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Product Information

Anti-EMMPRIN
produced in goat, affinity isolated antibody

Catalog Number **E4029**

Product Description

Anti-EMMPRIN is produced in goat using as immunogen a purified recombinant human extracellular matrix metalloproteinase inducer (EMMPRIN) extracellular domain expressed in mouse myeloma NSO cells. Affinity isolated antibody is obtained from goat Anti-EMMPRIN antiserum by immuno-specific purification which removes essentially all goat serum proteins, including immunoglobulins, which do not specifically bind to the peptide.

Anti-EMMPRIN recognizes recombinant human EMMPRIN by immunoblotting (~58 kDa)[1]. The antibody shows less than 5% cross-reactivity with recombinant mouse EMMPRIN.

EMMPRIN (extracellular matrix metalloproteinase inducer), also called CD147, basigin, and M6 in humans, is a member of the immunoglobulin superfamily.[1] It is a glycoprotein containing two immunoglobulin domains. EMMPRIN is present on the surface of tumor cells and macrophages and stimulates fibroblasts to produce matrix metalloproteinases (MMPs).[2-5] The expression of EMMPRIN is different from that in normal human brain.[2] Human keratinocytes express EMMPRIN suggesting the possibility of its involvement in the regulation of matrix remodeling at the epidermal-dermal junction.[6]

Reagent

Supplied as ~100 μg of antiserum lyophilized from a 0.2 μm filtered solution of phosphate buffered saline with 5% trehalose.

Preparation Instructions

To one vial of lyophilized powder, add 1 ml of sterile phosphate buffered saline to produce a 0.1 mg/ml stock solution of antibody.

Precautions and Disclaimer

This product is for R&D use only, not for drug, household, or other uses. Please consult the Material Safety Data Sheet for information regarding hazards and safe handling practices.

Storage/Stability

Prior to reconstitution, store at –20 °C. Reconstituted product may be stored at 2-8 °C for up to one month. For prolonged storage, freeze in working aliquots. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing. Do not store in frost-free freezer.

Product Profile

Immunoblotting: a working antibody concentration of 0.1-0.2 μg/ml is recommended. The detection limit for human EMMPRIN is ~1 ng/lane under non-reducing and reducing conditions.

Note: In order to obtain the best results in various techniques and preparations, we recommend determining optimal working dilutions by titration.

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