

## Biotin Anti-Mouse CD49b/pan-NK cells Antibody[DX5]

Catalog Number: E-AB-F1116B

**Note:** Centrifuge before opening to ensure complete recovery of vial contents.

### Description

<b>Reactivity</b>	Mouse
<b>Host</b>	Rat
<b>Isotype</b>	Rat IgM, κ
<b>Clone No.</b>	DX5
<b>Isotype Control</b>	Biotin Rat IgM, κ Isotype Control[RTK2118] [Product E-AB-F09773B]
<b>Conjugation</b>	Biotin
<b>Storage Buffer</b>	Phosphate buffered solution, pH 7.2, containing 0.09% sodium azide and 1% BSA.

### Applications

#### Recommended usage

#### FCM

Each lot of this antibody is quality control tested by flow cytometric analysis. For flow cytometric staining, the suggested use of this reagent is  $\leq 1.0 \mu\text{g}$  per  $10^6$  cells in 100  $\mu\text{L}$  volume or 100  $\mu\text{L}$  of whole blood. It is recommended that the reagent be titrated for optimal performance for each application.

### Preparation & Storage

<b>Storage</b>	Keep as concentrated solution. This product can be stored at 2-8°C for 12 months. Do not freeze.
<b>Shipping</b>	Ice bag

### Antigen Information

<b>Alternate Names</b>	CD49 antigen-like family member B;CD49b;Collagen receptor;GPIa;Integrin alpha-2; Platelet membrane glycoprotein Ia;VLA-2 subunit alpha;pan-NK cells
<b>Uniprot ID</b>	Q62469
<b>Gene ID</b>	16398
<b>Background</b>	DX5 antigen has been recently characterized as CD49b. It is a 150 kD integrin $\alpha$ chain also known as $\alpha 2$ integrin, VLA-2 $\alpha$ chain, and integrin $\alpha 2$ chain. CD49b non-covalently associates with CD29 ( $\beta 1$ integrin) to form the CD49b/CD29 complex known as VLA-2, a receptor for collagen and laminin. CD49b is expressed on platelets, the majority of NK cells, NKT cells, and a small subset of CD8+ T cells (this population can be significantly increased following viral infection). DX5 is used for the identification and isolation of NK cells, and is especially useful for identifying NK cells in mice lacking the NK1.1 antigen.

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