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## Monoclonal Antibody to CD8 - Cy5

Alternate names:	CD8 alpha chain, CD8A, MAL, T-cell surface glycoprotein CD8 alpha chain, T-lymphocyte differentiation antigen T8/Leu-2
Catalog No.:	AM08158C5-N
Quantity:	100 Tests
Background:	The CD8 antigen is a cell surface glycoprotein found on most cytotoxic T lymphocytes that mediates efficient cell to cell interactions within the immune system. 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. CD8 functions primarily as a coreceptor with MHC Class I-restricted TCR's in antigen recognition. (Ref.1-2)
Uniprot ID:	<u>P01732</u>
NCBI:	<u>NP_001759</u>
GenelD:	<u>925</u>
Host / Isotype:	Mouse / lgG1
Clone:	RFT-8
Format:	<b>State:</b> Liquid purified Ig fraction. <b>Buffer System:</b> PBS containing 0.09% Sodium Azide as preservative. <b>Label:</b> Cy5 – Cyanine 5
Applications:	<b>Flow Cytometry:</b> 10 μL/10e6 cells. Other applications not tested. Optimal dilutions are dependent on conditions and should be determined by the user.
Specificity:	This antibody recognizes CD8. <b>Species:</b> Human. Other species not tested.
Storage:	Store the antibody undiluted at 2-8°C for one month or in (aliquots) at -20°C for longer. This product is photosensitive and should be protected from light. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing. Shelf life: one year from despatch
General Readings:	1. Barclay, A.N., M.H. Brown, S.K.A. Law, A.J. McKnight, M.G. Tomlinson, and P.A. van der Merwe, eds. 1997. The Leukocyte Antigens Facts Book, 2nd Edition, CD8 Section, Academic Press, New York, p. 149. 2. Zamoyska, R. 1994. Immunity 1:243.

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