# **Technical Data Sheet**

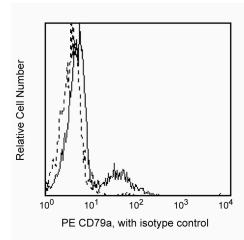
# PE Mouse Anti-Human CD79a

#### **Product Information**

Material Number:	561942
Alternate Name:	Igα, mb-1
Size:	25 tests
Vol. per Test:	20 µl
Clone:	HM47
Isotype:	Mouse IgG1, κ
Reactivity:	QC Testing: Human
	Cross Reactivity Confirmed in Development: Mouse
Workshop:	V cB017
Storage Buffer:	Aqueous buffered solution containing BSA and ≤0.09% sodium azide.

#### Description

Reacts with the cytoplasmic domain of a 47 kDa membrane glycoprotein present on B lymphocytes, also referred to as mb-1. It is expressed on B cells at various stages of differentiation, from pre-B cell stage, probably before expression of cytoplasmic  $\mu$  chain, to plasma cell stage, in which it is detected only in the cytoplasm. CD79a associates with CD79b to form part of the B-cell receptor complex. It has been suggested that CD79a may play a role in mediating the transport of IgM to the cell surface. This antibody has been found to react on permeabilized A20 cells (mouse B cell line).



Profile of permeabilized peripheral blood lymphocytes with Cytofix/Cytoperm (Cat# 554714) analyzed on a FACScan (BDIS, San Jose, CA)

# Preparation and Storage

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

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.

# **Application Notes**

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Intracellular staining (flow cytometry)	Routinely Tested	
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#### Suggested Companion Products

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone
555749	PE Mouse IgG1, κ Isotype Control	100 tests	MOPC-21
554714	BD Cytofix/Cytoperm <sup>™</sup> Fixation/Permeablization Kit	250 tests	(none)

### **Product Notices**

- 1. This reagent has been pre-diluted for use at the recommended Volume per Test. We typically use  $1 \times 10^{6}$  cells in a 100-µl experimental sample (a test).
- 2. Please refer to www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/protocols for technical protocols.
- 3. For fluorochrome spectra and suitable instrument settings, please refer to our Fluorochrome Web Page at www.bdbiosciences.com/colors.

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- 4. 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.
- 5. Source of all serum proteins is from USDA inspected abattoirs located in the United States.
- 6. An isotype control should be used at the same concentration as the antibody of interest.

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