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## **Product Information**

Contents: Phycoerythrin (PE) anti-human FcERIa (FceRI-a, high

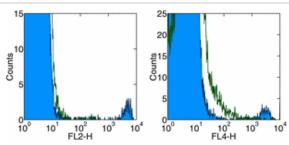
affinity IgE receptor)

Catalog Number: 12-5899 Sizes: **25 tests, 100 tests** 

Formulation: Phosphate buffer pH 7.2, 150 mM NaCl, 0.09% NaN<sub>3</sub>, 0.2% BSA Storage Conditions: Store at 4°C.

DO NOT FREEZE.

LIGHT-SENSITIVE MATERIAL. Clone: AER-37 (CRA1) I sotype: Mouse IgG2b, κ



Surface staining of normal human peripheral blood cells with antihuman FceRI alpha (AER-37) PE (left), and APC (right). Appropriate isotype controls were used (open histogram). Cells in the lymphocyte population were used for analysis.

Available Formats of This Product				
Cat. No.	Format	Excite (nm)		Reported Applications
12-5899	PE anti-human FceRI alpha (FceRIa, FceRI-a, FceRI-alpha, high affinity IgE receptor)	488	575	FC
13-5899	Biotin anti-human FceRI alpha (FceRIa, FceRI-a, FceRI-alpha, high affinity IgE receptor)	N/A	N/A	FC
14-5899	Affinity Purified anti-human FceRI alpha (FceRIa, FceRI-a, FceRI-alpha, high affinity IgE receptor)		N/A	FC
17-5899	Allophycocyanin (APC) anti-human FceRI alpha (FceRIa, FceRI-a, FceRI-alpha, high affinity IgE receptor)	633	660	FC

## Description

The AER-37 monoclonal antibody reacts with the Fc $\epsilon$ RIa subunit, an IgE-binding subunit lacking signal-transducing ability. Fc $\epsilon$ RIa is expressed on mast and basophil cells and is upregulated by the presence of IgE. Fc $\epsilon$ RIa forms a tetrameric complex with one  $\beta$  and two  $\gamma$  subunits. The  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  subunits possess immunoreceptor tyrosine-based activation motifs (ITIM). The Fc $\epsilon$ RI complex plays an important role in triggering IgE-mediated allergic reactions.

# Usage

For research use only, not for diagnostic or therapeutic use. The AER-37 (CRA1) antibody has been reported for use in flow cytometric analysis. AER-37 has been reported to not block IgE binding.

# **Applications Tested**

The AER-37 (CRA1) antibody has been pre-titrated and tested by flow cytometric analysis of peripheral blood leukocytes. This can be used at 20 µl per 100 µl blood (or per 1 million cells in 100 µl total staining volume).

### **Related Products**

Cat. 12-4732 PE Mouse IgG2b Isotype Control

Cat. 13-5899 Biotin anti-human FceRI alpha (FceRIa, FceRI-alpha, high affinity IgE receptor) (clone AER-37 (CRA1))

Cat. 14-5899 Affinity Purified anti-human FceRI alpha (FceRIa, FceRI-a, FceRI-alpha, high affinity IgE receptor) (clone AER-37 (CRA1))

### References

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