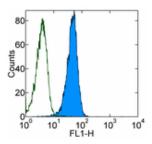


# Anti-Mouse RAE1 gamma Purified

Catalog Number: 14-5881

Also Known As: RAE1gamma, RAE1-g, RAE-1-g

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Staining of Yac-1 cell line with 0.125  $\mu g$  of Rat IgG2b  $\kappa$  Isotype Control Purified (cat. 14-4031) (open histogram) or 0.125  $\mu g$  of Anti-Mouse RAE1 $\gamma$  Purified (filled histogram) followed by Anti-Rat IgG FITC (cat. 11-4811). Total viable cells were used for analysis.

#### **Product Information**

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Clone: CX1

Concentration: 0.5 mg/ml Host/Isotype: Rat IgG2b, κ Formulation: aqueous buffer, 0.09% sodium azide, contains

stabilizer if necessary

Temperature Limitation: Store at 2-8°C.

Batch Code: Refer to Vial

Use By: Refer to Vial

Caution, contains Azide

#### Description

The CX1 monoclonal antibody reacts with the mouse retinoic acid early inducible gamma (RAE-1 $\gamma$ ) and weakly cross-reacts with the RAE-1 $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ , but not with  $\delta$  and  $\epsilon$ . These 5 members of the RAE-1 family, along with another protein encoded by the minor histocompatibility gene complex called H60 have been identified as ligands for the mouse NKG2D molecule. These ligands are normally absent from adult tissue, however the presence of retinoic acid or certain disease conditions (such as tumors) can induce up-regulation of this protein at the cell surface. RAE-1 $\alpha$ , - $\beta$ , and - $\gamma$  and H60 are expressed in BALB/c mice, but not in C57BL/6, whereas RAE-1 $\delta$ , and - $\epsilon$  are expressed in C57BL/6 mice. It is reported that in NOD mice, both NKG2D and its ligand RAE-1 are expressed on the same NK cells, resulting in self-modulation of NKG2D expression and function.

## **Applications Reported**

For research use only, not for diagnostic or therapeutic use. The CX1 antibody has been reported for use in flow cytometric analysis. it has also been reported in blocking of NKG2D to RAE-1 in functional assays. (Please use Functional Grade purified CX1, cat. 16-5881, in functional assays.)

#### **Applications Tested**

The CX1 antibody has been tested by flow cytometric analysis of YAC-1 cell line and mouse splenocytes. This can be used at less than or equal to 0.125  $\mu$ g per test. A test is defined as the amount ( $\mu$ g) of antibody that will stain a cell sample in a final volume of 100  $\mu$ L. Cell number should be determined empirically but can range from 10<sup>5</sup> to 10<sup>8</sup> cells/test. It is recommended that the antibody be carefully titrated for optimal performance in the assay of interest.

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