SOX11 (M)

Concentrated and Prediluted Monoclonal Antibody

Control Number: 902-3120-041615

| ACR 3120 A, C | APR 3120 AA |
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| 0.1, 1.0 ml, concentrated | 6.0 ml, prediluted |
| 1:100-1:200 | Ready-to-use |
| Renoir Red | N/A |
| | ACR 3120 A, C 0.1, 1.0 ml, concentrated 1:100-1:200 Renoir Red |

Intended Use:

For Research Use Only. Not for use in diagnostic procedures.

Summary and Explanation:

SOX11 (SRY (Sex Determining Region Y)-Box 11) is a member of the SOX family of transcription factors and is involved in the regulation of embryonic development and in the determination of cell fate (1). The diagnosis of mantle cell lymphoma (MCL) can be difficult, especially when t(11;14) translocation and cyclin D1 overexpression are not detected. In such cases, the transcription factor SOX11 represents an important diagnostic marker as it is expressed in most MCLs and, in particular, in all cyclin D1-negative MCLs reported so far (2,3). The novel mouse monoclonal SOX11-C1 antibody displays nuclear staining and offers high sensitivity and improved specificity compared to previous SOX11 antibodies in IHC based detection of MCL. In addition, flow cytometry analysis of blood and tissue samples using SOX11-C1 may allow a convenient approach to early diagnosis and follow-up of MCL patients (4). SOX11 expression has also been shown to be a favorable prognostic marker in glioblastoma (5).

Principle of Procedure:

Antigen detection in tissues and cells is a multi-step immunohistochemical process. The initial step binds the primary antibody to its specific epitope. After labeling the antigen with a primary antibody, a secondary antibody is added to bind to the primary antibody. An enzyme label is then added to bind to the secondary antibody; this detection of the bound antibody is evidenced by a colorimetric reaction.

Source: Mouse monoclonal

Species Reactivity: Human; others not tested

Clone: SOX11-C1

Isotype: IgG1/k

Total Protein Concentration: ~10 mg/ml. Call for lot specific Ig concentration. Epitope/Antigen: SOX11

Cellular Localization: Nuclear

Positive Tissue Control: Mantle cell lymphoma

Known Applications:

Immunohistochemistry (formalin-fixed paraffin-embedded tissues) **Supplied As:** Buffer with protein carrier and preservative

Storage and Stability:

Store at 2°C to 8°C. Do not use after expiration date printed on vial. If reagents are stored under conditions other than those specified in the package insert, they must be verified by the user. Diluted reagents should be used promptly; any remaining reagent should be stored at 2°C to 8°C.

Staining Protocol Recommendations:

Peroxide Block: Block for 5 minutes with Biocare's Peroxidazed 1.

Pretreatment: Perform heat retrieval using Biocare's Diva Decloaker or Reveal Decloaker. Refer to the Diva Decloaker or Reveal Decloaker product data sheet for specific instructions.

Protein Block (Optional): Incubate for 5-10 minutes at RT with Biocare's Background Punisher.

Primary Antibody: Incubate for 30 minutes at RT.

Probe: Incubate for 10 minutes at RT with a secondary probe.

Polymer: Incubate for 10 minutes at RT with a tertiary polymer.

Chromogen:

Incubate for 5 minutes at RT with Biocare's DAB – OR – Incubate for 5-7 minutes at RT with Biocare's Warp Red.

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Staining Protocol Recommendations Cont'd:

Counterstain:

Counterstain with hematoxylin. Rinse with deionized water. Apply Tacha's Bluing Solution for 1 minute. Rinse with deionized water.

Technical Note:

This antibody has been standardized with Biocare's MACH 4 detection system. It can also be used on an automated staining system and with other Biocare polymer detection kits. Use TBS buffer for washing steps.

Limitations:

This product is provided for Research Use Only (RUO) and is not for use in diagnostic procedures. Suitability for specific applications may vary and it is the responsibility of the end user to determine the appropriate application for its use.

Precautions:

1. This antibody contains less than 0.1% sodium azide. Concentrations less than 0.1% are not reportable hazardous materials according to U.S. 29 CFR 1910.1200, OSHA Hazard communication and EC Directive 91/155/EC. Sodium azide (NaN₃) used as a preservative is toxic if ingested. Sodium azide may react with lead and copper plumbing to form highly explosive metal azides. Upon disposal, flush with large volumes of water to prevent azide build-up in plumbing. (Center for Disease Control, 1976, National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health, 1976) (6)

2. Specimens, before and after fixation, and all materials exposed to them should be handled as if capable of transmitting infection and disposed of with proper precautions. Never pipette reagents by mouth and avoid contacting the skin and mucous membranes with reagents and specimens. If reagents or specimens come in contact with sensitive areas, wash with copious amounts of water. (7)

3. Microbial contamination of reagents may result in an increase in nonspecific staining.

4. Incubation times or temperatures other than those specified may give erroneous results. The user must validate any such change.

5. Do not use reagent after the expiration date printed on the vial.

6. The SDS is available upon request and is located at http://biocare.net/.

Technical Support:

Contact Biocare's Technical Support at 1-800-542-2002 for questions regarding this product.

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