

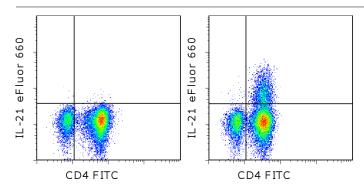
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## Anti-Human IL-21 eFluor® 660

Catalog Number: 50-7219

Also known as: Interleukin-21, IL21

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Intracellular staining of Th17-polarized normal human peripheral blood cells restimulated with monensin alone (left) or PMA/Ionomycin and monensin for 5 hours (right) with Anti-Human CD4 FITC (cat. 11-0049) and Anti-Human IL-21 eFluor® 660. Cells in the lymphocyte gate were used for analysis.

#### **Product Information**

Contents: Anti-Human IL-21 eFluor® 660

REF

Catalog Number: 50-7219 Clone: eBio3A3-N2 (3A3-N2) Concentration: 5 uL(0.125 ug)/test Host/Isotype: Mouse IgG1, kappa



**Formulation:** aqueous buffer, 0.09% sodium azide, may contain carrier protein/stabilizer **Temperature Limitation:** Store at 2-8°C. Do not

freeze. Light-sensitive material. **Batch Code:** Refer to vial **Use By:** Refer to vial



#### Description

The monoclonal antibody eBio3A3-N2 reacts with human IL-21, a potent stimulator of NK and cytolytic T cells. IL-21 is a 131 amino acid protein most closely related to IL-2 and IL-15. Expression is found in CD4+ cells upon activation. In addition to its effect on NK cells, IL-21 stimulates proliferation of B-cell stimulated by crosslinking of the CD40 antigen and stimulates the proliferation of bone marrow progenitor cells and the expression of the NK-cell marker CD56 in the presence of IL-15.

## **Applications Reported**

This eBio3A3-N2 (3A3-N2) antibody has been reported for use in intracellular staining followed by flow cytometric analysis.

#### **Applications Tested**

This eBio3A3-N2 (3A3-N2) antibody has been pre-titrated and tested by intracellular staining and flow cytometric analysis of restimulated, Th17-polarized normal human peripheral blood cells. This can be used at 5  $\mu$ L (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.

Staining for IL-21 has shown donor variability. Stimulation times may vary depending on the donor and should be optimized. Increased staining levels have been observed on Th17-polarized PBMCs. Please contact Technical support at tech@ebioscience.com for additional information.

eFluor® 660 is a replacement for Alexa Fluor® 647. eFluor® 660 emits at 659 nm and is excited with the red laser (633 nm). Please make sure that your instrument is capable of detecting this fluorochome.

#### References

Parrish-Novak J, et al. 2002. Interleukin-21 and the IL-21 receptor: novel effectors of NK and T cell responses. J Leukoc Biol. 72(5):856-63.



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### **Related Products**

11-0049 Anti-Human CD4 FITC (RPA-T4) 50-4714 Mouse IgG1 K Isotype Control eFluor® 660 (P3.6.2.8.1)