

Anti-IL-17A antibodies, human

For research use only

One test corresponds to labeling of up to 10^{7} cells in a total volume of 100 μ L.

Product	Content	Order no.
Anti-IL-17A-Vio667	for 30 tests	130-111-933
Anti-IL-17A-FITC	for 30 tests	130-099-097
Anti-IL-17A-FITC	for 100 tests	130-094-520
Anti-IL-17A-PE	for 30 tests	130-099-420
Anti-IL-17A-PE	for 100 tests	130-094-521
Anti-IL-17A-APC	for 30 tests	130-099-202
Anti-IL-17A-APC	for 100 tests	130-094-519
Anti-IL-17A-VioBlue	for 30 tests	130-108-193
Anti-IL-17A-VioBlue	for 100 tests	130-097-018
Anti-IL-17A-PE-Vio615	for 30 tests	130-107-200
Anti-IL-17A-PE-Vio615	for 100 tests	130-107-145
Anti-IL-17A-PE-Vio770	for 30 tests	130-100-327
Anti-IL-17A-PE-Vio770	for 100 tests	130-096-748
Anti-IL-17A-APC-Vio770	for 30 tests	130-100-077
Anti-IL-17A-APC-Vio770	for 100 tests	130-096-656
Anti-IL-17A-Vio667	for 100 tests	130-111-767

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.

Technical data and background information

Antigen	IL-17A	
Clone	CZ8-23G1	
Isotype	mouse IgG1ĸ	
Isotype control	Mouse IgG1 – isotype control antibodies	
Alternative names of antigen	CTLA-8, IL-17	
Entrez Gene ID	3605	
Molecular mass of antigen [kDa]	15	
Cross-reactivity	rhesus monkey (<i>Macaca mulatta</i>), cynomolgus monkey (<i>Macaca fascicularis</i>)	
Product format	Reagents are supplied in buffer containing stabilizer and 0.05% sodium azide.	

Fixation

Storage

The antibody is suited for staining of formaldehyde-fixed cells. Store protected from light at 2–8 °C. Do not freeze.

Clone CZ8-23G1 detects human interleukin 17 (IL-17). Interleukin 17A (CTLA8), a member of the IL-17 family (IL-17A-F), is a disulfide-linked homodimeric glycoprotein. Human IL-17A consists of 155 amino acids with a molecular weight of around 35 kDa. IL-17A is produced by CD4⁺T helper cells, a third T cell subset termed TH17, which secrete also cytokines such as IL-17F and IL-22 and express the NK cell marker CD161. IL-17A secretion has also been described for other cell types, such as CD8⁺ memory T cells. Furthermore, intracellular IL-17A has also been detected in eosinophils, neutrophils, and blood monocytes. Emerging data about TH17 cells suggest that these cells are involved in the recruitment of neutrophils to control early stages of infections to a number of pathogens, such as extracellular bacteria and fungi. IL-17A and TH17 cells have been shown to play an important role in immune-mediated diseases, such as rheumatoid arthritis, psoriasis, multiple sclerosis, asthma, inflammatory bowel diseases, and other immune-mediated inflammatory conditions. Depending on the cytokine milieu present at time of the initial engagement, CD4⁺ naive T cells can differentiate into various subsets (TH1, TH2, and TH17). For the differentiation into TH17 cells several cytokines have been described, including TGF- β , IL-1 β , IL-6, IL-21, and IL-23. RORyt was identified as the master regulator gene for TH17 cells.

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 Ca^{2+} or Mg^{2+} are not recommended for use.

- Inside Stain Kit (# 130-090-477) for the fixation and permeabilization of cells containing Inside Fix and Inside Perm.
- (Optional) FcR Blocking Reagent, human (# 130-059-901) to avoid Fc receptor-mediated antibody labeling.
- (Optional) Fluorochrome-conjugated anti-biotin antibodies, e.g., Anti-Biotin-PE (# 130-090-756) as secondary antibody reagent in combination with biotinylated antibodies.
- (Optional) Fixation and Dead Cell Discrimination Kit (# 130-091-163) for cell fixation and flow cytometric exclusion of dead cells.

Protocol for intracellular staining of cells

- The recommended antibody dilution for labeling of cells and subsequent analysis by flow cytometry is 1:10 for up to 10^{\prime} cells/100 µL of buffer.
- It is recommended to stain 10⁶ cells per sample. When working with up to 10⁷ cells, use volumes as indicated. When working with higher cell numbers, scale up all reagent volumes and total volumes accordingly (e.g. for 2×10⁷ nucleated cells, use twice the volume of all indicated reagent volumes and total volumes).
- The special protocol "Intracellular staining in combination with magnetic cell separation" is available for download at www.miltenyibiotec.com/protocols. In-column intracellular staining of cells immobilized on an MS Column is especially advantageous for the analysis of rare cells.
- 1. Wash up to 10^7 cells by adding 1–2 mL of buffer and centrifuge at 300×g for 10 minutes. Aspirate supernatant completely.
- (Optional) Stain cell surface antigens that are sensitive to fixation with appropriate antibodies according to the manufacturer's recommendations. Then wash cells by adding 1–2 mL of buffer and centrifuge at 300×g for 10 minutes. Aspirate supernatant completely.
- 3. Resuspend up to 10^7 cells in 500 µL of buffer.
- 4. Add 500 μL of Inside Fix (Inside Stain Kit). Mix well and incubate for 20 minutes in the dark at room temperature.
- 5. Centrifuge at $300 \times g$ for 5 minutes. Aspirate supernatant carefully.
- 6. Wash cells by adding 1 mL of buffer and centrifuge at 300×g for 5 minutes. Aspirate supernatant carefully. Note: Fixed cells may be stored in azide-containing buffer at 2–8 °C for up to 1 week.
- 7. (Optional) Stain cell surface antigens that are sensitive to permeabilization with appropriate antibodies according to the manufacturer's recommendations. Then wash cells by adding 1–2 mL of buffer and centrifuge at 300×g for 10 minutes. Aspirate supernatant completely.
- 8. Wash cells by adding 1 mL of Inside Perm (Inside Stain Kit) and centrifuge at $300 \times g$ for 5 minutes. Aspirate supernatant

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carefully.

9. Resuspend cells in 90 μ L of Inside Perm. Add 10 μ L of the antibody.

Note: For staining with several antibodies in this step, reduce the volume of Inside Perm accordingly. For efficient permeabilization, the volume of Inside Perm should be at least 30% of the overall staining volume.

- 10. Mix well and incubate for 10 minutes in the dark at room temperature.
- 11. Wash cells by adding 1 mL of Inside Perm and centrifuge at $300 \times g$ for 5 minutes. Aspirate supernatant carefully.
- 12. (Optional) If biotinylated antibody was used, resuspend the cell pellet in 100 μ L of Inside Perm, add 10 μ L of fluorochromeconjugated anti-biotin antibody, and continue as described in steps 10 and 11.
- 13. Resuspend cell pellet in a suitable amount of buffer for analysis by flow cytometry or fluorescence microscopy. Store cells at 2-8 °C in the dark until analysis. Mix well before flow cytometric acquisition.
- Note: Samples may be stored at 2–8 °C in the dark for up to 24 hours.
- Note: Do not use propidium iodide (PI) or 7-AAD staining.

Examples of immunofluorescent staining

PBMCs from rhesus monkey were incubated with CytoStim for 6 hours or left untreated. After two hours, brefeldin A was added. The cells were fixed, permeabilized, and intracellularly stained with Anti-IL-17A-PE and CD154-APC. Cells were analyzed by flow cytometry using the MACSQuant_®Analyzer.

CytoStim-stimulated PBMCs



Anti-IL-17A-PE

Unstimulated control



Anti-IL-17A-PE

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