PERFORMANCE DATA SHEET



Monoclonal anti-human TCR Vβ3/FITC*

mAb name/Clone: JOVI-3 *Isotype:* Mouse IgG2aλ

Immunogen: Human HA1.7 TCR β chain expressed on transgenic mouse cells

CATALOG#: 102-040 **QUANTITY: 120 tests**

VOLUME IN VIAL: 0.2 ml

WORKING DILUTION: 1:50 (or use 1.6µl of concentrated stock per 5 x 10⁵-cell test)

INFORMATION: Human T cell receptor (TCR) is a T cell surface expressed heterodimer of α/β or γ/δ chains. TCR's recognize antigen peptides bound to MHC molecules forming the basis of antigen specific response by T cells.

Antibody JOVI-3 is specific for the human Vβ3 TCR gene product and reacts with 1-10% of T cells in normal human blood. Antibody JOVI-3 is mitogenic for T cells expressing TCR VB3.

References: J.L. Viney, et al, (1992) Hybridoma 11: 701-713. A. Weiss, (1993) Cell 73: 209-212. M.M. Daris, (1995) Nature **375**: 104. S. Valitutti, et al, (1995) Nature **375**: 148-151.

STORAGE CONDITIONS: *Store at 2 - 5°C*. Freeze/Thawing is not recommended. Protect from light.

PRODUCT STABILITY: Product should retain activity for at least 12 months after shipping date when stored as recommended. Ship Date:

BUFFER: 50 mM Sodium Phosphate pH 7.5, 100 mM Potassium Chloride, 150mM NaCl, 5% Glycerol, 0.2% BSA, 0.04% NaN₃ (as a preservative).

PRODUCTION: Protein A purified antibody from hollow fiber bioreactor EC was reacted with FITC. Unconjugated FITC was separated from antibody/FITC conjugate by desalting column. The antibody/FITC conjugate is at approximately **0.5 mg/ml** with a Fluorescein/IgG molar ratio of 6.0.

PERFORMANCE: Five x 10⁵ cultured **CH7C17** tumor cells (HA1.7 Vβ3+ transfectant) were washed and incubated 45 minutes on ice with 80 µl of anti-TCR Vβ3 at a 1:50 dilution (10µg/ml). Cells were washed three times, fixed and analyzed by FACS. Cells stained positive with a mean shift of 1.0 log₁₀ fluorescent units when compared to a Mouse IgG2a/FITC negative control (Catalog# 281-040). Binding was blocked when cells were pre incubated with 20 µl of 0.5mg/ml unlabeled anti-TCR VB3 mAb (catalog #102-020).

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Binding of anti-TCR Vb3/FiTC to CH7C17 cells

