

TSPAN20 Rabbit pAb

Catalog # AP99796

Product Information

Application	WB, IHC-P, IHC-F, IF, E
Primary Accession	Q75841
Other Accession	Q75841
Host	Rabbit
Clonality	Polyclonal
Calculated MW	29643
Physical State	Liquid
Immunogen	KLH conjugated synthetic peptide derived from human TSPAN20/UIPb
Epitope Specificity	151-260/260
Isotype	IgG
Purity	affinity purified by Protein A

Buffer 0.01M TBS (pH7.4) with 1% BSA, 0.02% Proclin300 and 50% Glycerol.

SIMILARITY Belongs to the tetraspanin (TM4SF) family.

SUBUNIT Heterodimer with uroplakin-3A (UPK3A) or uroplakin-3B (UPK3B) (By similarity).

Post-translational modifications N-glycosylated with high-mannose oligosaccharides.

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Background Descriptions The asymmetric unit membrane (AUM) forms numerous plaques, which cover the apical surface of the urothelium. These plaques are thought to strengthen the urothelium and reduce the risk of rupturing during ladder distention. They are composed of four major integral membrane proteins called uroplakins (UP). The uroplakin family comprises UPIa, UIPb, UPII, and UPIII. Family members are conserved among several species, including human, mouse, rat, rabbit, dog, pig and sheep. UPIa and UIPb form tightly packed structures with UPII and UPIII, respectively. This pairing is required for normal urothelial plaque formation and is regulated by proteolytic processing of the uroplakin proteins. Uroplakins are expressed in normal urothelium and are used as specific markers of urothelial differentiation. They are also expressed in a majority of transitional cell carcinomas of the bladder (TCCs), which make the uroplakins a useful marker for detecting bladder cancer metastasis and for staging and monitoring chemotherapeutic response.

Additional Information

Gene ID	7348
Other Names	TSPAN20; UIPB; UPK1; UPK1B_HUMAN; UPK1B; UP1b; Tetraspanin-20 (Tspan-20); Uroplakin Ib (UPIb); uroplakin 1B
Dilution	WB=1:500-2000,IHC-P=1:100-500,IHC-F=1:100-500,IF=1:100-500,ELISA=1:5000-10000

Storage	Store at -20 °C for one year. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles. When reconstituted in sterile pH 7.4 0.01M PBS or diluent of antibody the antibody is stable for at least two weeks at 2-4 °C.
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Protein Information

Name	UPK1B
Synonyms	TSPAN20
Function	Component of the asymmetric unit membrane (AUM); a highly specialized biomembrane elaborated by terminally differentiated urothelial cells. May play an important role in normal bladder epithelial physiology, possibly in regulating membrane permeability of superficial umbrella cells or in stabilizing the apical membrane through AUM/cytoskeletal interactions (By similarity).
Cellular Location	Membrane; Multi-pass membrane protein.
Tissue Location	Bladder epithelium.

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