

## Technical Data Sheet

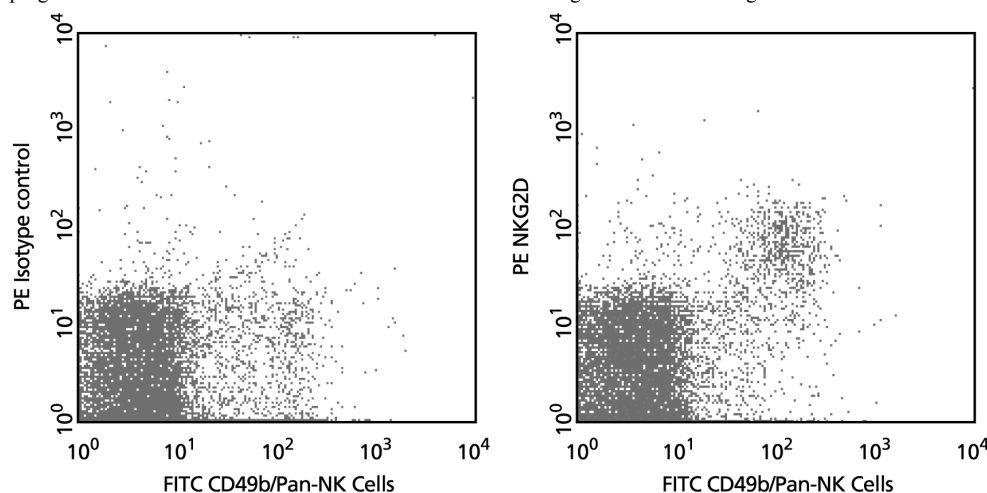
## PE Rat anti-Mouse CD314

## Product Information

<b>Material Number:</b>	<b>558403</b>
<b>Alternate Name:</b>	Klrl1; NKG2D; NKG2-D; NK cell receptor D; Natural killer cell group 2D
<b>Size:</b>	0.1 mg
<b>Concentration:</b>	0.2 mg/ml
<b>Clone:</b>	CX5
<b>Immunogen:</b>	Purified Mouse NKG2D protein
<b>Isotype:</b>	Rat IgG1
<b>Reactivity:</b>	QC Testing: Mouse
<b>Storage Buffer:</b>	Aqueous buffered solution containing ≤0.09% sodium azide.

## Description

The CX5 monoclonal antibody specifically binds to NKG2D, also known as CD314. NKG2D is a lectin-like receptor that is detected on resting and IL-2-activated NK cells, activated CD8-positive T lymphocytes, and LPS-activated macrophages, but not on resting T cells or unstimulated macrophages. NKG2D has little homology to the other members of the NKG2 family, NKG2A, C, and E, and does not form heterodimers with CD94. On NK cells, NKG2D is an activating receptor that associates with DAP10, an adapter protein that stimulates the PI3 kinase pathway. An isoform of mouse NKG2D can also associate with the signaling adapter protein DAP12, also known as KARAP (Killer cell-Associated Receptor-Associated Polypeptide), that activates the Syk and ZAP70 tyrosine kinases. On cytotoxic T cells, NKG2D is a co-stimulatory receptor that associates with DAP10. The ligands for NKG2D include the minor histocompatibility antigen H60, MULT1 (Murine UL16-binding protein-Like Transcript 1), and the five retinoic acid-inducible proteins Rae-1 $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$ ,  $\delta$  and  $\epsilon$ . Interactions of NKG2D with its ligands are involved in the regulation of innate and immune cytotoxic responses to tumor and pathogen-infected cells and in diabetes progression in the NOD mouse. The CX5 mAb blocks the binding of NKG2D to its ligands.



**Expression of NKG2D on splenic NK cells.** BALB/c splenocytes were stained with either PE Rat IgG1 isotype control mAb R3-34 (left panel, Cat. No. 553925) or PE mAb CX5 (right panel, Cat. No. 558403), in the presence of Mouse BD Fc Block™ Purified Rat Anti-CD16/CD32 mAb 2.4G2 (Cat. No. 553141/553142). NK cells were identified by staining with FITC anti-CD49b/Pan-NK Cells mAb DX5 (Cat. No. 553857), and viable cells were selected by exclusion of BD Via-Probe™ (Cat. No. 555815/555816). The majority of the cells expressing NKG2D are CD49b-expressing NK cells. Flow cytometry was performed on a BD FACSCalibur™ flow cytometry system.

## Preparation and Storage

Store undiluted at 4°C and protected from prolonged exposure to light. Do not freeze.

The antibody was conjugated with R-PE under optimum conditions, and unconjugated antibody and free PE were removed.

The monoclonal antibody was purified from tissue culture supernatant or ascites by affinity chromatography.

## Application Notes

## Application

Flow cytometry	Routinely Tested
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## Suggested Companion Products

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone
553925	PE Rat IgG1, $\kappa$ Isotype Control	0.1 mg	R3-34
553141	Purified Rat Anti-Mouse CD16/CD32 (Mouse BD Fc Block™)	0.1 mg	2.4G2
553142	Purified Rat Anti-Mouse CD16/CD32 (Mouse BD Fc Block™)	0.5 mg	2.4G2

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555815	Cell Viability Solution	500 tests	(none)
555816	Cell Viability Solution	100 tests	(none)
553857	FITC Rat Anti-Mouse CD49b	0.5 mg	DX5
554656	Stain Buffer (FBS)	500 ml	(none)

## Product Notices

1. Since applications vary, each investigator should titrate the reagent to obtain optimal results.
2. 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.
3. An isotype control should be used at the same concentration as the antibody of interest.
4. For fluorochrome spectra and suitable instrument settings, please refer to our Multicolor Flow Cytometry web page at [www.bdbiosciences.com/colors](http://www.bdbiosciences.com/colors).
5. Please refer to [www.bdbiosciences.com/pharming/protocols](http://www.bdbiosciences.com/pharming/protocols) for technical protocols.

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