# **Technical Data Sheet**

# PE Mouse Anti-Human CD127

#### **Product Information**

557938 **Material Number:** 

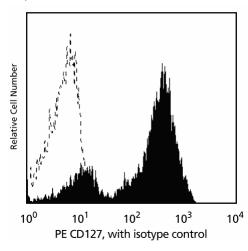
Alternate Name: Interleukin-7 receptor alpha

0.1 mg **Concentration:** 0.2 mg/mlHIL-7R-M21 Clone: Mouse IgG1, κ Isotype: QC Testing: Human Reactivity:

Storage Buffer: Aqueous buffered solution containing ≤0.09% sodium azide.

#### Description

Monoclonal antibody hIL-7R-M21 reacts with the 60 - 90 kDa glycoprotein, CD127. CD127 is also known as the IL-7 receptor alpha (IL-7Rα). The receptor is a heterodimer composed of the CD127 and the common gamma chain, shared by other cytokine receptors (IL-2R, IL-4R, IL-9R, and IL-15R). CD127 is expressed on thymocytes, T- and B-cell progenitors, mature T cells, and some lymphoid and myeloid cells. In vitro experiments show the expression of CD127 is down-regulated following T cell activation. Studies indicate that the IL-7 Receptor plays an important role in the proliferation and differentiation of mature T cells. Recently, it has been shown that low surface expression of CD127, in combination with intermediate to high suface expression of CD25, the α chain of the IL-2 receptor, can distinguish between human regulatory and conventional CD4+ T cells in human adult and cord blood, lymph nodes and thymus.



Profile of CD127 (hlL-7R-M21) expression on peripheral blood lymphocytes analyzed by flow cytometry.

### **Preparation and Storage**

The monoclonal antibody was purified from tissue culture supernatant or ascites by affinity chromatography. The antibody was conjugated with R-PE under optimum conditions, and unconjugated antibody and free PE were removed. Store undiluted at 4° C and protected from prolonged exposure to light. Do not freeze.

#### **Application Notes**

Application

Flow cytometry Routinely Tested

## **Suggested Companion Products**

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone
554680	PE Mouse IgG1, κ Isotype Control	0.1 mg	MOPC-21

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## **Product Notices**

- 1. Since applications vary, each investigator should titrate the reagent to obtain optimal results.
- 2. Please refer to www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/protocols for technical protocols.
- 3. Caution: Sodium azide yields highly toxic hydrazoic acid under acidic conditions. Dilute azide compounds in running water before discarding to avoid accumulation of potentially explosive deposits in plumbing.
- 4. This product may be covered by US Patent No. 5,543,320.

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