

KD-Validated Anti-CD146 Rabbit Monoclonal Antibody

Rabbit monoclonal antibody

Catalog # AGI1255

Product Information

Application	WB, FC, ICC
Primary Accession	P43121
Reactivity	Rat, Human
Clonality	Monoclonal
Isotype	Rabbit IgG
Clone Names	23GB2705
Calculated MW	71607
Gene Name	MCAM
Aliases	MCAM; Melanoma Cell Adhesion Molecule; MUC18; METCAM; HEMCAM; CD146; S-Endo 1 Endothelial-Associated Antigen; Melanoma-Associated Antigen MUC18; Cell Surface Glycoprotein MUC18; Cell Surface Glycoprotein P1H12; Melanoma-Associated Antigen A32; Gicerin; MelCAM; Melanoma Adhesion Molecule; CD146 Antigen; MELCAM
Immunogen	A synthesized peptide derived from human CD146

Additional Information

Gene ID	4162
Other Names	Cell surface glycoprotein MUC18, Cell surface glycoprotein P1H12, Melanoma cell adhesion molecule, Melanoma-associated antigen A32, Melanoma-associated antigen MUC18, S-endo 1 endothelial-associated antigen, CD146, MCAM, MUC18

Protein Information

Name	MCAM
Synonyms	MUC18
Function	Plays a role in cell adhesion, and in cohesion of the endothelial monolayer at intercellular junctions in vascular tissue. Its expression may allow melanoma cells to interact with cellular elements of the vascular system, thereby enhancing hematogeneous tumor spread. Could be an adhesion molecule active in neural crest cells during embryonic development. Acts as a surface receptor that triggers tyrosine phosphorylation of FYN and PTK2/FAK1, and a transient increase in the intracellular calcium concentration.
Cellular Location	Membrane; Single-pass type I membrane protein.
Tissue Location	Detected in endothelial cells in vascular tissue throughout the body. May appear at the surface of neural crest cells during their embryonic migration.

Appears to be limited to vascular smooth muscle in normal adult tissues. Associated with tumor progression and the development of metastasis in human malignant melanoma. Expressed most strongly on metastatic lesions and advanced primary tumors and is only rarely detected in benign melanocytic nevi and thin primary melanomas with a low probability of metastasis

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