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Mouse (monoclonal) Anti-Human IGF-1R (α-Subunit)

PRODUCT ANALYSIS SHEET

Catalog Number:	AHR0321		
Lot Number:	See product label		
Quantity/Volume:	100 μg/0.5 mL		
Clone Number:	24-31		
Isotype:	Mouse IgG1		
Form of Antibody:	Purified immunoglobulin in phosphate buffered saline, pH 7.4, with 0.2% bovine serum albumin.		
Preservation:	0.09% sodium azide (Caution: sodium azide is a poisonous and hazardous substance. Handle with care and dispose of properly.)		
Purification:	Purified from ascites by Protein G affinity chromatography.		
Immunogen:	IGF-1R/3T3 mouse fibroblasts transfected with human type 1 IGF-receptor cDNA.		
Myeloma/Fusion Partners:	Produced by fusion between BALB/c mouse splenocytes and mouse myeloma NSO/l cells.		
Specificity:	This monoclonal antibody recognizes a protein of $M_r=125$ kDa, identified as the α -subunit of type 1 insulin-like growth factor receptor (IGF-1R). As with the receptor for insulin, IGF-1R is synthesized as a single polypeptide which is glycosylated and proteolytically cleaved to yield a receptor composed of two α - and two β -subunits arranged in the following configuration: β - α - α - β . The α -subunits are entirely extracellular. The β -subunits each possess an extracellular domain, a single transmembrane domain, and a cytoplasmic tyrosine kinase domain which bears homology with other tyrosine kinases.		
	The epitope recognized by this antibody is localized between amino acid residues 283-440 (exon 4-6). This antibody shows no cross-reactivity with insulin receptor (IR).		
Species Reactivity:	Human. Weakly reacts with rabbit. Does not react with rat. Other species were not tested.		
Applications:	This antibody acts as a weak IGF-like agonist in bioassays in which stimulation of ³ H-thymidine incorporation into DNA is determined. This antibody is suitable for use in immunoprecipitation and also for use in immunohistochemistry with acetone-fixed frozen and formalin-fixed/paraffin-embedded tissue sections. Staining of formalin/paraffin tissues requires boiling tissue sections in EDTA for 10-20 minutes followed by cooling at room temperature for 20 minutes. Preparations from which the BSA has been omitted have been used successfully in ELISA as a capture antibody. This antibody does not significantly inhibit IGF-1 binding.		

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Suggested Working Dilutions:	For immunohistology, the recommended concentration is $2 - 4 \mu g/mL$ with an incubation of 30 minutes at room temperature. The optimal antibody concentration should be determined for each specific application.		
Recommended Positive Control:	Placenta or breast carcinoma.		
Storage:	Store at 2-8°C.		
Expiration Date:	See product label.		
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Explanation of symbols					
Symbol	Description	Symbol	Description		
REF	Catalogue Number	LOT	Batch code		
RUO	Research Use Only	IVD	In vitro diagnostic medical device		
X	Use by	ł	Temperature limitation		
***	Manufacturer	EC REP	European Community authorised representative		
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(i	Directs the user to consult instructions for use (IFU), accompanying the product.				

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