

**Antibody Data**

<b>Product SKU:</b>	<b>AGEL0407</b>	<b>Clone:</b>	<b>OKT-8</b>
<b>Applications:</b>	<b>FCM</b>		
<b>Reactivity:</b>	<b>Human</b>		

**Important Note:**

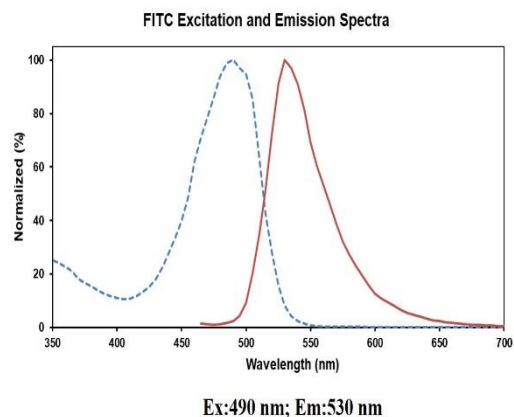
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**Product Information:**

**Alternate Names:** T-cell surface glycoprotein CD8 alpha chain;CD8A;T-lymphocyte differentiation antigen T8/Leu-2;MAL;  
**Uniprot ID:** P01732

**Background:** CD8a is a 32-34 kD type I glycoprotein. It forms a homodimer (CD8a/a) or heterodimer (CD8a/b) with CD8b. CD8, also known as T8 and Leu2, 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 CD8a 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 CD8a 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.

**Form:** Liquid  
**Conjugation:** FITC  
**Size:** 20 Tests, 100 Tests, 200 Tests  
**Host Species:** Mouse  
**Isotype:** Mouse IgG2a,  $\kappa$



**Isotype Control:** FITC Mouse IgG2a,  $\kappa$  Isotype Control[C1.18.4] [Product AGEL0407]  
**Storage Buffer:** Phosphate buffered solution, pH 7.2, containing 0.09% stabilizer and 1% protein protectant.  
**Shipping:** Biological ice pack at 4°C

**Stability & Storage:** Keep as concentrated solution. Store at 2~8°C and protected from prolonged exposure to light. Do not freeze. Centrifuge before opening to ensure complete recovery of vial contents. This product is guaranteed up to one year from purchase.

**Recommended Usage:** Each lot of this antibody is quality control tested by flow cytometric analysis. The amount of the reagent is suggested to be used 5  $\mu$ L of antibody per test (million cells in 100  $\mu$ L staining volume or per 100  $\mu$ L of whole blood). Please check your vial before the experiment. Since applications vary, the appropriate dilutions must be determined for individual use.