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Keratin 8, clone M20 Monoclonal Antibody

Catalog No.: MON3016

Quantity: 1 ml

Specificity

The antibody does stain almost all epithelial cells. In immunoblotting experiments the antibody recognizes only keratin no. 8 (52, 2 kD) and does not cross-react with other cytokeratins. Immunogen: Cytokeratin purified from the human breast carcinoma cell line MC-7

Cross reactivity:

Vimentin: not detectable Desmin: not detectable GFAP: not detectable Neurofilament: not detectable

Immunoglobulin type

Murine IgG₁

Use

Frozen sections give excellent results in immunoperoxidase and immunofluorescence tests. Paraffin sections can also be used after T.U.F. (cat.no. T10333) treatment and at an antibody dilution of 1:10. This antibody is also suitable for immunoblotting procedures.

Instructions for use

For use in staining paraffin sections the antibody has to be diluted 1:5 - 1:25. Working dilution for frozen sections approximately 1:80, preferable in phosphate buffered saline

Presentation

1 ml supernatant with approximately 20 μ g antibody/ml and 10 mM sodium azide and 1% FCS.

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