

**CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS – TECHNICAL DATA SHEET**

<b>Product name</b>	Nectin-3, Mouse, clone 103-A1		
<b>Catalog number</b>	HM1053-20UG		
<b>Lot number</b>	-	<b>Expiry date</b>	-
<b>Volume</b>	200 µl	<b>Amount</b>	20 µg
<b>Formulation</b>	0.2 µm filtered in PBS+0.1%BSA	<b>Concentration</b>	100 µg/ml
<b>Host Species</b>	Rat IgG2a	<b>Conjugate</b>	None
<b>Endotoxin</b>	<24 EU/mg	<b>Purification</b>	Protein G
<b>Storage</b>	4°C		

**Application notes**

	IHC-F	IHC-P	IF	FC	FS	IA	IP	W
Reference #	2-7		1-7					3
Yes	•		•	•	•	•		
No								•
N.D.		•					•	

N.D.= Not Determined; IHC = Immuno histochemistry; F = Frozen sections; P = Paraffin sections; IF = Immuno Fluorescence; FC = Flow Cytometry; FS = Functional Studies; IA = Immuno Assays; IP = Immuno Precipitation; W = Western blot

Dilutions to be used depend on detection system applied. It is recommended that users test the reagent and determine their own optimal dilutions. The typical starting working dilution is 1:50.

- IF: fixed in 2% paraformaldehyde in PBS optionally followed by methanol/acetone fixation (Ref 2-7).
- FC: 1 µg per 1 x 10<sup>6</sup> cells.
- FS: injection of 1 µg into lumen of seminiferous tubules.
- IA: Indirect ELISA on 0.5 µg/ml mouse nectin-3 coated per well. Positive signal with 2 µg/ml antibody.
- IF: Cells are fixed in 2% paraformaldehyde in PBS, optionally followed by methanol/acetone fixation (Ref 1-6).: proteins were separated by SDS-PAGE and electrophoretically transferred onto polyvinylidene fluoride sheets, which were then incubated with primary antibodies. Binding was detected with HRP-conjugated secondary antibodies and Western blotting detection reagents (Ref.3).
- Positive control: L-cells (A cultured line of C3H mouse fibroblasts); Negative control: Cells/tissues derived from nectin-3 knockout mouse (Ref 5).

**General Information**

**Description** The monoclonal antibody 103-A1 recognizes mouse nectin-3. Nectin-3 is a 83 kDa type I transmembrane glycoprotein. Nectin, originally isolated as poliovirus receptor-related protein (PRR), is a cell-cell adhesion molecule of the immunoglobulin supergene family. Nectins are calcium-independent immunoglobulin-like cell-cell adhesion molecules consisting of four members, nectin 1-4. Nectins homophilically and heterophilically trans-interact to form a variety of cell-cell junctions, including cadherin-based adherens junctions in epithelial cells and fibroblasts in culture, synaptic junctions in neurons, and Sertoli cell-spermatid junctions in testis, in cooperation with, or independently of, cadherins. Both nectin-2 and nectin-3 are ubiquitously expressed, whereas nectin-1 is abundantly expressed in brain. Nectin-2 and -3 are expressed in cells where cadherin is not expressed, such as blood cells and spermatids. All members of the nectin family have two or three splice variants. For nectin-3, three isoforms exist: nectin-3 $\alpha$ , -3 $\beta$  and -3 $\gamma$  of which nectin-3 $\alpha$  is the largest. Nectin-3, also known as PRR3, is a transmembrane protein that is predominantly expressed in testis and placental tissues as well in many cell lines. Nectin interacts in vivo with both long and short isoforms of afadin, an actin binding protein, at cadherin-based cell-cell adherence junctions in various tissues and cell lines. Furthermore, the ectodomains of nectin-3 and CD155 (Poliovirus Receptor) have shown strong affinity to each other. Injection of antibody 103-A1 into lumen of seminiferous tubules leads to disruption of the actin filaments in Sertoli cells at the Sertoli-maturing spermatid ectoplasmic specialization and exfoliation of maturing spermatids from the seminiferous epithelium.

**Alias** Poliovirus receptor-related protein 3, Nectin cell adhesion molecule 3, CD113

**Gene** Gene name: Nectin3, Pvr13

**Cross reactivity** Human Nectin-3: No; Rat Nectin-3: No

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**Storage&stability** Product should be stored at 4°C. Under recommended storage conditions, product is stable for at least one year.

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