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## Monoclonal Antibody to IgE Phycoerythrin (PE) conjugated (0.1 mg)

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| <b>Clone:</b>               | BE5   |
| <b>Isotype:</b>             | Mouse IgG1  |
| <b>Specificity:</b>         | The antibody BE5 reacts with human IgE; it recognizes an epitope different from the ones recognized by 4G7 and 4H10 antibodies to IgE.  |
| <b>Regulatory Status:</b>   | RUO   |
| <b>Immunogen:</b>           | Purified human IgE.   |
| <b>Species Reactivity:</b>  | Human   |
| <b>Preparation:</b>         | The purified antibody is conjugated with R-Phycoerythrin (PE) under optimum conditions. The conjugate is purified by size-exclusion chromatography.   |
| <b>Concentration:</b>       | 0.1 mg/ml   |
| <b>Storage Buffer:</b>      | The reagent is provided in stabilizing phosphate buffered saline (PBS) solution containing 15mM sodium azide.   |
| <b>Storage / Stability:</b> | 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.   |
| <b>Usage:</b>               | The reagent is designed for Flow Cytometry analysis. Suggested working dilution is 5 µg/ml. Indicated dilution is recommended starting point for use of this product. Working concentrations should be determined by the investigator.  |
| <b>Expiration:</b>          | See vial label  |
| <b>Lot Number:</b>          | See vial label  |
| <b>Background:</b>          | Immunoglobulin E (IgE) is a 180 kDa soluble protein serving as an antigen-specific unit of mast cell effector mechanisms. IgE has the lowest serum concentration of all immunoglobulins (approximately 0.5 mg/l) in healthy individuals, but upon allergen challenge its concentration in blood increases dramatically. Although biological survival of free IgE is very short ( $T_{1/2} = 2$ days), it is stabilized after binding to its high affinity receptor. Unlike IgM- IgG- and IgA-committed B cells, IgE-switched B cells do not undergo clonal expansion. |

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**Antibodies**

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