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# PE/Cyanine 5.5 Anti-Mouse CD49b/pan-NK cells Antibody [DX5]

Catalog Number: E-AB-F1116l

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

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 Reactivity
 Mouse

 Host
 Rat

 Isotype
 Rat IgM, κ

 Clone No.
 DX5

Isotype Control [Product E-AB-F09772I]

Conjugation PE/Cyanine 5.5

**Conjugation Information** PE/Cyanine5.5 is designed to be excited by the Blue (488 nm), Green (532 nm) and

yellow-green (561 nm) lasers and detected using an optical filter centered near 690 nm

(e.g., a 690/50 nm bandpass filter).

Storage Buffer Phosphate buffered solution, pH 7.2, containing 0.09% stabilizer and 1% protein

protectant.

### Applications

### Recommended usage

**FCM** 

Each lot of this antibody is quality control tested by flow cytometric analysis. The amount of the reagent is suggested to be used 5  $\mu$ L of antibody per test (million cells in 100  $\mu$ L staining volume or per 100  $\mu$ L of whole blood). Please check your vial before the experiment. Since applications vary, the appropriate dilutions must be determined for individual use.

# **Preparation & Storage**

**Storage** Keep as concentrated solution.

This product can be stored at 2-8°C for 12 months. Please protected from prolonged

exposure to light and do not freeze.

Shipping Ice bag

#### **Antigen Information**

Alternate Names CD49 antigen-like family member B;CD49b;Collagen receptor;GPla;Integrin alpha-2;

Platelet membrane glycoprotein la;VLA-2 subunit alpha;pan-NK cells

 Uniprot ID
 Q62469

 Gene ID
 16398

Background DX5 antigen has been recently characterized as CD49b. It is a 150 kD integrin α 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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