

Human 4-1BB/TNFRSF9/CD137 Alexa Fluor® 647-conjugated Antibody

Recombinant Monoclonal Rabbit IgG Clone # 2356C Catalog Number: FAB8382R 100 µg

| DESCRIPTION | | | |
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| Species Reactivity | Human | | |
| Specificity | Detects human 4-1BB/TNFRSF9/CD137 in direct ELISAs. | | |
| Source | Recombinant Monoclonal Rabbit IgG Clone # 2356C | | |
| Purification | Protein A or G purified from cell culture supernatant | | |
| Immunogen | Chinese Hamster Ovary cell line CHO-derived human 4-1BB/TNFRSF9/CD137 Leu24-His183 Accession # Q07011 | | |
| Conjugate | Alexa Fluor 647 Excitation Wavelength: 650 nm Emission Wavelength: 668 nm | | |
| Formulation | Supplied 0.2 mg/mL in a saline solution containing BSA and Sodium Azide. | | |
| | *Contains <0.1% Sodium Azide, which is not hazardous at this concentration according to GHS classifications. Refer to the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for additional information and handling instructions. | | |

| APPLICATIONS | | | |
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| Please Note: Optimal dilutions should be determined by each laboratory for each application. General Protocols are available in the Technical Information section on our website. | | | |
| | Recommended | Sample | |
| | Concentration | | |
| Flow Cytometry | 0.25-1 μg/10 ⁶ cells | Human PBMC treated with PHA | |

| PREPARATION AND STORAGE | | |
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| Shipping | The product is shipped with polar packs. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended below. | |
| Stability & Storage | | |
| | • 12 months from date of receipt, 2 to 8 °C as supplied. | |

BACKGROUND

4-1BB, also known as CD137 and TNFRSF9, is an approximately 30 kDa transmembrane glycoprotein in the TNF receptor superfamily. 4-1BB functions in the development and activation of multiple immune cells (1). Mature human 4-1BB consists of a 163 amino acid (aa) extracellular domain (ECD) with four TNFR cysteinerich repeats, a 27 aa transmembrane segment, and a 42 aa cytoplasmic domain (2, 3). Within the ECD, human 4-1BB shares 60% aa sequence identity with mouse and rat 4-1BB. 4-1BB is expressed as a disulfide-linked homodimer on various populations of activated T cell including CD4⁺, CD8⁺, memory CD8⁺, NKT, and regulatory T cells (4-7) as well as on myeloid and mast cell progenitors, dendritic cells, mast cells, and bacterially infected osteoblasts (8-11). It binds with high affinity to the transmembrane 4-1BB Ligand/TNFSF9 which is expressed on antigen presenting cells and myeloid progenitor cells (3, 8). This interaction costimulates the proliferation, activation, and/or survival of the 4-1BB expressing cell (3-7). It can also enhance the activation-induced cell death of repetitively stimulated T cells (3). Mice lacking 4-1BB show augmented T cell activation, perhaps due to its absence on regulatory T cells (12). 4-1BB can associate with OX40 on activated T cells, forming a complex that responds to either ligand and inhibits Treg and CD8⁺ T cell proliferation (13). Reverse signaling through 4-1BB Ligand inhibits the development of dendritic cells, B cells, and osteoclasts (8, 11) but supports mature dendritic cell survival and costimulates the proliferation and activation of mast cells (9, 10).

4-1BB activation enhances CD8⁺ T cell and NK cell mediated anti-tumor immunity (14). It also contributes to the development of inflammation in high fat diet-induced metabolic syndrome (15). Soluble forms of 4-1BB and 4-1BB Ligand circulate at elevated levels in the serum of rheumatoid arthritis and hematologic cancer patients, respectively (16, 17).

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