

Mouse Periostin/OSF-2 Alexa Fluor® 488-conjugated Antibody

Monoclonal Rat IgG₁ Clone # 345616 Catalog Number: FAB2955G

100 µg

DESCRIPTION		
Species Reactivity	Mouse	
Specificity	Detects mouse Periostin/OSF-2 in ELISAs.	
Source	Monoclonal Rat IgG ₁ Clone # 345616	
Purification	Protein A or G purified from hybridoma culture supernatant	
Immunogen	S. frugiperda insect ovarian cell line Sf 21-derived recombinant mouse Periostin/OSF-2 isoform 2 Asn24-Gln811 Accession # NP_056599	
Conjugate	Alexa Fluor 488 Excitation Wavelength: 488 nm Emission Wavelength: 515-545 nm	
Formulation	Supplied 0.2mg/ml in 1X PBS with RDF1 and 0.09% Sodium Azide	
	*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.				
ELISA Capture (Matched Antibody Pair)	Optimal dilution of this antibody should be experimentally determined.			
ELISA Detection (Matched Antibody Pair)	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

ADDLICATIONS

Mouse Periostin, also known as OSF-2 (osteoblast-specific factor 2) is a 170 kDa, secreted, homodimeric protein that belongs to the periostin family of the FAS1 superfamily of molecules (1-4). It is a TGF- β inducible molecule that serves as both an adhesion molecule and tumor suppressor (2, 5, 6, 7). It is synthesized as a 838 amino acid (aa) precursor that contains a 23 aa signal sequence and an 815 aa mature region (2, 8). It is unknown if the molecule has any significant glycosylation (2). Based on human OSF-2, the homodimer is not disulfide-linked (3). The molecule consists of two distinct regions. The N-terminus contains an 55 aa EMI domain, while the C-terminus contains four, 130 aa fasciculin type 1 (or FAS1) domains. The EMI domain is cysteine-rich and shows a highly basic α -helix (9). Each FAS1 repeat exhibits a novel 7-stranded β -wedge with a multiple α -helix fold (1, 8). Multiple alternate splice forms are known to exist C-terminal (aa 672-812) to the four-fold FAS1 repeats. These mature molecules are 760, 761, 787 and 788 aa in length and show block deletions of 54 aa, 27 aa and/or 28 aa (10). The significance of the alternate splice forms is not clear. They do, however, appear to be temporally regulated (6). OSF-2 is known to bind to $\alpha_V \beta_3$ and $\alpha_V \beta_5$ integrins (3). It is synthesized by smooth muscle cells, fibroblasts and osteoblasts (2, 5, 7). Mature mouse OSF-2 shares 98%, 92% and 91% aa identity with rat, canine and human OSF-2, respectively.

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