

**DESCRIPTION**

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| <b>Species Reactivity</b> | Human   |
| <b>Specificity</b>        | Detects human HE4/WFDC2 in direct ELISAs.   |
| <b>Source</b>             | Monoclonal Mouse IgG <sub>1</sub> Clone # 676009  |
| <b>Purification</b>       | Protein A or G purified from hybridoma culture supernatant  |
| <b>Immunogen</b>          | Mouse myeloma cell line NS0-derived recombinant human HE4/WFDC2<br>Thr28-Phe124<br>Accession # Q14508   |
| <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. |

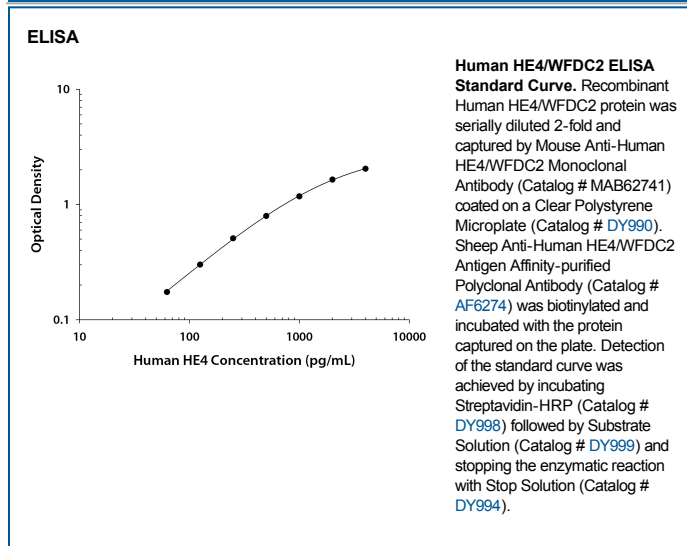
**APPLICATIONS**

**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.

**ELISA** This antibody functions as an ELISA capture antibody when paired with Sheep Anti-Human HE4/WFDC2 Antigen Affinity-purified Polyclonal Antibody (Catalog # [AF6274](#)).

*This product is intended for assay development on various assay platforms requiring antibody pairs. We recommend the Human HE4/WFDC2 DuoSet ELISA Kit (Catalog # [DY6274-05](#)) for convenient development of a sandwich ELISA or the Human HE4/WFDC2 Quantikine ELISA Kit (Catalog # [DHE400](#)) for a complete optimized ELISA.*

**DATA**



**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**

HE4 (also WFDC2; WAP Four-disulfide core domain protein 2) is a secreted, 25 kDa glycoprotein member of the Whey Acidic Protein family of molecules. It is expressed by a wide variety of epithelial cells, including respiratory epithelium, salivary gland mucous cells, breast duct epithelium, distal tubule renal epithelium, and epididymal epithelium. It is believed to play a role in innate defense, and/or function as a protease inhibitor (perhaps for neutrophil elastase). Ovarian epithelial tumors have an increased expression of HE4, leading to the suggestion that HE4 could represent a tumor marker for ovarian cancer. Mature human HE4 is 94 amino acids (aa) in length. It contains two WAP domains that likely mediate antiprotease and/or antimicrobial activity (aa 31-73 and 74-123). There are four potential splice variants. One shows a deletion of aa 27-74, while three others show aa substitutions: 28 aa for aa 75-124, 23 aa for aa 1-74, and 10 aa for aa 71-124. Over aa 31-124, human HE4 shares 63% aa identity with an extended (144 amino acid) mouse form of mature HE4.