Datasheet

Mouse mAb to **Progesterone Receptor**

Clone PR-81 Isotype IgG1-κ



Source

A BALB/c mouse was immunized with recombinant human progesterone receptor protein.

Specifications

PR-81 is specific to progesterone receptor and shows minimal cross-reaction with other members of the family.

Progesterone receptor is expressed as two major isoforms, PR-A (81kDa) and PR-B (116kDa). Expression of PgR has been suggested to reflect an intact estrogen regulatory machinery and therefore, predict better clinical response to endocrine therapy than ER alone.

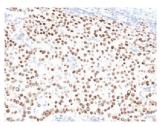


Figure 1: Human breast cancer stained with PR-81 (paraffin)

Species reactivity

Positive: human.

Applications

PR-81 is excellent for staining of formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded breast carcinomas.

Frozen sections	Paraffin sections
+	Citrate

Format

Produced in tissue culture, contains no host Ig. Antibodies are affinity purified and presented in PBS with 0,02 % sodium azide.

Stored at $4^{\circ}\text{C-}~8^{\circ}\text{C}\text{,}$ shelf life is at least 24 months after purchase.

Dilution advice

ightharpoonup Immunohistology (formalin-fixed: 2-4 μg/ml for 30 min at RT; staining of formalin-fixed tissues requires boiling tissue sections in 10mM citrate buffer, pH 6.0, for 10-20 min followed by cooling at RT for 20 minutes).

Positive control

PR positive breast cancer, T47-D cells.

References

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