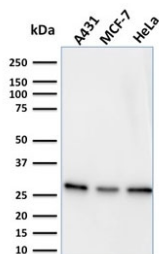


Myofibroblast Antibody [clone PR 2D3] (V8295)

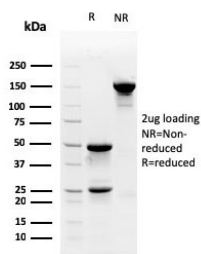
Catalog No.	Formulation	Size
V8295-100UG	0.2 mg/ml in 1X PBS with 0.1 mg/ml BSA (US sourced) and 0.05% sodium azide	100 ug
V8295-20UG	0.2 mg/ml in 1X PBS with 0.1 mg/ml BSA (US sourced) and 0.05% sodium azide	20 ug
V8295SAF-100UG	1 mg/ml in 1X PBS; BSA free, sodium azide free	100 ug

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Availability	1-3 business days
Species Reactivity	Human
Format	Purified
Host	Mouse
Clonality	Monoclonal (mouse origin)
Isotype	Mouse IgG1, kappa
Clone Name	PR 2D3
Purity	Protein G affinity chromatography
Applications	Western Blot : 1-2ug/ml
Limitations	This Myofibroblast antibody is available for research use only.



Western blot testing of human samples with Myofibroblast antibody (clone PR 2D3).



SDS-PAGE analysis of purified, BSA-free Myofibroblast antibody (clone PR 2D3) as confirmation of integrity and purity.

Description

Myofibroblasts are a unique group of smooth muscle-like fibroblasts that play an important role in oncogenesis, inflammation, repair, wound contraction and fibrosis. Like smooth muscle (SM) cells, myofibroblasts contain microfilament bundles and express α -SM Actin, the Actin isoform that is present in myoepithelial cells and SM cells and especially abundant in vascular SM cells. Myofibroblasts secrete inflammatory and anti-inflammatory cytokines, chemokines, growth factors and lipid and gaseous inflammatory mediators, as well as extracellular matrix proteins and proteases in most organs and tissues. Besides being temporarily present following tissue injuries and fibrocontractive diseases, myofibroblasts are also present under normal conditions in regions such as the skin, pulmonary septa and periodontal ligaments. Stem cell factor and platelet-derived growth factor (PDGF) are two secreted proteins responsible for differentiating myofibroblasts from embryological stem cells. PR 2D3 reacts with a cell membrane component of cells in the pericypt sheath; with smooth muscle cells and myofibroblasts. This antibody is considered to be the gold standard for the identification of myofibroblasts.

Application Notes

Optimal dilution of the Myofibroblast antibody should be determined by the researcher.

Immunogen

Crude homogenate of normal human colorectal mucosa was used as the immunogen for this Myofibroblast antibody.

Storage

Store the Myofibroblast antibody at 2-8°C (with azide) or aliquot and store at -20°C or colder (without azide).