

UltraMarque™

Thyroid Transcription Factor – 1 (TTF-1) (8G7G3/1)

For In Vitro Diagnostic Use
 English: Instructions for use

PRESENTATION

Anti-Thyroid Transcription Factor – 1 (anti-TTF-1) is mouse monoclonal antibody from tissue culture supernatant, diluted in phosphate buffered saline, pH 7.6, with protein base, and preserved with sodium azide.

APPLICATIONS

Anti-TTF-1 is useful in differentiating primary adenocarcinoma of the lung from metastatic carcinomas from the breast¹, mediastinal germ cell tumors and malignant mesothelioma². It can also be used to differentiate Small cell lung carcinoma from lymphoid infiltrates.³ Loss of TTF-1 expression in non-small cell lung carcinoma has been associated with aggressive behavior of such neoplasms.

REACTIVITY	Paraffin, Frozen
CONTROL	Adenocarcinoma of Lung, Normal lung, Thyroid
VISUALIZATION	Nuclear
STABILITY	Up to 36 months; store at 2-8°C
ISOTYPE	IgG./K

AVAILABILITY	DESCRIPTION	CATALOG No.	DILUTION/COMMENTS
	1 ml, prediluted	CMA571	Ready to use
	6 ml, prediluted	CMA572	Ready to use
	15 ml, prediluted	CMA573	Ready to use
	0.05 ml, concentrate	CMC571	1:100-1:500*
	0.5 ml, concentrate	CMC572	1:100-1:500*
	1 ml, concentrate	CMC573	1:100-1:500*
	Positive Control Slides	CMS571	5 slides per pack

SPECIMEN PREPARATION

1. Paraffin embedded tissue that has been fixed in neutral formalin (preferably) for 6 to 24 hours for optimal results.
2. Cut 3-4µm sections and place on positively charged slides.
3. Dry overnight at 37°C or 2-4 hours at 58°C.
4. Pretreat.

PRETREATMENT OPTIONS

1. Deparaffinize, rehydrate, and epitope retrieve.
2. The preferred method of pretreatment is the use of Heat Induced Epitope Retrieval (HIER) techniques using Cell Marque's Declere® with citrate or Trilogy™ with EDTA in conjunction with a pressure cooker. The preferred method allows for simultaneous deparaffinization, rehydration, and epitope retrieval. Upon completion, rinse with 5 changes of distilled or deionized water.

RECOMMENDED MANUAL STAINING PROCEDURE

1. If using HRP Label, place slides in peroxide block for 10 to 15 minutes; rinse.
2. Apply the antibody and incubate for 60 minutes at room temperature; rinse.
3. Apply the Link, incubate for 10 minutes at room temperature; rinse.
4. Apply the Label, incubate for 10 minutes at room temperature; rinse.
5. Apply ample amount of chromogen and incubate for 1 to 10 minutes at room temperature.
6. Rinse with 4 to 5 changes of deionized water.
7. Counterstain and coverslip.

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*The dilutions set forth above are estimates; actual results may differ because of variability in methods and protocols. Validation of anti-body performance/protocol is the responsibility of the end user.

Material Safety Data Sheet

1. Components

Sodium Azide 0.1%

2. Physical Data

Appearance Liquid
Solubility in water N/A
Specific gravity N/A
Melting point N/A
Evaporation rate N/A

3. Fire and Explosion Data

Flash point N/A
Extinguishing media Water, foam, carbon dioxide
Special fire fighting procedures Use respirator. Toxic gases may be evolved: CO, CO₂, nitrogen oxides
Unusual fire and explosion hazards None

4. Health Hazard Data

orl-hmn TDLO: 710 ug/kg
inv-mus LD50: 19mg/kg
Threshold limit value 300ug/m³
Acute effects of overexposure May cause local discomfort
Emergency procedures Wash affected area with H₂O for at least 15 min.
Skin contact May cause local discomfort
Eye contact May cause irritation
Inhalation May cause irritation
Ingestion Harmful if swallowed

5. Reactivity Data

Stability Stable
Conditions to avoid Acidic pH
Hazardous Polymerization Will not occur
Hazardous decomposition products CO, CO₂, nitrogen oxides

6. Spill or Leak Procedures

Spilled or released material Flush to sewer if allowed or collect on absorbent and dispose in approved land fill.
Waste disposal method Flush to sewer if allowed

7. Special Protection Information

Respiratory protection N/A
Ventilation Use only with adequate ventilation
Protective gloves needed Yes
Eye protection needed Yes
Handling and storage precautions Store in refrigerator

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