## PERFORMANCE DATA SHEET

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

*mAb name/Clone:* 1.3.3.22 *Isotype:* Mouse IgG1

Immunogen: Human B cell line from Burkitt lymphoma

CATALOG#: 302-040
QUANTITY: 120 tests

VOLUME IN VIAL: 0.2ml
WORKING DILUTION: 1:50 (or use 1.6µl of concentrated stock per 5 x 10<sup>5</sup>-cell test)

**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<sup>o</sup>C*. Freeze/Thawing is not recommended.

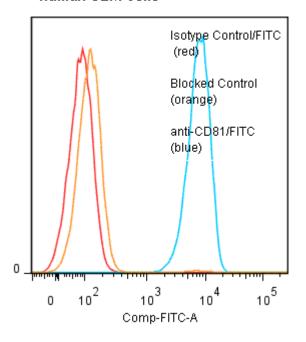
**PRODUCT STABILITY:** Product should retain activity for at least 12 months after shipping date when stored as recommended. Ship Date:\_\_\_\_\_

**BUFFER:** 50 mM Sodium Phosphate pH 7.5, 100 mM Potassium Chloride, 150mM NaCl, 5% Glycerol, 0.2% BSA, 0.04% NaN<sub>3</sub> (as a preservative).

**PRODUCTION:** Protein A purified antibody from tissue culture supernatant was reacted with FITC. Unconjugated FITC was separated from antibody/FITC conjugate by desalting column. The antibody/FITC conjugate is at **0.5 mg/ml** with a Fluorescein/IgG molar ratio of 6.9.

**PERFORMANCE:** Five x  $10^5$  cultured human **CEM** cells were washed and incubated 45 minutes on ice with 80  $\mu$ l of anti-CD81/FITC at a **1:50** dilution factor ( $10\mu$ g/ml). Cells were washed three times, fixed and analyzed by FACS. Cells stained positive with a mean shift of **1.98**  $\log_{10}$  fluorescent units when compared to a Mouse IgG1/FITC negative control (Catalog #278-040). Binding was blocked when cells were pre incubated 10 minutes with 20  $\mu$ l of 0.5 mg/ml anti-CD81 antibody (Catalog #302-020).

## Binding of anti-CD81/FITC to human CEM cells



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