

## Product datasheet for **SM3013R**

### CD2 Mouse Monoclonal Antibody [Clone ID: MEM-65]

#### Product data:

Product Type:	Primary Antibodies
Clone Name:	MEM-65
Applications:	FC
Recommended Dilution:	Flow Cytometry analysis of blood cells using 20 µl reagent / 100 µl of whole blood or 10e6 cells in a suspension. The content of a vial (2 ml) is sufficient for 100 tests.
Reactivity:	Human
Host:	Mouse
Isotype:	IgG1
Clonality:	Monoclonal
Immunogen:	Human peripheral T cells
Specificity:	This antibody recognizes a unique epitope of CD2, a 50 kDa glycoprotein present on the human peripheral blood T-lymphocytes and NK cells; also expressed by all thymocytes.
Formulation:	Phosphate buffered saline (PBS) containing 15 mM sodium azide and 0.2 % (w/v) high-grade protease free Bovine Serum Albumin (BSA) as a stabilizing agent Label: PE State: Liquid purified Ig fraction Label: Conjugated with R-Phycoerythrin under optimum conditions. The conjugate is purified by size-exclusion chromatography and adjusted for direct use
Conjugation:	PE
Storage:	Store the antibody at 2 - 8 °C. DO NOT FREEZE! Centrifuge vial before opening. This product is photosensitive and should be protected from light.
Stability:	Shelf life: one year from despatch.
Gene Name:	CD2 molecule
Database Link:	<a href="#">Entrez Gene 914 Human P06729</a>



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**Background:**

CD2 belongs to T lymphocyte glycoproteins of immunoglobulin superfamily. Its interaction with CD58 stabilizes adhesion between T cells and antigen presenting or target cells. Relatively low affinity of CD2 to CD58 (as measured in solution) is compensated within the two-dimensional cell-cell interface to provide tight adhesion. Moreover, T cell activation induces increased CD2 expression and its lateral mobility, making easier contact between CD2 and CD58. Subsequently, T cell activation causes fixation of CD58-CD2 at sites of cell-cell contact, thereby strengthening intercellular adhesion. CD2 deficiency reduces intestinal inflammation and helps to control infection.

**Synonyms:**

SRBC, Erythrocyte receptor, LFA-2, LFA-3 receptor, Rosette receptor