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Tenascin C (Stromal Marker For Epithelial Malignancy); Clone T2H5
(Concentrate)

Availability/Contents:

Item #	Volume
RA0135-C.5	0.5 ml

Description:

Species:	Mouse
Immunogen:	Human breast carcinoma
Clone:	T2H5
Isotype:	IgG1, kappa
Entrez Gene ID:	3371 (Human)
Hu Chromosome Loc.:	9q33
Synonyms:	Cytotactin; Glioma-associated-extracellular matrix antigen; GMEM; GP 150-225; Hexabrachion (HXB); JI; Myotendinous antigen; Neuronectin; TNC.
Mol. Weight of Antigen:	210kDa and 300kDa
Format:	200µg/ml of Ab purified from Bioreactor Concentrate by Protein A/G. Prepared in 1mM PBS with 0.05% BSA & 0.05% azide.
Specificity:	In Western blotting, it reacts with two bands at ~MW of 210kDa and 300kDa, identified as two isoforms of Tenascin C. Specificity of this monoclonal antibody is validated by sequential immunoprecipitation with a polyclonal antibody against Tenascin C.
Background:	Tenascin C is a multifunctional, disulfide-linked, hexameric, extracellular matrix glycoprotein expressed in association with mesenchymal epithelial interactions during development and in the neo-vasculature and stroma of undifferentiated tumors. In adults, it is restricted to certain epithelial-stromal interfaces and increases markedly in hyper-proliferative diseases and in the stroma of many neoplasms, including gliomas, breast, squamous, and lung carcinomas.
Species Reactivity:	Human. Others not known.
Positive Control:	Extracellular matrix in tonsil and blood vessels. Stroma of many tumors such as breast, squamous cell, and lung carcinomas. Staining of normal fibroblasts serves as internal positive control.
Cellular Localization:	Connective tissue matrix
Titer/ Working Dilution:	Immunohistochemistry (Frozen and Formalin-fixed): 0.5-1 µg/ml
	Flow Cytometry: 0.5-1 µg/million cells
	Immunofluorescence: 0.5-1 µg/ml
	Western Blotting: 0.5-1 µg/ml
	Immunoprecipitation: 0.5-1 µg/500µg protein lysate
Microbiological State:	This product is not sterile.

Storage: 2° C – 8° C

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Uses/Limitations:

Not to be taken internally.
For Research Use Only.
This product is intended for qualitative immunohistochemistry with normal and neoplastic formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded tissue sections, to be viewed by light microscopy.
Do not use if reagent becomes cloudy.
Do not use past expiration date.
Non-Sterile.

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Procedure:

1. **Tissue Section Pretreatment (Required):** Staining of formalin fixed, paraffin embedded tissue sections is significantly enhanced by pretreatment with EDTA Buffer (10X) HIER Solution (pH 8.0) (ScyTek catalog# ETA).

2. **Primary Antibody Incubation Time:** We suggest an incubation period of 30 minutes at room temperature. However, depending upon the fixation conditions and the staining system employed, optimal incubation should be determined by the user.

3. **Visualization:** For maximum staining intensity we recommend the "UltraTek HRP Anti-Polyvalent Lab Pack" (ScyTek catalog# UHP125, see IFU for instructions) combined with the "DAB Chromogen/Substrate Bulk Pack (High Contrast)" (ScyTek catalog# ACV500, see IFU for instructions).

Precautions:

Contains Sodium Azide as a preservative (0.09% w/v).
Do not pipette by mouth.
Avoid contact of reagents and specimens with skin and mucous membranes.
Avoid microbial contamination of reagents or increased nonspecific staining may occur.
This product contains no hazardous material at a reportable concentration according to U.S. 29 CFR 1910.1200, OSHA Hazardous Communication Standard and EC Directive 91/155/EC.

References:

1. Verstraeten AA, *et. al.* British Journal of Dermatology, 1992, 127(6):571-4.

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