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ab77576

Anti-Mucin 5AC antibody [CLH2]

Key facts

Isotype	IgG1
Host species	Mouse
Storage buffer	pH: 7.6 Preservative: 0.1% Sodium azide Constituents: PBS, 1.45% Sodium chloride
Form	Liquid
Clonality	Monoclonal
Immunogen	The exact immunogen used to generate this antibody is proprietary information.
Clone number	CLH2
Purity	Tissue culture supernatant
Specificity	ab77576 is specific for the MUC5AC tandem repeat of human mucin. No cross reactivity with other peptides from MUC2, 3, 6 or 7 The antibody recognises glycosylated as well as unglycosylated MUC5AC.
Purification notes	Purified from TCS.

Reactivity data

Flow Cyt

Tested

Species	Human
Dilution info	-
Notes	ab170190 - Mouse monoclonal IgG1, is suitable for use as an isotype control with this antibody.

IHC-Fr

Expected

Species	Human
Dilution info	1/100
Notes	-

IHC-P

Tested

Species	Human
Dilution info	1/100
Notes	-

Target data

See full target information MUC5AC

Function	Gel-forming glycoprotein of gastric and respiratory tract epithelia that protects the mucosa from infection and chemical damage by binding to inhaled microorganisms and particles that are subsequently removed by the mucociliary system (PubMed:14535999, PubMed:14718370). Interacts with H.pylori in the gastric epithelium, Barrett's esophagus as well as in gastric metaplasia of the duodenum (GMD) (PubMed:14535999).

Storage

Shipped at conditions	Blue Ice
Appropriate short-term storage duration	1-2 weeks
Appropriate short-term storage conditions	+4°C
Appropriate long-term storage conditions	-20°C
Storage information	Avoid freeze / thaw cycle

Notes

This product was changed from ascites to tissue culture supernatant on 17 May 2019. Please note that the dilutions may need to be adjusted accordingly. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact our scientific support team.

Supplementary info

This supplementary information is collated from multiple sources and compiled automatically.

Activity summary	Mucin 5AC also known simply as MUC5AC is a high molecular weight glycoprotein with a mass in the megadaltons typically found in the human respiratory gastrointestinal and reproductive tracts. It is a major component of mucus which plays a critical role in protecting and lubricating the epithelial surfaces of these organs. MUC5AC is primarily expressed in the goblet cells of the respiratory epithelium and the stomach lining. Due to its significance researchers often use a MUC5AC ELISA or other detection methods such as tagging with Alexa Fluor 555 to measure its levels in various tissues.
Biological function summary	The functions of MUC5AC are central to the maintenance of the protective mucus barrier on epithelial surfaces preventing pathogen invasion and facilitating the clearance of inhaled particles. It is a part of the gel-forming mucin family and often forms complex structures by polymerizing with other mucins like MUC2 and MUC5B contributing to the viscoelastic properties of mucus. These interactions ensure the formation of a stable and robust mucosal barrier.
Pathways	The regulation of MUC5AC production involves several signaling pathways including the EGFR (epidermal growth factor receptor) pathway and the IL-13/STAT6 pathway. These pathways influence mucin production and secretion particularly in response to growth factors and inflammatory cytokines. Proteins such as 13M1 and 11M1 interact with MUC5AC within these pathways modulating its expression and function. This regulation is essential for normal mucus homeostasis and response to environmental challenges.
Associated diseases and disorders	MUC5AC has a strong association with respiratory conditions like asthma and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD). In these diseases the overproduction or altered composition of MUC5AC contributes to airway obstruction and reduced pulmonary function. MUC5AC levels can be indicative of disease severity and are often measured via tests like the 5AC blood test. In these contexts proteins such as 5AC protein and 45M1 are often studied for their roles in facilitating disease progression and as potential therapeutic targets to modulate mucin levels in affected individuals.

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Tested

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Expected

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Predicted

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Not recommended

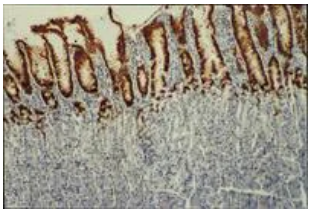
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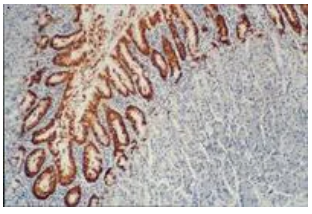
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Immunohistochemistry (Frozen sections) - Anti-Mucin 5AC antibody [CLH2] (ab77576)

Mucin 5AC Immunohistochemistry (Frozen sections) staining using mouse Anti-Mucin 5AC antibody

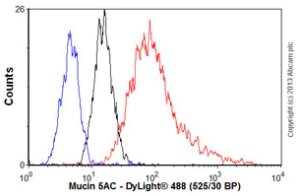
ab77576 staining of foveolar epithelium of human gastric mucosa by IHC-Fr. Detection with a biotin-conjugated rabbit anti-mouse secondary, followed by avidin-biotin peroxidase complex. This image was generated using the ascites version of the product.



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ab77576 staining of foveolar epithelium of human gastric mucosa using IHC-Fr. Detection with a biotin-conjugated rabbit anti-mouse secondary, followed by avidin-biotin peroxidase complex. Colour Development by DAB. Hematoxylin counterstained.
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Flow Cytometry - Anti-Mucin 5AC antibody [CLH2] (ab77576)

Mucin 5AC Flow Cytometry staining using mouse Anti-Mucin 5AC antibody

Overlay histogram showing A549 cells stained with ab77576 (red line). The cells were fixed with 80% methanol (5 min) and then permeabilized with 0.1% PBS-Tween for 20 min. The cells were then incubated in 1x PBS / 10% normal goat serum / 0.3M glycine to block non-specific protein-protein interactions followed by the antibody (ab77576, 1µg/1x10^6 cells) for 30 min at 22°C. The secondary antibody used was DyLight® 488 goat anti-mouse IgG (H+L) (ab96879) at 1/500 dilution for 30 min at 22°C. Isotype control antibody (black line) was mouse IgG1 [ICIGG1] (ab91353, 2µg/1x10^6 cells) used under the same conditions. Unlabelled sample (blue line). Acquisition of >5,000 events were collected using a 20mW Argon ion laser (488nm) and 525/30 bandpass filter. This image was generated using the ascites version of the product.

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