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Anti-Cytokeratin 15 Antibody

Catalog # AP61607

Product Information

Application	WB, IHC
Primary Accession	P19012
Reactivity	Human
Host	Mouse
Clonality	Monoclonal
Calculated MW	49212

Additional Information

Gene ID	3866
Other Names	KRTB; Keratin type I cytoskeletal 15; Cytokeratin-15; CK-15; Keratin-15; K15
Target/Specificity	KLH-conjugated synthetic peptide encompassing a sequence within human Cytokeratin 15. The exact sequence is proprietary.
Dilution	WB~~1:1000 IHC~~1:100~500
Format	Mouse IgG1. Liquid in PBS containing 50% glycerol, 0.2% BSA and 0.01% sodium azide.
Storage	Store at -20 °C.Stable for 12 months from date of receipt

Protein Information

Name	KRT15 (HGNC:6421)
Synonyms	KRTB
Function	Structural component of intermediate filaments in the epithelium. Forms heteropolymers with type II keratin KRT5, assembling into keratin intermediate filament network that promotes mechanical resilience of undifferentiated cells, including hair follicle bulge cells, foregut basal progenitors and intestinal crypt cells. Displays an antagonist role with KRT14 in basal epithelial cells, where KRT14 promotes cell differentiation while KRT15 maintains the progenitor state and promotes proliferation and clonogenicity (PubMed:41511042). Promotes the progenitor state in basal keratinocytes by maintaining cytoplasmic YAP1 less effectively than KRT14 due to missing biochemical motifs, thereby allowing higher YAP1 nuclear activity (PubMed:41511042). Also contributes to epithelial cell regeneration after injury. In the absence of KRT14, forms a bona fide, but ultrastructurally distinct keratin filament network with KRT5 (By similarity).

Cellular Location	Cytoplasm {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:Q61414}.
Tissue Location	Expressed in a discontinuous manner in the basal cell layer of adult skin epidermis, but continuously in the basal layer of fetal skin epidermis and nail. Also expressed in the outer root sheath above the hair bulb in hair follicle (at protein level) Expressed homogeneously in all cell layers of the esophagus and exocervix, but detected in the basal cell layer only of oral mucosa, skin and in the basal plus the next two layers of the suprabasal epithelium of the palate. Expressed in basal cells on the airway surface and in the gland ducts in pulmonary bronchus (PubMed:36512409)

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