC testing used:</p> <p>Western blot, 0.1-0.5ug/ml</p> <p>Immunohistochemistry (Paraffin-embedded Section), 0.5-1ug/ml</p> <p>Direct ELISA, 0.1-0.5ug/ml</p>

Anti-CD8 alpha/Cd8a Antibody Picoband™ (A02236-2) Images

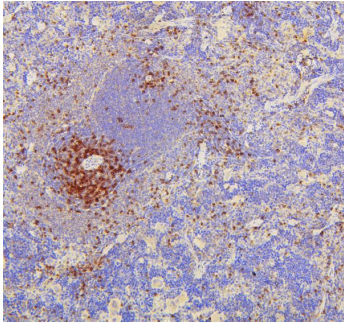


Figure 1. IHC analysis of CD8A using anti-CD8A antibody (A02236-2). CD8A was detected in paraffin-embedded section of rat spleen tissues. Heat mediated antigen retrieval was performed in citrate buffer (pH6, epitope retrieval solution) for 20 mins. The tissue section was blocked with 10% goat serum. The tissue section was then incubated with 1ug/ml rabbit anti-CD8A Antibody (A02236-2) overnight at 4°C. Biotinylated goat anti-rabbit IgG was used as secondary antibody and incubated for 30 minutes at 37°C. The tissue section was developed using Streptavidin-Biotin-Complex (SABC)(Catalog # SA1022) with DAB as the chromogen.

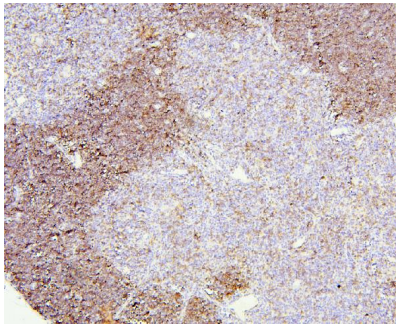


Figure 2. IHC analysis of CD8A using anti-CD8A antibody (A02236-2). CD8A was detected in paraffin-embedded section of rat thymus tissues. Heat mediated antigen retrieval was performed in citrate buffer (pH6, epitope retrieval solution) for 20 mins. The tissue section was blocked with 10% goat serum. The tissue section was then incubated with 1ug/ml rabbit anti-CD8A Antibody (A02236-2) overnight at 4°C. Biotinylated goat anti-rabbit IgG was used as secondary antibody and incubated for 30 minutes at 37°C. The tissue section was developed using Streptavidin-Biotin-Complex (SABC)(Catalog # SA1022) with DAB as the chromogen.

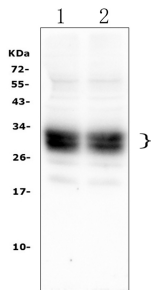


Figure 3. Western blot analysis of CD8A using anti-CD8A antibody (A02236-2). Electrophoresis was performed on a 5-20% SDS-PAGE gel at 70V (Stacking gel) / 90V (Resolving gel) for 2-3 hours. The sample well of each lane was loaded with 50ug of sample under reducing conditions.

Lane 1: rat thymus issue lysates,
Lane 2: rat thymus issue lysates.

After Electrophoresis, proteins were transferred to a Nitrocellulose membrane at 150mA for 50-90 minutes. Blocked the membrane with 5% Non-fat Milk/ TBS for 1.5 hour at RT. The membrane was incubated with rabbit anti-CD8A antigen affinity purified polyclonal antibody (Catalog # A02236-2) at 0.5 ug/mL overnight at 4°C, then washed with TBS-0.1%Tween 3 times with 5 minutes each and probed with a goat anti-rabbit IgG-HRP secondary antibody at a dilution of 1:10000 for 1.5 hour at RT. The signal is developed using an Enhanced Chemiluminescent detection (ECL) kit (Catalog # EK1002) with Tanon 5200 system. A specific band was detected for CD8A at approximately 26-35KD. The expected band size for CD8A is at 26KD.

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