

# Mo-CD69/CD3

## 2 Color FCM Reagent: sc-3614



### BACKGROUND

Mouse CD69/CD3: sc-3614 is a direct immunofluorescence reagent formatted to identify activated T lymphocytes and helper/inducer:suppressor/cytotoxic T lymphocyte subsets in erythrocyte-lysed whole blood. In normal peripheral blood, CD69 is variably expressed on lymphocytes (1). Upon activation, CD69 expression increases on T, B, and NK lymphocytes (2). In thymus, CD69 is constitutively expressed on the bright CD3+ subset of T cells, mostly on subpopulations of CD4+ CD8- or CD4- CD8+ T cells (2). CD3 identifies T lymphocytes and non-covalently associates with either  $\alpha/\beta$  or  $\gamma/\delta$  TCR (3). CD3+CD8+ and CD3+CD4+ percentages or counts are used to characterize and monitor some forms of immunodeficiency and autoimmune disease (4,5).

Antigen Expression	Cell Type Identified
CD3+	Mature T Cells
CD3+ CD69+	Activated T Cells

### STORAGE

Store at 4° C. Do not freeze. Stable for one year from the date of shipment. Protect reagents from prolonged exposure to light.

### PRODUCT

Supplied in 1.0 ml of PBS containing 0.1% azide and 0.1% gelatin. Sufficient for 50 tests. This product has been titrated for optimal performance. Recommended use is 20 uL per test (1x10<sup>6</sup> cells). **For research use only. Not for use in diagnostic procedures.**

### INSTRUMENT

Mouse CD69/CD3: sc-3614 is recommended for use with either a single or dual laser Flow Cytometer fitted with appropriate acquisition and analysis software, such as the FACSCalibur™ Flow Cytometer fitted with CellQuest™ Software by Becton Dickinson.

The flow cytometer must be equipped with a 488 nm laser and must be capable of detecting light scatter (forward and side) and two-color fluorescence with emission detectable in two ranges: 515-545 nm and 562-607 nm.

Antigen	Clone	Isotype	Label*	Detection Range (nm)
CD69	H1.2F3	Armenian Hamster IgG	FITC	515-545
CD3	145-2C11	Armenian Hamster IgG	PE	562-607

\*Fluorescent labels include FITC: Fluorescein isothiocyanate; PE: phycoerythrin;

### ISOTYPE CONTROL

sc-3614 CON (Armenian Hamster IgG FITC/Armenian Hamster IgG PE) is the isotype matched negative control for this system and is suitable for 50 tests.

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