

# Mouse anti Keratin 16 Monoclonal Antibody

Alternative Name(s): CK-16; cytokeratin 16; KRT16

#### **Order Information**

Description: Cytokeratin 16
Catalogue: 606-510
Lot: See label
Size: 100ug/200ul
Host: Mouse
Clone: LL025

• Application: IHC(P), WB

• Reactivity: Hu

# **ANTIGEN PREPARATION**

A synthetic peptide corresponding to the C-terminus of CK16

#### **BACKGROUND**

Cytokeratin 16 (CK16) is a member of the keratin family, the most diverse group of intermediate filaments. Cytokeratins comprise a diverse group of intermediate filament proteins that are expressed as pairs in both keratinized and non-keratinized epithelial tissue. The cytokeratin proteins play a critical role in differentiation, as well as tissue specialization and function, to maintain the overall structural integrity of epithelial cells. Cytokeratins are also useful markers in identifying the origin of metastatic tumors. CK16 is expressed in benign stratified squamous epithelium and squamous cell carcinoma of the head and neck, as well as luminal cells of mammary gland and sweat ducts. It is absent in noninvasive breast carcinomas and normal breast tissue. Mutations in the CK16 gene cause various diseases, including pachyonychia congenita type 1 (PC1), nonepidermolytic palmoplantar keratoderma (NEPPK) and unilateral palmoplantar verrucous nevus (UPVN).

## **PURIFICATION**

The mouse IgG is purified by Protein A-Affinity Chromatography according to Isotyping

#### **FORMULATION**

This affinity purified antibody is supplied in sterile Phosphatebuffered saline (pH7.2) containing antibody stabilizer

## **SPECIFICITY**

This antibody recognizes human Cytokeratin 16 protein. The other species are not tested.

#### STORAGE

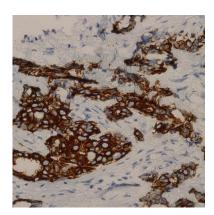
The antibodies are stable for 24 months from date of receipt when stored at -20oC to -70oC. The antibodies can be stored at 2oC-8oC for three month without detectable loss of activity. Avoid repeated freezing-thawing cycles.

## **APPLICATIONS/SUGGESTED WORKING DILUTIONS\***

- Western Blot: 0.1-1 μg/ml
- ELISA: 0.01-0.1 µg/ml
- Immunoprecipitation: 2-5 µg/ml
- IHC: 2-10 µg/ml
- Flow cytometry: Not tested
- Molecular Weight: 51.0
- Positive Control: Kidney Tissue
- Cellular Location: Cell Membrane

<sup>\*</sup>Optimal dilutions should be determined by researchers for the specific applications.





Immunohistochemistry: Human breast carcinoma (FFPE) stained with Mouse anti-Cytokeratin-16 (Cat# 606-510) at 1:200 for 10 min @ RT. Staining of formalin-fixed tissue requires boiling tissue sections in 10 mM Citrate Buffer, pH 6.0 for 10 min followed by cooling at RT for 20 min.

### **REFERENCES**