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## Monoclonal Antibody to CD61 Fluorescein (FITC) conjugated (25 tests)

Clone: VIPL2

Isotype: Mouse IgG1

Specificity: The mouse monoclonal antibody VIPL2 recognizes CD61, a 90-110 kDa transmembrane glycoprotein of integrin family, expressed on platelets, megacaryocytes, osteoclasts, endothelial cells and other cell types, including leucocytes and smooth muscle cells. HLDA V.; WS Code 5T-124

Regulatory Status: RUO

Species Reactivity: Human, Non-Human Primates

- **Preparation:** The purified antibody is conjugated with Fluorescein isothiocyanate (FITC) under optimum conditions. The reagent is free of unconjugated FITC and adjusted for direct use. No reconstitution is necessary.
- **Storage Buffer:** The reagent is provided in stabilizing phosphate buffered saline (PBS) solution containing 15mM sodium azide.
- **Storage / Stability:** Store in the dark at 2-8°C. Do not freeze. Avoid prolonged exposure to light. Do not use after expiration date stamped on vial label.
- **Usage:** The reagent is designed for Flow Cytometry analysis of human blood cells using 4  $\mu$ l reagent / 100  $\mu$ l of whole blood or 10<sup>6</sup> cells in a suspension. The content of a vial (0.1 ml) is sufficient for 25 tests.
- Expiration: See vial label
- Lot Number: See vial label
- **Background:** CD61 (beta3 integrin) is a transmembrane glycoprotein, which associates with CD41 or CD51 molecules to form heterodimeric adhesion receptores. CD41/CD61 complex is one of the earliest markers of the megakaryocytic lineage. It binds to fibronectin, fibrinogen and von Willebrand factor, and is involved in platelet aggregation. CD51/CD61 complex has similar binding properties and is involved in modulating migration and survival of angiogenic endothelial cells.

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