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CD31, Endothelial Cell; Clone JC/70A
(Ready-To-Use)

Availability/Contents:

Item #	Volume
A00009-0002	2 ml
A00009-0007	7 ml
A00009-0025	25 ml

Description:

Species:	Mouse
Immunogen:	Membrane preparation of a spleen from a patient with hairy cell leukemia.
Clone:	JC/70A
Isotype:	IgG1, kappa
Entrez Gene ID:	5175 (Human); 18613 (Mouse)
Hu Chromosome Loc.:	17q23.3
Synonyms:	EndoCAM; PECA1; Platelet Endothelial Cell Adhesion Molecule 1; GPIIA'
Mol. Weight of Antigen:	~100kDa (endothelium) and ~130kDa (platelets)
Format:	This antibody has been pretitered and quality controlled to work on formalin-fixed paraffin-embedded as well as acetone fixed cryostat tissue sections. No further titration is required.
Specificity:	Anti-CD31 has shown to be highly specific and sensitive for vascular endothelial cells. Staining of nonvascular tumors (excluding hematopoietic neoplasms) is rare. Anti-CD31 reacts with normal, benign, and malignant endothelial cells which make up blood vessel lining.
Background:	CD31 (PECAM-1) is a transmembrane glycoprotein member of the immunoglobulin supergene family of adhesion molecules. CD31 is expressed by stem cells of the hematopoietic system and is primarily used to identify and concentrate these cells for experimental studies as well as for bone marrow transplantation. The level of CD31 expression can help to determine the degree of tumor angiogenesis, and a high level of CD31 expression may imply a rapidly growing tumor and potentially be a predictor of tumor recurrence.
Species Reactivity:	Human, Cynomolgus Monkey, and Rabbit. Others not known.
Positive Control:	Tonsil, Angiosarcoma.
Cellular Localization:	Cell surface and cytoplasmic
Titer/ Working Dilution:	No further dilution is required.
Microbiological State:	This product is not sterile.

Storage: 2° C 8° C

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Uses/Limitations:

Not to be taken internally.
For In Vitro Diagnostic Use.
This product is intended for qualitative immunohistochemistry with normal and neoplastic formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded tissue sections, to be viewed by light microscopy.
Do not use if reagent becomes cloudy.
Do not use past expiration date.
Non-Sterile.

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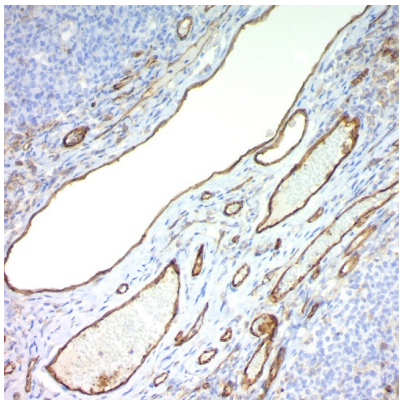

Formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded tonsil stained with CD31; Clone JC/70A.

Procedure:

1. **Tissue Section Pretreatment (Required):** Staining of formalin fixed, paraffin embedded tissue sections is significantly enhanced by pretreatment with EDTA Buffer (10X) HIER Solution (pH 8.0) (ScyTek catalog# ETA).

2. **Primary Antibody Incubation Time:** We suggest an incubation period of 30 minutes at room temperature. However, depending upon the fixation conditions and the staining system employed, optimal incubation should be determined by the user.

3. **Visualization:** For maximum staining intensity we recommend the "UltraTek HRP Anti-Polyvalent Lab Pack" (ScyTek catalog# UHP125, see IFU for instructions) combined with the "DAB Chromogen/Substrate Bulk Pack (High Contrast)" (ScyTek catalog# ACV500, see IFU for instructions).

Precautions:

Contains Sodium Azide as a preservative (0.09% w/v).
Do not pipette by mouth.
Avoid contact of reagents and specimens with skin and mucous membranes.
Avoid microbial contamination of reagents or increased nonspecific staining may occur.
This product contains no hazardous material at a reportable concentration according to U.S. 29 CFR 1910.1200, OSHA Hazardous Communication Standard and EC Directive 91/155/EC.

References:

1. Gratzinger D *et. al.* Am J Clin Pathol 131:264-278 (2009).

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