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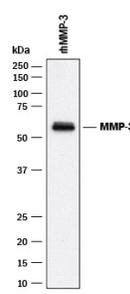
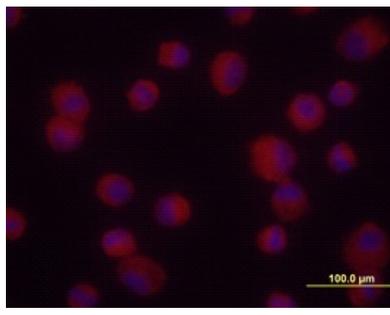
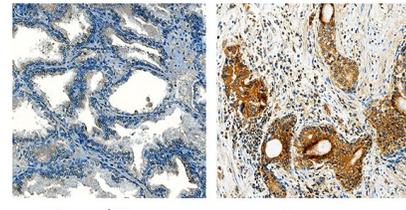
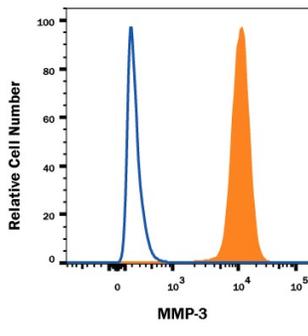
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| <b>Species Reactivity</b> | Human   |
| <b>Specificity</b>        | Detects both the pro and active forms of human MMP-3 in direct ELISAs and Western blots. In direct ELISAs, 50-100% cross-reactivity with recombinant mouse MMP-3 is observed, 10% cross-reactivity with recombinant human (rh) MMP-10 is observed and no cross-reactivity with rhMMP-1, -2, -7, -8, -9, -12 or -13 is observed. |
| <b>Source</b>             | Monoclonal Mouse IgG <sub>1</sub> Clone # 50647   |
| <b>Purification</b>       | Protein A or G purified from hybridoma culture supernatant  |
| <b>Immunogen</b>          | Chinese hamster ovary cell line CHO-derived recombinant human MMP-3<br>Tyr18-Cys477<br>Accession # P08254   |
| <b>Formulation</b>        | Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution in PBS with Trehalose. See Certificate of Analysis for details.<br>*Small pack size (-SP) is supplied either lyophilized or as a 0.2 µm filtered solution in PBS.   |

**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.

|   | <b>Recommended Concentration</b>   | <b>Sample</b> |
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| <b>Western Blot</b>                             | 1 µg/mL  | See Below     |
| <b>Immunocytochemistry</b>                      | 8-25 µg/mL   | See Below     |
| <b>Immunohistochemistry</b>                     | 8-25 µg/mL   | See Below     |
| <b>Intracellular Staining by Flow Cytometry</b> | 0.25 µg/10 <sup>6</sup> cells  | See Below     |
| <b>CyTOF-ready</b>                              | Ready to be labeled using established conjugation methods. No BSA or other carrier proteins that could interfere with conjugation. |               |

**DATA**

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| <p><b>Western Blot</b></p>  <p><b>Detection of Human MMP-3 by Western Blot.</b> Western blot shows Recombinant Human MMP-3 Western Blot Standard Protein (2 µL, Catalog # <a href="#">WBC015</a>). PVDF membrane was probed with 1 µg/mL of Mouse Anti-Human MMP-3 Monoclonal Antibody (Catalog # MAB513) followed by HRP-conjugated Anti-Mouse IgG Secondary Antibody (Catalog # <a href="#">HAF018</a>). A specific band was detected for MMP-3 at approximately 55 kDa (as indicated). This experiment was conducted under reducing conditions and using <a href="#">Immunoblot Buffer Group 1</a>.</p>  | <p><b>Immunocytochemistry</b></p>  <p><b>MMP-3 in MG-63 Human Cell Line.</b> MMP-3 was detected in immersion fixed MG-63 human osteosarcoma cell line using 10 µg/mL Mouse Anti-Human MMP-3 Monoclonal Antibody (Catalog # MAB513) for 3 hours at room temperature. Cells were stained with the NorthernLights™ 557-conjugated Anti-Mouse IgG Secondary Antibody (red; Catalog # <a href="#">NL007</a>) and counterstained with DAPI (blue). View our protocol for <a href="#">Fluorescent ICC Staining of Cells on Coverslips</a>.</p>   |
| <p><b>Immunohistochemistry</b></p>  <p><b>MMP-3 in Human Prostate and Human Prostate Cancer Tissue.</b> MMP-3 was detected in immersion fixed paraffin-embedded sections of normal human prostate and human prostate cancer tissue using Mouse Anti-Human MMP-3 Monoclonal Antibody (Catalog # MAB513) at 15 µg/mL overnight at 4 °C. Tissue was stained using the Anti-Goat HRP-DAB Cell &amp; Tissue Staining Kit (brown; Catalog # <a href="#">CTS008</a>) and counterstained with hematoxylin (blue). Specific staining was localized to cytoplasm in cancer cells (right panel). View our protocol for <a href="#">Chromogenic IHC Staining of Paraffin-embedded Tissue Sections</a>.</p> | <p><b>Intracellular Staining by Flow Cytometry</b></p>  <p><b>Detection of MMP-3 in MG-63 Human Cell Line by Flow Cytometry.</b> MG-63 human osteosarcoma cell line was stained with Mouse Anti-Human MMP-3 Monoclonal Antibody (Catalog # MAB513, filled histogram) or isotype control antibody (Catalog # <a href="#">MAB002</a>, open histogram), followed by Allophycocyanin-conjugated Anti-Mouse IgG Secondary Antibody (Catalog # <a href="#">F0101B</a>). To facilitate intracellular staining, cells were fixed with Flow Cytometry Fixation Buffer (Catalog # <a href="#">FC004</a>) and permeabilized with Flow Cytometry Permeabilization/Wash Buffer I (Catalog # <a href="#">FC005</a>). View our protocol for <a href="#">Staining Intracellular Molecules</a>.</p> |

**PREPARATION AND STORAGE**

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| <b>Reconstitution</b>          | Reconstitute at 0.5 mg/mL in sterile PBS.  |
| <b>Shipping</b>                | The product is shipped at ambient temperature. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended below.<br>*Small pack size (-SP) is shipped with polar packs. Upon receipt, store it immediately at -20 to -70 °C   |
| <b>Stability &amp; Storage</b> | <b>Use a manual defrost freezer and avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● 12 months from date of receipt, -20 to -70 °C as supplied.</li><li>● 1 month, 2 to 8 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.</li><li>● 6 months, -20 to -70 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.</li></ul> |

**BACKGROUND**

Matrix metalloproteinases are a family of zinc and calcium dependent endopeptidases with the combined ability to degrade all the components of the extracellular matrix. MMP-3 (stromelysin-1), can degrade a broad range of substrates including collagen  $\alpha$  chains, aggrecan, laminin, fibronectin, elastin, casein,  $\alpha$ -1 antitrypsin, myelin basic protein, IL-1 $\beta$ , IGFBP-3, pro MMP-1, pro MMP-7, pro MMP-8, pro MMP-9 and pro MMP-13. MMP-3 does not cleave the triple helical region of interstitial collagens, a characteristic which distinguishes the stromelysins from the collagenases. The MMP-3 substrate repertoire extends beyond extracellular matrix proteins and implicates MMP-3 in roles other than direct tissue remodelling, for instance, enzyme cascades and cytokine regulation. MMP-3 is expressed by fibroblasts, chondrocytes, osteoblasts, endothelial cells, smooth muscle cells and macrophages. Structurally, MMP-3 may be divided into several distinct domains; a pro-domain which is cleaved upon activation; a catalytic domain containing the zinc binding site; a short hinge region and a carboxyl terminal (hemopexin-like) domain.