

# **PGA5** Antibody

Purified Mouse Monoclonal Antibody Catalog # AO1326a

#### **Product Information**

Application WB, IHC, E
Primary Accession PODJD9
Reactivity Human
Host Mouse
Clonality Monoclonal

Clone Names 2C1 Isotype IgG1 Calculated MW 41993

**Description** PGA5: Pepsinogen 5, group I (pepsinogen A). Pepsinogens are the inactive

precursors of pepsin, the major acid protease found in the stomach. Pepsin is one of the main proteolytic enzymes secreted by the gastric mucosa. Pepsin

consists of a single polypeptide chain and arises from its

precursor, pepsinogen, by removal of a 41 amino acid segment from the N-terminus. Pepsinogen is synthesized in the stomach lining, and hydrochloric acid, also produced by the gastric mucosa, is necessary to convert the inactive enzyme and to maintain the optimum acidity (pH 1-3) for pepsin function. Pepsin is particularly effective in cleaving peptide bonds involving aromatic amino acids. Pepsin shows extremely broad specificity; although bonds involving phenylalanine and leucine are preferred, many

others are also cleaved to some extent. PGA5 is a member of the subfamily A1 within the pepsin family and is the predominant endopeptidase in the gastric juice of vertebrates.PGA5 is inhibited by ovUS-1, a uterine serpin.

**Immunogen** Purified recombinant fragment of human PGA5 expressed in E. Coli.

**Formulation** Ascitic fluid containing 0.03% sodium azide.

#### **Additional Information**

Gene ID 5222

Other Names Pepsin A-5, 3.4.23.1, Pepsinogen-5, PGA5

**Dilution** WB~~1/500 - 1/2000 IHC~~1/200 - 1/1000 E~~N/A

**Storage** Maintain refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 6 months. For long term storage store

at -20°C in small aliquots to prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

**Precautions** PGA5 Antibody is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or

therapeutic procedures.

## **Protein Information**

Name PGA5

**Function** Shows particularly broad specificity; although bonds involving phenylalanine

and leucine are preferred, many others are also cleaved to some extent.

**Cellular Location** Secreted.

### References

1. Proc Natl Acad Sci U S A. 2002 Dec 24;99(26):16899-903. 2. Nat Genet. 2004 Jan;36(1):40-5.

## **Images**

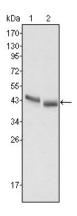


Figure 1: Western blot analysis using PGA5 mouse mAb against HepG2 (1) and SMMC-7721 (2) cell lysate.

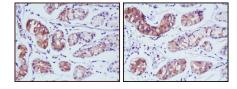


Figure 2: Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded human stomach cancer tissues using PGA5 mouse mAb with DAB staining.

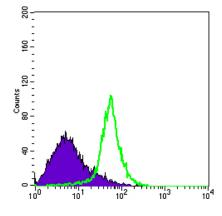


Figure 3: Flow cytometric analysis of Hela cells using ITGA5 mouse mAb (green) and negative control (purple).

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