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Warnings

Reagents contain sodium azide. Under acidic conditions sodium azide yields hydrazoic acid, which is extremely toxic. Azide compounds should be diluted with running water before discarding. These precautions are recommended to avoid deposits in plumbing where explosive conditions may develop.

1. Description

This product is for research use only.

Components Monoclonal CD90 antibodies, human conjugated to:

Conjugate	Order no. 1 mL (100 tests)	Order no. 300 µL (30 tests)
FITC	130-095-403	130-097-930
PE	130-095-400	130-097-932
APC	130-095-402	130-097-935
VioBlue®	130-099-271	130-099-272
PE-Vio770™	130-099-295	130-099-296
APC-Vio770™	130-099-287	130-099-289
Biotin	130-099-266	130-099-267

Clone DG3 (isotype: mouse IgG1).

Capacity 1 mL: 100 tests or up to 10⁹ total cells
300 µL: 30 tests or up to 3×10⁸ total cells.

Product format Antibodies are supplied in buffer containing stabilizer and 0.05% sodium azide.

Storage Store protected from light at 2–8 °C. Do not freeze. The expiration date is indicated on the vial label.

1.1 Background information

- Antigen: CD90

- Synonym: Thy-1
- Expression patterns: CD90 is a 25–35 kD GPI-anchored protein of the Ig superfamily. It is expressed on, neurons, small subsets of human fetal liver cells and thymocytes, cord blood, and bone marrow cells. CD90 is also expressed on a subset of CD34⁺ primitive hematopoietic stem cells. CD90⁺CD34⁺ cells characterize a highly enriched population of high proliferative potential colony-forming cells (HPP-CFC)¹. Furthermore, CD90 expression is found on mesenchymal stromal cells (MSCs)². CD90 is involved in regulation of adhesion and signal transduction of T cells.

1.2 Applications

- Identification and enumeration of CD90⁺ cells by flow cytometry.

1.3 Recommended antibody dilution

The recommended antibody dilution for all CD90 conjugates is **1:11 for up to 10⁷ cells/100 µL** of buffer for labeling of cells and subsequent analysis by flow cytometry.

The antibody is suited for staining of formaldehyde-fixed cells.

1.4 Reagent requirements

- Buffer: Prepare a solution containing phosphate-buffered saline (PBS), pH 7.2, 0.5% bovine serum albumin (BSA), and 2 mM EDTA by diluting MACS® BSA Stock Solution (# 130-091-376) 1:20 with autoMACS® Rinsing Solution (# 130-091-222). Keep buffer cold (2–8 °C).

▲ Note: EDTA can be replaced by other supplements such as anticoagulant citrate dextrose formula-A (ACD-A) or citrate phosphate dextrose (CPD). Buffers or media containing Ca²⁺ or Mg²⁺ are not recommended for use.

- (Optional) FcR Blocking Reagent, human (# 130-059-901) to avoid Fc receptor-mediated antibody labeling.
- (Optional) Conjugated anti-biotin antibodies, e.g., Anti-Biotin-PE (# 130-090-756) as secondary antibody reagent in combination with CD90-Biotin.
- (Optional) For antibodies for additional staining or for isotype control, refer to www.miltenyibiotec.com/antibodies.
- (Optional) Propidium Iodide Solution (# 130-093-233) for flow cytometric exclusion of dead cells without fixation.
- (Optional) Fixation and Dead Cell Discrimination Kit (# 130-091-163) for cell fixation and flow cytometric exclusion of dead cells.

2. General protocol for immunofluorescent staining

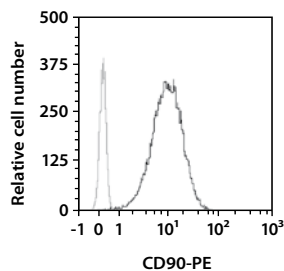
Volumes given below are for **up to 10⁷** nucleated cells. When working with fewer than 10⁷ cells, use the same volumes as indicated. When working with higher cell numbers, scale up all reagent volumes and

total volumes accordingly (e.g. for 2×10^7 nucleated cells, use twice the volume of all indicated reagent volumes and total volumes).

1. Determine cell number.
2. Centrifuge cell suspension at $300 \times g$ for 10 minutes. Aspirate supernatant completely.
3. Resuspend up to 10^7 nucleated cells per 100 μL of buffer.
4. Add 10 μL of the CD90 antibody.
5. Mix well and incubate for 10 minutes in the dark in the refrigerator ($2-8^\circ\text{C}$).
▲ Note: Higher temperatures and/or longer incubation times may lead to non-specific cell labeling. Working on ice requires increased incubation times.
6. Wash cells by adding 1–2 mL of buffer and centrifuge at $300 \times g$ for 10 minutes. Aspirate supernatant completely.
7. (Optional) If CD90-Biotin was used, resuspend the cell pellet in 100 μL of buffer, add 10 μL of anti-biotin antibody, and continue as described in steps 5 and 6.
8. Resuspend cell pellet in a suitable amount of buffer for analysis by flow cytometry or fluorescence microscopy.

3. Example of immunofluorescent staining with CD90 antibodies

Human umbilical venous endothelial cells (HUVECs) were stained with CD90 antibodies conjugated to PE and analyzed by flow cytometry using the MACSQuant® Analyzer. Black line represents CD90 staining, grey line represents isotype control.



For more examples please refer to the respective product page at www.miltenyibiotec.com/antibodies.

4. References

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Refer to www.miltenyibiotec.com for all data sheets and protocols.

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