Caldesmon, HMW Monoclonal Mouse Antibody (h-CALD)



Product Description

Caldesmon HMW is the high molecular weight variant of Caldesmon. Two closely related variants of human caldesmon have been identified which are different in their electrophoretic mobility and cellular distribution. The h-caldesmon variant (120-150 kDa) is predominantly expressed in smooth muscle whereas I-caldesmon (70-80 kDa) is found in non-muscle tissue and cells. Neither of the two variants has been detected in skeletal muscle. This MAb recognizes only the 150 kDa variant (h-caldesmon) in Western blots of human aortic media extracts and is unreactive with fibroblast extracts from cultivated human foreskin. Caldesmon is a developmentally regulated protein involved in smooth muscle and non-muscle contraction.

Primary antibodies are available purified, or with a selection of fluorescent CF® dyes and other labels. CF® dyes offer exceptional brightness and photostability. See the CF® Dye Brochure for more information. Note: Conjugates of blue fluorescent dyes like CF®405S and CF®405M are not recommended for detecting low abundance targets, because blue dyes have lower fluorescence and can give higher non-specific background than other dye colors.

Stock status: Because Biotium offers a large number of antibody and conjugation options, primary antibody conjugates may be made to order. Typical lead times are up to one week for CF® dye and biotin conjugates, and up to 2-3 weeks for fluorescent protein and enzyme conjugates. Please email order@biotium.com to inquire about stock status and lead times before placing your order.

Catalog number key for antibody number 0819, Anti-Caldesmon, HMW (h-CALD)

Droduct attributes

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Product attributes			
Antibody number	#0819		
Antibody reactivity (target)	Caldesmon, HMW		
Antibody type	Primary		
Host species	Mouse		
Clonality	Monoclonal		
Clone	h-CALD		
Isotype	IgG1, kappa		
Molecular weight	150 kDa		
Synonyms	Caldesmon; Caldesmon 1; Caldesmon 1 Isoform 1; CDM; HCAL		
Human gene symbol	CALD1		
Entrez gene ID	800		
SwissProt	Q05682		
Unigene	490203		
Immunogen	Crude human uterus extract		
Verified antibody applications	IHC (FFPE) (verified), WB (verified)		
Antibody target cellular localization	Cytoskeleton, Plasma membrane		
Species reactivity	Human		
Antibody application notes	Higher concentration may be required for direct detection using primary antibody conjugates than for indirect detection with secondary antibody, Immunofluorescence: 1-2 ug/mL, Immunohistology formalin-fixed 0.25-0.5 ug/mL, Staining of formalin-fixed tissues requires boiling tissue sections in 10 mM Tris with 1 mM EDTA, pH 9.0, for 10-20 min followed by cooling at RT for 20 minutes, Flow Cytometry 0.5-1 ug/million cells/0.1 mL, Optimal dilution for a specific application should be determined by user		
Positive control	Uterus, Blood vessels in all tissues, smooth muscle or leiomyosarcoma		
Shipping condition	Room temperature		
Storage Conditions	Store at 2 to 8 °C, Protect fluorescent conjugates from light, Note: store BSA-free antibodies at -10 to -35 °C		
Shelf life	Guaranteed for at least 24 months from date of receipt when stored as recommended		
Regulatory status	For research use only (RUO)		
Antibody/conjugate formulation	Conjugates: 0.1 mg/mL in PBS/0.1% BSA/0.05% azide, HRP conjugates: 0.1 mg/mL in PBS/0.05% BSA, Purified: 0.2 mg/mL in PBS/0.05% BSA/0.05% azide, Purified, BSA-free: 1 mg/mL i PBS without azide		
Antibody research areas	Cytoskeleton		
	Product may contain either bovine serum albumin (BSA) from bovine serum (Bos taurus), or recombinant BSA produced in Chinese hamster ovary cells. Inquire for the specific lot.		
Product origin	bovine serum (Bos taurus), or recombinant BSA produced in		

Antibody # prefix	Conjugation	Ex/Em (nm)	Laser line	Detection channel	Dye Features
BNC04	CF®405S	404/431	405	DAPI (microscopy), AF405	CF®405S Features
BNC88	CF®488A	490/515	488	GFP, FITC	CF®488A Features
BNC68	CF®568	562/583	532, 561	RFP, TRITC	CF®568 Features
BNC94	CF®594	593/614	561	Texas Red®	CF®594 Features
BNC40	CF®640R	642/662	633-640	Cy®5	CF®640R Features
BNC47	CF®647	650/665	633-640	Cy®5	CF®647 Features
BNC74	CF®740	742/767	633-685	775/50	CF®740 Features
BNCB	Biotin	N/A	N/A	N/A	
BNUB	Purified	N/A	N/A	N/A	
BNUM	Purified, BSA-free	N/A	N/A	N/A	

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