

# PERFORMANCE DATA SHEET

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## Monoclonal anti-human CD81 (TAPA-1)\*

**mAb name/Clone:** 1.3.3.22

**Isotype:** Mouse IgG1

**Immunogen:** Human B cell line from Burkitt lymphoma

**CATALOG#:** 302-020

**QUANTITY:** 100 µg

**CONCENTRATION:** 1.0 mg/ml

**INFORMATION:** Human CD81 is a member of the tetraspan family of leukocyte cell surface molecules which are involved in signal transduction, cell-cell adhesion, and cellular activation (1). Association of CD81 with integrins appears to be functionally important in the regulation of cell adhesion and activation (2, 3). Recent work with CD81-null mice indicates CD81 is important for development of humoral immune response (4). Antibody 1.3.3.22 reacts with the 24 kd tetraspan CD81 molecule.

**References:** (1) Leukocyte Typing V (S.F. Schlossman, et al, eds.) Oxford University Press, Oxford (1995) p. 684-691. (2) B.A. Mannion, et al, (1996) J Immunol **157**: 2039-2047. (3) S.C. Todd, et al, (1996) J Exp Med **184**: 2055-2060. 4.) H.T. Maecker & S. Levy (1997) J Exp Med **185**: 1505-1510.

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

**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, 0.5 mg/ml Gentamicin Sulfate (as a preservative).

**PRODUCTION:** Antibody was Protein A purified from (low FBS containing) tissue culture supernatant. Purity was >95% Immunoglobulin by SDS-PAGE with less than 1% Bovine Immunoglobulin.

**PERFORMANCE:** Five x 10<sup>5</sup> cultured human **Raji** cells were washed and incubated 45 minutes on ice with 80 µl of anti-CD81 antibody at a concentration of 5 µg/ml. Cells were washed twice and incubated with 2<sup>o</sup> reagent Goat anti-Mouse IgG/FITC (Catalog #232-011), after which they were washed three times, fixed and analyzed by FACS. Cells stained positive with a mean shift of 1.74 log<sub>10</sub> fluorescent units when compared to a Mouse IgG1 negative control (Catalog #278-010).

\* **Research Use Only. Not for use in Diagnostic procedures.**

**Binding of anti-CD81 antibody + GAM/FITC to human Raji Cells**

