

## Alexa Fluor® 488 anti-human CD16 Antibody

<b>Catalog# / Size</b>	302022 / 25 tests 302019 / 100 tests
<b>Clone</b>	3G8
<b>Regulatory Status</b>	RUO
<b>Workshop</b>	V NK80
<b>Other Names</b>	FcγRIII, Fc gamma receptor, Fc gamma receptor 3
<b>Isotype</b>	Mouse IgG1, κ
<b>Description</b>	CD16 is known as low affinity IgG receptor III (FcγRIII). It is expressed as two distinct forms (CD16a and CD16b). CD16a (FcγRIIIA) is a 50-65 kD polypeptide-anchored transmembrane protein. It is expressed on the surface of NK cells, activated monocytes, macrophages, and placental trophoblasts in humans. CD16b (FcγRIIIB) is a 48 kD glycosylphosphatidylinositol (GPI)-anchored protein. Its extracellular domain is over 95% homologous to that of CD16a, and it is expressed specifically on neutrophils. CD16 binds aggregated IgG or IgG-antigen complex which functions in NK cell activation, phagocytosis, and antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC).

### Product Details

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<b>Verified Reactivity</b>	Human, Cynomolgus, Rhesus
<b>Reported Reactivity</b>	African Green, Baboon, Capuchin Monkey, Chimpanzee, Common Marmoset, Pigtailed Macaque, Sooty Mangabey, Squirrel Monkey
<b>Antibody Type</b>	Monoclonal
<b>Host Species</b>	Mouse
<b>Immunogen</b>	Human PMN cells
<b>Formulation</b>	Phosphate-buffered solution, pH 7.2, containing 0.09% sodium azide and BSA (origin USA)
<b>Preparation</b>	The antibody was purified by affinity chromatography and conjugated with Alexa Fluor® 488 under optimal conditions.
<b>Concentration</b>	Lot-specific (to obtain lot-specific concentration, please enter the lot number in our <a href="#">Concentration and Expiration Lookup</a> or <a href="#">Certificate of Analysis</a> online tools.)
<b>Storage &amp; Handling</b>	The antibody solution should be stored undiluted between 2°C and 8°C, and protected from prolonged exposure to light. <b>Do not freeze.</b>
<b>Application</b>	<a href="#">FC - Quality tested</a>
<b>Recommended Usage</b>	Each lot of this antibody is quality control tested by <a href="#">immunofluorescent staining with flow cytometric analysis</a> . For flow cytometric staining, the suggested use of this reagent is 5 µl per million cells in 100 µl staining volume or 5 µl per 100 µl of whole blood.  * Alexa Fluor® 488 has a maximum emission of 519 nm when it is excited at 488 nm.  Alexa Fluor® and Pacific Blue™ are trademarks of Life Technologies Corporation.  <a href="#">View full statement regarding label licenses</a>
<b>Excitation Laser</b>	Blue Laser (488 nm)
<b>Application Notes</b>	The 3G8 antibody clone blocks neutrophil phagocytosis and stimulates NK cell proliferation. It has been reported that this clone interacts with the FcγRIIa and FcγRIIb receptors causing neutrophil activation and aggregation <sup>18</sup> . Due to this phenomenon staining in whole blood may cause a reduction in the number of granulocytes or alter their scatter profile.  Additional reported applications (for the relevant formats) include: immunohistochemical staining of

acetone-fixed frozen tissue sections<sup>6</sup>, immunoprecipitation<sup>3</sup>, stimulation of NK cell proliferation<sup>4</sup>, blocking of phagocytosis<sup>5</sup>, and blocking of immunoglobulin binding to FcγRIII<sup>7,8</sup>. The Ultra-LEAF™ purified antibody (Endotoxin < 0.01 EU/μg, Azide-Free, 0.2 μm filtered) is recommended for functional assays (Cat. No. 302049, 302050, 302057, 302058).

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(PubMed link indicates BioLegend citation)

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## RRID

AB\_492975 (BioLegend Cat. No. 302022)  
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## Antigen Details

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<b>Structure</b>	Ig superfamily, transmembrane form (50-65 kD) or GPI-linked form (48 kD)
<b>Distribution</b>	NK cells, activated monocytes, macrophages, neutrophils
<b>Function</b>	Low affinity IgG Fc receptor, phagocytosis, ADCC
<b>Ligand/Receptor</b>	Aggregated IgG, IgG-antigen complex
<b>Cell Type</b>	Dendritic cells, Macrophages, Monocytes, Neutrophils, NK cells
<b>Biology Area</b>	Immunology, Innate Immunity
<b>Molecular Family</b>	CD Molecules, Fc Receptors
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<b>Gene ID</b>	<a href="#">2214</a>

## Related Protocols

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[Cell Surface Flow Cytometry Staining Protocol](#)

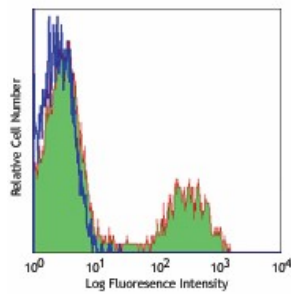
## Other Formats

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APC anti-human CD16, Biotin anti-human CD16, FITC anti-human CD16, Brilliant Violet 711™ anti-human CD16, PE anti-human CD16, PE/Cyanine5 anti-human CD16, Purified anti-human CD16, APC/Cyanine7 anti-human CD16, PE/Cyanine7 anti-human CD16, Alexa Fluor® 488 anti-human CD16, Alexa Fluor® 647 anti-human CD16, Pacific Blue™ anti-human CD16, Alexa Fluor® 700 anti-human CD16, PerCP/Cyanine5.5 anti-human CD16, PerCP anti-human CD16, Brilliant Violet 421™ anti-human CD16, Brilliant Violet 570™ anti-human CD16, Brilliant Violet 605™ anti-human CD16, Brilliant Violet 650™ anti-human CD16, Brilliant Violet 785™ anti-human CD16, Brilliant Violet 510™ anti-human CD16, Ultra-LEAF™ Purified anti-human CD16, Purified anti-human CD16 (Maxpar® Ready), PE/Dazzle™ 594 anti-human CD16, APC/Fire™ 750 anti-human CD16, TotalSeq™-A0083 anti-human CD16, TotalSeq™-B0083 anti-human CD16, TotalSeq™-C0083 anti-human CD16, PE/Fire™ 640 anti-human CD16, Spark YG™ 581 anti-human CD16, TotalSeq™-D0083 anti-human CD16, APC/Fire™ 810 anti-human CD16, GMP APC anti-human CD16, GMP PE/Dazzle™ 594 anti-human CD16, GMP PE anti-human CD16, Spark Red™ 718 anti-human CD16, GMP Pacific Blue™ anti-human CD16, GMP FITC anti-human CD16

## Product Data

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Human peripheral blood lymphocytes  
stained with 3G8 Alexa Fluor® 488

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