

## DESCRIPTION

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| <b>Species Reactivity</b> | Human                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>Specificity</b>        | Detects human Mesothelin Propeptide/MPF in direct ELISAs and Western blots. In direct ELISAs, less than 1% cross-reactivity with mature recombinant human Mesothelin is observed.                                                                                           |
| <b>Source</b>             | Polyclonal Goat IgG                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| <b>Purification</b>       | Antigen Affinity-purified                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>Immunogen</b>          | Mouse myeloma cell line NS0-derived recombinant human Mesothelin Propeptide/MPF isoform 1<br>Arg35-Leu289<br>Accession # Q13421                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>Conjugate</b>          | Alexa Fluor 594<br>Excitation Wavelength: 590 nm<br>Emission Wavelength: 617 nm                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>Formulation</b>        | Supplied 0.2mg/ml in 1X PBS with RDF1 and 0.09% Sodium Azide<br><br>*Contains <0.1% Sodium Azide, which is not hazardous at this concentration according to GHS classifications. Refer to the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for additional information and handling instructions. |

## APPLICATIONS

**Please Note:** Optimal dilutions should be determined by each laboratory for each application. [General Protocols](#) are available in the Technical Information section on our website.

**Western Blot** Optimal dilution of this antibody should be experimentally determined.

## PREPARATION AND STORAGE

**Shipping** The product is shipped with polar packs. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended below.

**Stability & Storage** Protect from light. Do not freeze. 12 months from date of receipt, 2 to 8 °C as supplied

## BACKGROUND

Mesothelin is a 40 kDa, 292 amino acid, GPI-linked glycoprotein found on normal mesothelial cells. It is also highly expressed in pancreatic, gastric and ovarian carcinomas. Mesothelin is synthesized as a preproprotein with a carboxy-terminal hydrophobic pro-region that is removed when a GPI-anchor is added. The amino-terminal propeptide is cleaved by furin to release a 33 kDa soluble protein that is also known as megakaryocyte potentiating factor (MPF). Mouse MPF has been shown to potentiate megakaryocyte colony forming activity of IL-3 in mouse bone marrow culture. The amino acid sequence of human MPF is 55% identical to that of mouse or rat MPF.

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