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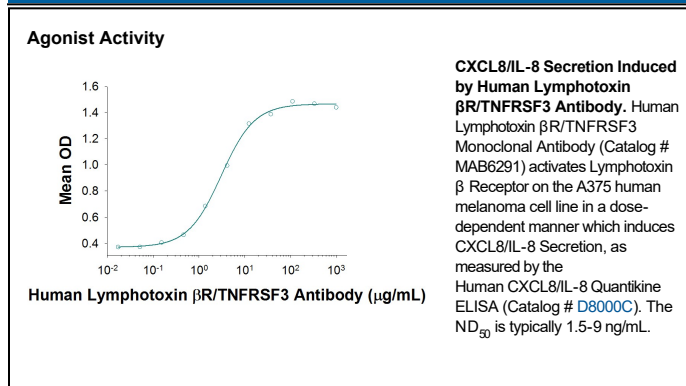
Species Reactivity	Human
Specificity	Detects human Lymphotoxin β R/TNFRSF3 in direct ELISAs.
Source	Monoclonal Mouse IgG ₁ Clone # 71315
Purification	Protein A or G purified from hybridoma culture supernatant
Immunogen	Mouse myeloma cell line NS0-derived recombinant human Lymphotoxin β R/TNFRSF3 Gln31-Met227 Accession # P36941
Endotoxin Level	<0.10 EU per 1 μ g of the antibody by the LAL method.
Formulation	Lyophilized from a 0.2 μ m filtered solution in PBS with Trehalose. See Certificate of Analysis for details. *Small pack size (-SP) is supplied either lyophilized or as a 0.2 μ m filtered solution in PBS.

APPLICATIONS

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.

Agonist Activity	Measured by its ability to induce CXCL8/IL-8 secretion in the A375 human melanoma cell line. The Neutralization Dose (ND ₅₀) is typically 1.5-9 ng/mL.
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PREPARATION AND STORAGE

Reconstitution	Reconstitute at 0.5 mg/mL in sterile PBS.
Shipping	The product is shipped at ambient temperature. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended below. *Small pack size (-SP) is shipped with polar packs. Upon receipt, store it immediately at -20 to -70 °C
Stability & Storage	Use a manual defrost freezer and avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months from date of receipt, -20 to -70 °C as supplied. • 1 month, 2 to 8 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution. • 6 months, -20 to -70 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.

BACKGROUND

Lymphotoxin beta receptor (LT β R), also known as TNF RIII and TNF R-related protein (TNF Rrp) is a member of the TNF receptor superfamily, designated TNFRSF3. Human LT β R cDNA encodes a 435 amino acid (aa) residue type I membrane protein with a putative 30 aa residue signal peptide, a 193 aa residue extracellular domain and a 171 aa residue cytoplasmic domain. The extracellular domain of LT β R contains four cysteine-rich motifs characteristic of the TNF receptor superfamily. The cytoplasmic region of LT β R shares little sequence similarity with other TNF receptor family members, suggesting that different signaling mechanisms may be used. LT β R is expressed in a variety of tissues including visceral and lymphoid tissues. LT β R is also expressed by cell lines of monocytic, epithelial, and fibroblastic origins but not by T and B lymphocytes. Human and mouse LT β R share 76% aa sequence homology. The TNF family ligands that have been shown to bind and activate LT β R include LIGHT (also a ligand for HVEM) and the heterotrimeric lymphotoxin LT α 1/ β 2 or LT α 2/ β 1. Depending on the cell type, activation of LT β R has been shown to induce NF κ B activation, chemokine production, growth arrest, and apoptosis. *In vivo*, LT β R has been shown to play a critical role in controlling cellular immune functions and lymphoid organogenesis.

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