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HepPar-1 (Hepatocellular Marker); Clone HepPar1
(Concentrate)

Availability/Contents:

Item #	Volume
RA0643-C.1	0.1 ml
RA0643-C.5	0.5 ml
RA0643-C1	1 ml

Description:

Species:	Mouse
Immunogen:	Extract of a formalin-fixed, rejected-allograft of a human liver
Clone:	HepPar1
Isotype:	IgG1 / Kappa
Entrez Gene ID:	Not Known
Hu Chromosome Loc.:	N/A
Synonyms:	N/A, N/A, Not Known
Mol. Weight of Antigen:	Not Known
Format:	200ug/ml of antibody purified from Bioreactor Concentrate by Protein A/G. Prepared in 10mM PBS with 0.05% BSA & 0.05% azide.
Specificity:	Hepatocyte Paraffin 1 or HepPar1 localizes to the mitochondria of hepatocytes.
Background:	It is a sensitive marker for distinguishing hepatocellular carcinomas (HCC) from other metastatic carcinomas as well as cholangio-carcinomas. HCC's occur primarily in the stomach, but they are also found in many other organs. The Hepatocyte Specific Antigen may also be a useful marker for intestinal metaplasia. Reportedly, strong expression of the Hepatocyte Specific Antigen correlates with smaller tumor size and longer patient survival. Occasionally, Hepatocyte Specific Antigen is also found in gastric carcinomas as well as in a few other non-hepatic tumors.
Species Reactivity:	Dog, Human
Positive Control:	Liver or Hepatocellular Carcinoma (HCC).
Cellular Localization:	N/A
Titer/ Working Dilution:	Immunohistochemistry (Frozen and Formalin-fixed): 1-2 µg/ml Immunofluorescence: 1-3 µg/ml
Microbiological State:	This product is not sterile.

Storage: 2° C  8° C

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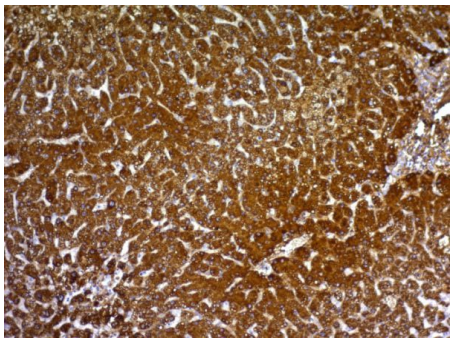
Uses/Limitations:

Not to be taken internally.
For Research Use Only.
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.



Formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded human Hepatocellular Carcinoma stained with HepPar-1 Mouse Monoclonal Antibody (HepPar1).

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Procedure:

1. **Tissue Section Pretreatment (Highly Recommended):** Staining of formalin fixed, paraffin embedded tissue sections is significantly enhanced by pretreatment with Tris-EDTA HIER Solution (10x) pH 9.0 (ScyTek catalog# TES500) or Citrate Plus (10x) HIER Solution (ScyTek catalog# CPL500).

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:

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2. Wennerberg AE et. al. Am J Pathol 1993;143:1050-4
3. Fan, Z., et al. Mod. Pathol 2003; 16: 137-144, 2003

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