

# Anti-N-Cadherin / Cadherin-2 / CD325 (NCAD) Antibody

Mouse Monoclonal Antibody Catalog # AH13073

#### **Product Information**

**Application** WB, IHC-P, IF, FC

Primary Accession P19022
Other Accession 464829

**Reactivity** Human, Mouse

**Host** Mouse **Clonality** Monoclonal

**Isotype** Mouse / IgG1, kappa

Clone Names CDH2/1573 Calculated MW 99809

### **Additional Information**

Gene ID 1000

Other Names Cadherin-2 N cadherin neuronal; Cadherin-2 type 1; Cadherin-2; Calcium

dependent adhesion protein neuronal; CD325; CDH2; CDHN; CDw325;

N-Cadherin; NCAD

**Application Note** Flow Cytometry (0.5-1ug/million cells); Immunofluorescence (1-2ug/ml);

,Western Blotting (0.5-1.0ug/ml); ,Immunohistology (Formalin-fixed)

(0.5-1.0ug/ml for 30 minutes at RT),(Staining of formalin-fixed tissues requires boiling tissue sections in 10mM Tis with1mM EDTA, pH 9.0, for 10-20 min followed by cooling at RT for 20 minutes),Optimal dilution for a specific

application should be determined.

**Format** 200ug/ml of Ab purified from Bioreactor Concentrate by Protein A/G.

Prepared in 10mM PBS with 0.05% BSA & 0.05% azide. Also available

WITHOUT BSA & azide at 1.0mg/ml.

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

**Precautions** Anti-N-Cadherin / Cadherin-2 / CD325 (NCAD) Antibody is for research use

only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

#### **Protein Information**

Name CDH2

Synonyms CDHN, NCAD

**Function** Calcium-dependent cell adhesion protein; preferentially mediates homotypic

cell-cell adhesion by dimerization with a CDH2 chain from another cell. Cadherins may thus contribute to the sorting of heterogeneous cell types. Acts as a regulator of neural stem cells quiescence by mediating anchorage of neural stem cells to ependymocytes in the adult subependymal zone: upon cleavage by MMP24, CDH2-mediated anchorage is affected, leading to modulate neural stem cell quiescence. Plays a role in cell-to-cell junction formation between pancreatic beta cells and neural crest stem (NCS) cells, promoting the formation of processes by NCS cells (By similarity). Required for proper neurite branching. Required for pre- and postsynaptic organization (By similarity). CDH2 may be involved in neuronal recognition mechanism. In hippocampal neurons, may regulate dendritic spine density.

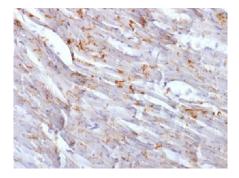
#### **Cellular Location**

Cell membrane; Single-pass type I membrane protein. Cell membrane, sarcolemma {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:P15116}. Cell junction. Cell surface {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:P15116}. Cell junction, desmosome {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:P15116}. Cell junction, adherens junction {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:P15116}. Note=Colocalizes with TMEM65 at the intercalated disk in cardiomyocytes. Colocalizes with OBSCN at the intercalated disk and at sarcolemma in cardiomyocytes {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:P15116}

## **Background**

Recognizes a protein of ~140kDa, identified as N-Cadherin (NCAD), also known as CD325. N-cadherin is a 140 kDa protein belonging to a family of transmembrane molecules that mediate calcium-dependent intercellular adhesion. Cadherins are involved in controlling morphogenetic movements during development and regulate cell surface adhesion through homotypic adhesion with the same cadherin species. Expression of N-cadherin has been reported on a variety of normal tissues including neuronal, endothelial and muscle cells, and a subpopulation of early hematopoietic progenitor cells. Results aid in the classification of malignant non-carcinomatous neoplasms including mesotheliomas, chordomas, synovial sarcomas, malignant melanomas, epithelioid sarcomas, epithelioid angiosarcomas, clear cell sarcomas as well as serous and endometrioid tumors of the ovary have been demonstrated to be N-cadherin positive, whereas mucinous tumors are negative. Other N-cadherin-positive neoplasms include renal cell carcinomas and some variant breast tumors, including medullary breast carcinomas and sarcomatoid metaplastic breast carcinomas.

## **Images**



Formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded Mouse Heart stained with N-Cadherin Monoclonal Antibody (CDH2/1573).

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