

# Product Data Sheet

## PE anti-human FOXP3

Catalog # / Size:	320207 / 25 tests 320208 / 100 tests		
Clone:	259D		
Isotype:	Mouse IgG1, κ		
Immunogen:	full-length FOXP3 protein		
Reactivity:	Human, Cross-Reactivity: Cynomolgus, Rhesus, Baboon, Chimpanzee		
Preparation:	The antibody was purified by affinity chromatography, and conjugated with PE under optimal conditions. The solution is free of unconjugated PE and unconjugated antibody.		
Formulation:	Phosphate-buffered solution, pH 7.2, containing 0.09% sodium azide and 0.2% (w/v) BSA (origin USA).		
Storage:	The antibody solution should be stored undiluted at 4°C and protected from prolonged exposure to light. <b>Do not freeze.</b>		

## Applications:

Applications: ICFC - Quality tested

Recommended Usage: Each lot of this antibody is quality control tested by immunofluorescent intracellular staining with flow cytometric analysis. Test size products are transitioning from 20 µl to 5 µl per test. Please check your vial or your CoA to find the suggested use of this reagent per million cells in 100  $\mu$ l staining volume or per 100 µl of whole blood. It is recommended that the reagent be titrated for optimal performance for each application. Read more at www.biolegend.com/testsize regarding the test size change.



Human peripheral blood lymphocytes surface stained with CD4 FITC, then intracellular stained with 259D PE Quadrant markers were set based on staining with PE mouse IgG1, κ isotype control

Additional reported applications (for the relevant formats) include: Western blotting<sup>1</sup>, and immunohistochemical **Application Notes:** staining<sup>1</sup> of acetone-fixed frozen sections and formalin-fixed paraffin-embedded sections. The 259D antibody gives strong positivity on paraffin and frozen sections and the antibody stains some epithelial cells. The binding of 206D to FOXP3 can be partially blocked by 259D, but 206D does not show significant blocking effect on 259D binding.

### Surface Staining & FOXP3 Buffer Preparation:

Centrifugation steps: perform at 250Xg for 5min Incubation steps: perform at room temperature

Perform cell surface staining if necessary (See protocol: Cell Surface Immunofluorescence Staining Protocol).
 Prepare 1X buffer solutions of FOXP3 Fix/Perm buffer and FOXP3 Perm buffer in PBS.

**NOTE**: The FOXP3 Perm buffer (10X) may have crystalization or precipitation observed when it is stored at 2-8°C, however, it is normal and does not affect the buffer performance. If there is a heavy precipitation observed after diluting to 1X working solution, it may be clarified by filtering.

Caution: The FOXP3 Fix/Perm buffer contains paraformaldehyde, which is toxigenic and mutagenic. Please handle with caution and wear gloves, lab coat and necessary protection to avoid direct body contact.

### FOXP3 Intracellular Staining Procedures:

3. Add 1 ml of 1X Biolegend's FOXP3 Fix/Perm solution to each tube, resuspend the cells (gentle vortex) and incubate at room temperature in the dark for 20 minutes, then centrifuge and remove the supernatant. The cell pellet will now be translucent and difficult to see; take care not to dislodge and accidentally aspirate cells at all later stages of staining protocol.

- 4. Wash: resuspend cells in cell staining buffer (Cat. No. 420201); centrifuge, then discard the supernatant.
  5. Wash: resuspend in 1ml 1X BioLegend's FOXP3 Perm buffer; centrifuge, then discard the supernatant.
- 6. Resuspend cells in 1ml 1X BioLegend's FOXP3 Perm buffer, incubate in the dark for 15 minutes; centrifuge, then discard the supernatant. Resuspend the pellet in 100 µl of 1X BioLegend's FOXP3 Perm buffer.

7. Add appropriate amount of flurochrome conjugated anti-FOXP3 antibody and incubate at room temperature in the dark for 30 minutes.

8. Wash twice with cell staining buffer (see step 4) then resuspend in 0.5 ml cell staining buffer. Analyze with flow cytometer using appropriate instrument settings.

NOTE: BioLegend's FOXP3 Fix/Perm buffer set (Cat. No. 421403) is specifically developed and formulated for intracellular staining FOXP3 with minimum effect on surface fluorochrome staining and is highly recommended for

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Description:	FOXP3 is a 50-55 kD transcription factor, also known as Forkhead box protein P3, Scurfin, JM2, or IPEX. It is proposed to be a master regulatory gene and more specific marker of T regulatory cells than most cell surface markers (such as CD4 and CD25). Transduced expression of FOXP3 in CD4+/CD25 <sup>-</sup> cells has been shown to induce GITR, CD103, and CTLA4 and impart a T regulatory cell phenotype. FOXP3 is mutated in X-linked autoimmunity-allergic dysregulation syndrome (XLAAD or IPEX) in humans and in "scurfy" mice. Overexpression of FOXP3 has been shown to lead to a hypoactive immune state suggesting that this transcriptional factor is a central regulator of T cell activity. In human, unlike in mouse, two isoforms of FOXP3 have been reported: one (FOXP3) corresponding to the canonical full-length sequence; the other (FOXP3 δ2) lacking exon 2. The FOXP3 antibody 259D recognizes human FOXP3 epitope in the region of amino acids 105-235.			
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	Purified anti-human IL-10 Purified anti-T-bet FOXP3 Fix/Perm Buffer Set PE Mouse IgG1, κ Isotype Ctrl (ICFC) Human TruStain FcX™ (Fc Receptor	JES3-19F1 Poly6235 MOPC-21	ELISA Capture, IHC, WB WB ICFC ICFC FC, ICC, ICFC	
	Blocking Solution)			

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