

## DESCRIPTION

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| <b>Species Reactivity</b> | Human                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>Specificity</b>        | Detects human Matrilin-1 in ELISAs. In direct ELISAs, no cross-reactivity with recombinant human Matrilin-2, -3, or -4 is observed.                                                                                                                                         |
| <b>Source</b>             | Monoclonal Mouse IgG <sub>1</sub> Clone # 828806                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>Purification</b>       | Protein A or G purified from hybridoma culture supernatant                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>Immunogen</b>          | Chinese hamster ovary cell line CHO-derived recombinant human Matrilin-1<br>Ser23-Val496<br>Accession # P21941                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>Conjugate</b>          | Alexa Fluor 488<br>Excitation Wavelength: 488 nm<br>Emission Wavelength: 515-545 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.

**Immunocytochemistry** Optimal dilution of this antibody should be experimentally determined.

## PREPARATION AND STORAGE

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| <b>Shipping</b>                | The product is shipped with polar packs. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended below. |
| <b>Stability &amp; Storage</b> | Protect from light. Do not freeze. 12 months from date of receipt, 2 to 8 °C as supplied                          |

## BACKGROUND

Matrilin-1, also known as Cartilage Matrix Protein (CMP) is a 50-60 kDa extracellular matrix protein that belongs to the superfamily of von Willebrand factor A (VWA) containing proteins. It is primarily expressed in cartilage and functions as a bridging component between proteins of the collagenous matrix. Mature human Matrilin-1 contains two VWA domains that flank one EGF-like repeat, followed by a C-terminal coiled coil domain. The Matrilins differ in the number of VWA domains (one or two) and EGF-like repeats (one, three, four, or ten) they contain. Human Matrilin-1 shares 91% aa sequence identity with human and rat Matrilin-1. The coiled coil domain of Matrilin-1 mediates disulfide-linked homo-trimer formation. It can also assemble into hetero-oligomers with Matrilin-2, -3, and -4.

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