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ABSTRACT

This invention provides a gene group comprising 100 genes which is highly expressed in a human dendritic cell and provides a gene group which is expressed in a high frequency and is expressed in a low frequency in a human dendritic cell as compared with in human monocyte. The gene group comprising 100 genes which is most abundantly expressed in a human dendritic cell is characterized in that the cDNA of each gene has a nucleotide sequence of each of SEQ ID NO:1 to NO:100 connecting to 5'-CATG-3' which is the nearest nucleotide sequence to a poly A region. This invention also provides a cDNA group of genes constituting each gene group, a novel gene group contained in such a gene group and an oligonucleotide group for specifying such gene and cDNA.