

Cytokeratin 20 monoclonal antibody

Catalog: MB66001

Host: Mouse

Reactivity: Human

BackGround:

Keratins (cytokeratins) are intermediate filament proteins that are mainly expressed in epithelial cells. Keratin heterodimers composed of an acidic keratin (or type I keratin, keratins 9 to 23) and a basic keratin (or type II keratin, keratins 1 to 8) assemble to form filaments. Keratin isoforms demonstrate tissue- and differentiation-specific profiles that make them useful as research biomarkers. Research studies have shown that mutations in keratin genes are associated with skin disorders, liver and pancreatic diseases, and inflammatory intestinal diseases.

Keratin 20 is primarily expressed in gastric and intestinal epithelium, urothelium, and Merkel cells. Research studies have shown that keratin 20 is an important marker of colon, liver, pancreatic, Merkel cell, and gastric cancer.

Product:

Mouse IgG2a. Liquid in PBS containing 50% glycerol, 0.2% BSA and 0.01% sodium azide.

Molecular Weight:

~ 48 kDa

Swiss-Prot:

P35900

Purification&Purity:

The antibody was affinity-purified from mouse antiserum by affinity-chromatography using epitope-specific immunogen and the purity is > 95% (by SDS-PAGE).

Applications:

IHC (1/100 - 1/300)

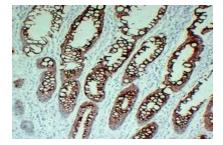
Storage&Stability:

Store at 4 $^{\rm C}$ short term. Aliquot and store at -20 $^{\rm C}$ long term. Avoid freeze-thaw cycles.

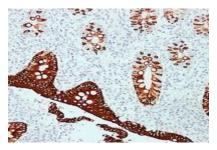
Specificity:

Recognizes endogenous levels of Cytokeratin 20 protein.

DATA:



Immunohistochemical analysis of Cytokeratin 20 staining in human colon carcinoma formalin fixed paraffin embedded tissue section. The section was pre-treated using heat mediated antigen retrieval with sodium citrate buffer (pH 6.0). The section was then incubated with the antibody at room temperature and detected using an HRP conjugated compact polymer system. DAB was used as the chromogen. The section was then counterstained with haematoxylin and mounted with DPX.



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Note:

For research use only, not for use in diagnostic procedure.

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