

# Anti-Human CD8 $\alpha$ -162Dy

## Pathologist-Verified Clone for Imaging Mass Cytometry™

Catalog: 3162035D

Package size and concentration: 25  $\mu$ g, 0.5 mg/mL

Storage: Store at 4 °C. Do not freeze.

Reactivity: Human

Clone: D8A8Y

Isotype: Rabbit IgG

Formulation: Antibody stabilizer with 0.05% sodium azide

Application: IMC-Paraffin

## Technical Information

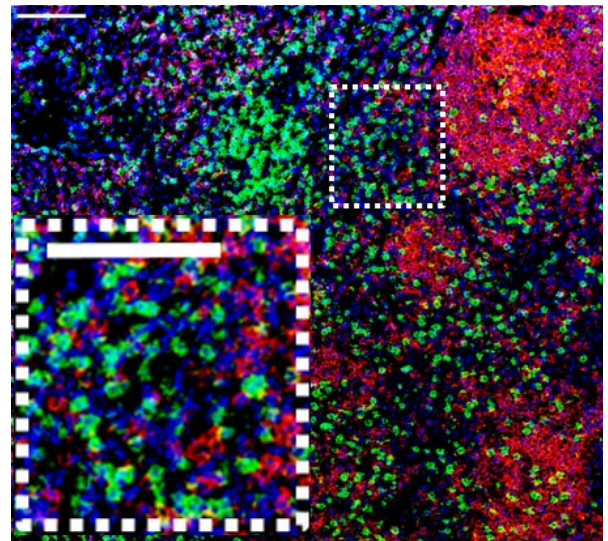
**Application:** The metal-tagged antibody is designed and formulated for the application of Imaging Mass Cytometry (IMC™) using the Fluidigm Hyperion™ Imaging System on formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded (FFPE) tissue sections.

**Quality control:** Each lot of conjugated antibody is quality control-tested by Imaging Mass Cytometry on tissue sections.

**Recommended concentration:** For optimal performance it is recommended that the antibody be titrated for the desired application. Suggested initial dilution range:  
 IMC-Paraffin: 1:25 to 1:100

## Description

CD8, also known as T8 and Leu2, is a type I membrane glycoprotein consisting of two disulfide-linked chains (CD8 $\alpha$ , CD8 $\beta$ ). CD8 is a member of the immunoglobulin superfamily found on the majority of thymocytes, a subset of peripheral blood T cells, and NK cells (which express almost exclusively CD8 $\alpha$  homodimers). CD8 acts as a co-receptor with MHC class I-restricted T cell receptors in antigen recognition and T cell activation and has been shown to play a role in thymic differentiation. Two domains in CD8 $\alpha$  are important for function: the extracellular IgSF domain binds the  $\alpha$ 3 domain of MHC class I, and the cytoplasmic CXCP motif binds the tyrosine kinase p56 Lck.



Human tonsil (FFPE) stained with 162Dy-anti-CD8 $\alpha$  (D8A8Y) at a dilution of 1:50 (green pseudocolor), 161Dy-anti-CD20 (H1) (red pseudocolor), and iridium DNA intercalator (blue pseudocolor). Heat-mediated antigen retrieval was performed using Tris/EDTA buffer pH 9. Scale bar size = 100  $\mu$ m.

## References

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