

# MUC1 / EMA / CD227 (Epithelial Marker) Antibody - With BSA and Azide

Mouse Monoclonal Antibody [Clone MUC1/955] Catalog # AH11860

## **Product Information**

ApplicationIHC, IF, FC, EPrimary AccessionP15941Other Accession4582, 89603ReactivityHuman, Mouse

Host Mouse Clonality Monoclonal

**Isotype** Mouse / IgG1, kappa

Clone Names MUC1/955 Calculated MW 122102

### Additional Information

**Gene ID** 4582

Other Names Mucin-1, MUC-1, Breast carcinoma-associated antigen DF3, Cancer antigen

15-3, CA 15-3, Carcinoma-associated mucin, Episialin, H23AG, Krebs von den Lungen-6, KL-6, PEMT, Peanut-reactive urinary mucin, PUM, Polymorphic epithelial mucin, PEM, Tumor-associated epithelial membrane antigen, EMA, Tumor-associated mucin, CD227, Mucin-1 subunit alpha, MUC1-NT,

MUC1-alpha, Mucin-1 subunit beta, MUC1-beta, MUC1-CT, MUC1, PUM

**Application Note** IHC~~1:100~500 IF~~1:50~200 FC~~1:10~50 E~~N/A

**Storage** Store at 2 to 8°C.Antibody is stable for 24 months.

Precautions MUC1 / EMA / CD227 (Epithelial Marker) Antibody - With BSA and Azide is for

research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

#### **Protein Information**

Name MUC1

Synonyms PUM

**Function** The alpha subunit has cell adhesive properties. Can act both as an adhesion

and an anti-adhesion protein. May provide a protective layer on epithelial

cells against bacterial and enzyme attack.

**Cellular Location** Apical cell membrane; Single-pass type I membrane protein. Note=Exclusively

located in the apical domain of the plasma membrane of highly polarized

epithelial cells After endocytosis, internalized and recycled to the cell membrane Located to microvilli and to the tips of long filopodial protusions [Isoform Y]: Secreted. [Mucin-1 subunit beta]: Cell membrane. Cytoplasm. Nucleus. Note=On EGF and PDGFRB stimulation, transported to the nucleus through interaction with CTNNB1, a process which is stimulated by phosphorylation. On HRG stimulation, colocalizes with JUP/gamma-catenin at the nucleus

#### **Tissue Location**

Expressed on the apical surface of epithelial cells, especially of airway passages, breast and uterus. Also expressed in activated and unactivated T-cells. Overexpressed in epithelial tumors, such as breast or ovarian cancer and also in non-epithelial tumor cells. Isoform Y is expressed in tumor cells only

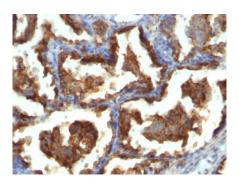
## **Background**

This MAb reacts with MUC1. The dominant epitope of this MAb has not yet been determined. MUC1 is a large cell surface mucin glycoprotein expressed by most glandular and ductal epithelial cells and some hematopoietic cell lineages. It is expressed on most secretory epithelium, including mammary gland and some hematopoietic cells. It is expressed abundantly in lactating mammary glands and over expressed abundantly in >90% breast carcinomas and metastases. Transgenic MUC1 has been shown to associate with all four c-erbB receptors and localize with c-erbB1 (EGFR) in lactating glands. The MUC1 gene contains seven exons and produces several different alternatively spliced variants. The major expressed form of MUC1 uses all seven exons and is a type 1 transmembrane protein with a large extracellular tandem repeat domain. The tandem repeat domain is highly O glycosylated and alterations in glycosylation have been shown in epithelial cancer cells. Antibody to EMA is useful as a pan-epithelial marker for detecting early metastatic loci of carcinoma in bone marrow or liver.

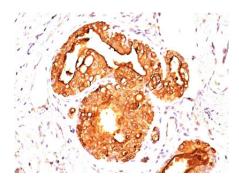
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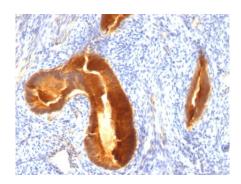
# **Images**



Formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded human Lung Carcinoma stained with EMA Monoclonal Antibody (MUC1/955).



Formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded human Breast Carcinoma stained with EMA Monoclonal Antibody (MUC1/955).



Formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded human Endometrial Carcinoma stained with EMA Monoclonal Antibody (MUC1/955).

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