

## DESCRIPTION

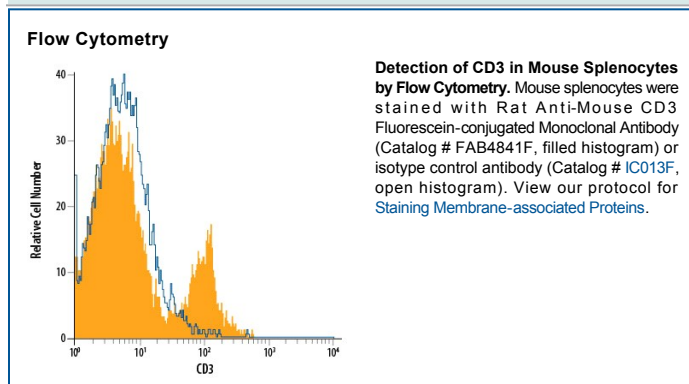
<b>Species Reactivity</b>	Mouse
<b>Specificity</b>	Reacts with mouse TCR-associated CD3 complex that occurs on thymocytes and mature T cells.
<b>Source</b>	Monoclonal Rat IgG <sub>2B</sub> Clone # 17A2
<b>Purification</b>	Protein A or G purified from hybridoma culture supernatant
<b>Immunogen</b>	T cell hybridoma D1
<b>Conjugate</b>	Fluorescein Excitation Wavelength: 488 nm Emission Wavelength: 515-545 nm
<b>Formulation</b>	Supplied in a saline solution containing BSA and Sodium Azide. See Certificate of Analysis for details.  *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

**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.

	<b>Recommended Concentration</b>	<b>Sample</b>
<b>Flow Cytometry</b>	10 µL/10 <sup>6</sup> cells	See Below

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## PREPARATION AND STORAGE

**Shipping** The product is shipped with polar packs. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended below.

**Stability & Storage** **Protect from light. Do not freeze.**

- 12 months from date of receipt, 2 to 8 °C as supplied.

## BACKGROUND

Monoclonal 17A2 was generated by immunizing rats with a T-cell hybridoma (1). This antibody has been shown to react with the epsilon chain of the CD3 complex (1). The CD3 protein complex is expressed on thymocytes and mature T-cells and, therefore, is a useful reagent to monitor T-cell frequencies in tissues.

## References:

1. Miescher, G.C. *et al.* (1989) *Immunol. Lett.* **23**:113.