



## **Product Description**

Human Dermal Microvascular Endothelial Cells (HDMVEC) from blood vessels of skin, form the interface between intravascular and extravascular compartments in skins. Compared to endothelial cells elsewhere in the body, HDMVEC exhibit several skin specific characteristics. They actively participate in a variety of physiological processes including wound healing, control of hemostasis, temperature regulation, and modulation of inflammation/leukocyte trafficking<sup>[1]</sup>. Via proliferation, quiescence, apoptosis, and senescence, HDMVEC show remarkable phenotypic and functional heterogeneity, which in turn allows the cutaneous microvasculature to be in a dynamic balance between maintenance and remodeling<sup>[2,3]</sup>.

iXCells Biotechnologies provides high quality HDMVEC, which are isolated from human skins and cryopreserved at P2, with >0.5 million cells in each vial. HDMVEC express vWF/Factor VIII and CD31 (Figure 1) and are negative for HIV-1, HBV, HCV, mycoplasma, bacteria, yeast, and fungi. They can further expand in Endothelial Cell Growth Medium (Cat# MD-0010) under the condition suggested by iXCells Biotechnologies.

## **Product Details**

Tissue	Human skin blood vessels
Package Size	0.5 million cells/vial
Passage Number	P2
Shipped	Cryopreserved
Storage	Liquid nitrogen
Growth Properties	Adherent

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