

## Mouse Anti Sheep CD8 Monoclonal Antibody

DMABT-45290MS Mouse(CD8) Lot. No. (See product label)

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

**Product Overview** Mouse Anti Sheep CD8 **Immunogen** Sheep thymocytes

Host Mouse Isotype IgM **Species** Sheep

Cross Reactivity Clone vpm31 is reported to cross react with goat.N.B. Antibody reactivity and working conditions may

vary between species.

WQN42 Clone Conjugation N/A

**Applications** IHC, ELISA, FCM, IP, WB

Dilution FCM: 0 - Neat

## **PACKAGING**

Format Tissue Culture Supernatant - liquid

Store at +4 °C or at -20 °C if preferred. This product should be stored undiluted. Storage in frost free Storage

freezers is not recommended. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing as this may denature the antibody.

Should this product contain a precipitate we recommend microcentrifugation before use.

Preservative 0.09%Sodium Azide

Shelf Life 18 months from date of despatch.

## BACKGROUND

Introduction CD8 is a 68 kDa disulphide-linked, transmembrane glycoprotein. The CD8 molecule serves as a

receptor for MHC class I molecules and can mediate a function as a coreceptor in TCR-ligand binding and T-cell activation. Its cytoplasmic part is associated with the p56lck tyrosine kinase. CD8 is expressed by the great majority of cortical thymocytes and approximately 30% of medullary thymocytes, and by class I major histocompatibility complex restricted, mature suppressor/cytotoxic T cells. In addition a proportion of  $\gamma\delta$  T cells and NK cells express CD8. Thus, CD8 is expressed by about 25-35% of peripheral T cells, and about 30% of NK cells express low levels of CD8.

Immunophenotyping of lymphocytes is widely applied as a component of the testing of peripheral blood for diagnosis of immunodeficiencies such as aquired immunodeficiency syndrome (AIDS). An increase in the percentage of CD8-positive T cells has been reported during cytomegalovirus infection.

Keywords

CD 8; CD 8A; CD 8B; CD8 antigen alpha polypeptide; CD8A; CD8a antigen; CD8a molecule; CD8B; CD8b antigen; CD8b antigen isoform 2; CD8b molecule; CD8B protein; CD8B1; Leu2; Leu2 T lymphocyte antigen; Ly3; LYT3; MAL; MGC119115; OKT8 T Cell antigen; p32; T cell antigen Leu2; T cell surface glycoprotein CD8 alpha chain; T cell surface glycoprotein CD8 beta chain; T lymphocyte

differentiation antigen T8/Leu 2