## anti-human CD17

## **Monoclonal Antibody MEM-74 to CD17 (Human)**

Cat-No: **21270171** 100 μg in 100 μl

Clone: MEM-74

Specificity: The antibody MEM-74 recognizes CD17, a membrane lipid moiety lactosylceramide expressed on

granulocytes, monocytes and platelets.

HLDA IV; WS Code P 99

Isotype subclass: Mouse IgM

Form: Purified from ascites by gel filtration and precipitation methods.

**Purity:** > 95% (by SDS-PAGE)

Physical state: Liquid

Buffer/Additives/Preservative: PBS containing 0.09 % sodium azide (pH 7.2).

**Expiration date:** The reagent is stable until the expiry date stated on the vial label.

**Storage conditions:** Store at 4°C. For long-term storage aliquot and store at -20°C. Avoid freeze/thaw cycles.

**Application:** Flow Cytometry

**Background: CD17**, lactosylceramide, is an ubiquitous glycosphingolipid with uncharged disaccharide headgroup, highly enriched in lipid raft-derived structures. Besides playing a pivotal role in the biosynthesis of complex glycosphingilipids, lactosylceramide is involved in cell-cell and cell-matrix interactions and in signaling events linked to cell differentiation, development, apoptosis and oncogenesis. Lactosylceramide regulates integrin functions and production of nitric oxide. Its expression defines successive stages in the maturation of myeloid cells.

## References:

Horejsi V. et al., Folia Biol. (Praha) 34, 23 (1988). Leucocyte Typing IV. Knapp W et al. (Eds.), Oxford University Press (1989).

**Warning:** Sodium azide is harmful if swallowed (R22). Keep out of reach of children (S2). Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuff (S13). Wear suitable protective clothing (S36). If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label (S46). Contact with acids liberates very toxic gas (R32). Azide compounds should be flushed with large volumes of water during disposal to avoid deposits in lead or copper plumbing where explosive conditions can develop.

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