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# Purified Anti-Human CD3 (Hit3a)

Catalog Number: 70-0039

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

**Contents:** Purified Anti-Human CD3 (Hit3a)

Isotype: Mouse IgG2a, kappa

Concentration: 0.5 mg/mL

Clone: Hit3a

Reactivity: Human

Use By: 12 months from date of receipt

Storage Conditions: 2-8°C

Formulation: 10 mM NaH2PO4, 150 mM NaCl, 0.09% NaN3, pH7.2

## **DESCRIPTION**

The Hit3a antibody is specific for human CD3e, also known as CD3 epsilon, a 20 kDa subunit of the T cell receptor complex, along with CD3 gamma and CD3 delta. These integral membrane protein chains assemble with additional chains of the T cell receptor (TCR), as well as CD3 zeta chain, to form the T cell receptor - CD3 complex. Together with co-receptors CD4 or CD8, the complex serves to recognize antigens bound to MHC molecules on antigen-presenting cells. These interactions promote T cell receptor signaling (T cell activation), inducing cell proliferation, differentiation, production of cytokines or activationinduced cell death. CD3 is differentially expressed during thymocyte-to-T cell development and on all mature T cells. The Hit3a antibody is a widely used phenotypic marker for human T cells. In addition, binding/cross-linking of Hit3a antibody to CD3e can induce cell activation. The antibody has also been demonstrated to be cross-reactive with Chimpanzee CD3.

# **PREPARATION & STORAGE**

This monoclonal antibody preparation was purified from tissue culture supernatant via affinity chromatography. For In Vivo Ready™ (IVR) products, each preparation is also evaluated for endotoxin levels using the LAL assay. It is recommended to store the product undiluted at 4°C. Do not freeze.

#### **APPLICATION NOTES**

This purified format is guaranteed to be >90% pure as determined by SDS-PAGE analysis. Tonbo Biosciences tests all of our antibodies by flow cytometry. Citations may be provided as a resource for additional applications that have not been validated by Tonbo Biosciences - please consult Materials and Methods sections for additional details about the use of any product in these publications.

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