

# PE Rabbit anti-Rat CD8a mAb

**Catalog No.: A28358**

## Basic Information

### Observed MW

### Calculated MW

32 kDa

### Category

Primary antibody

### Applications

FC

### Cross-Reactivity

Rat

### CloneNo number

ARC77030

### Conjugate

PE. Ex:565nm. Em:574nm.

## Recommended Dilutions

**FC**      ≤0.25 µg per million cells  
in 100 µl volume

## Background

CD8a, a 32 kDa glycoprotein also known as T8, Lyt2, Ly-2, and CD8 $\alpha$ , is a member of the immunoglobulin superfamily. It is expressed on most thymocytes, subsets of mature T cells, the majority of NK cells, macrophages, and some activated (non-resting) CD4+ T cells. CD8a forms a heterodimer with the CD8 $\beta$  chain (CD8b) on the surface of most thymocytes. In contrast, mature peripheral T lymphocytes predominantly express the CD8  $\alpha\beta$  heterodimer. Intestinal intraepithelial lymphocytes express CD8a but lack CD8b expression. CD8 functions as an antigen co-receptor on T cells, interacting with Major Histocompatibility Complex (MHC) class I molecules on antigen-presenting cells or epithelial cells. CD8 participates in T cell activation by associating with the T cell receptor (TCR) complex and the protein tyrosine kinase lck (p56lck).

## Immunogen Information

**Gene ID**  
24930

**Swiss Prot**  
P07725

### Immunogen

Recombinant protein (or fragment). This information is considered to be commercially sensitive.

### Synonyms

T8; Lyt2; Ly-2; CD8 $\alpha$

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## Product Information

**Source**  
Rabbit

**Isotype**  
IgG

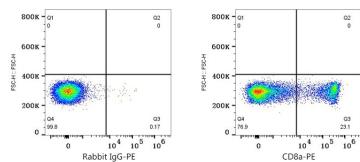
**Purification**  
Affinity purification

### Storage

Store at 2-8°C. Avoid freeze.  
Buffer: PBS with 0.09% Sodium azide, 0.2% BSA, pH7.3.

## Validation Data

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Flow cytometry: 1X10<sup>6</sup> Rat splenocytes were surface-stained with PE Rabbit IgG isotype control (A24172, 5 µl/Test, left) or PE Rabbit anti-Rat CD8a mAb (A28358, 0.25 µg, right).