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(57) Abstract

The invention relates to antibodies which bind to the CD23 (FCεRII) type II molecule particularly altered antibodies including antibodies which bind to the CD23 (FCεRII) type II molecule characterised by an affinity constant equal to or greater than $1x10^9$ Ka Mol^{-1}, the preparation of such antibodies, pharmaceutical compositions which contain such antibodies and their use in therapy particularly in the treatment of autoimmune and inflammatory disorders.