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Basic Information	
Product Name	Anti-MMP8 Antibody
Gene Name	MMP8
Source	Rabbit
Isotype	IgG
Species Reactivity	human
Tested Application	WB, IHC
Contents	500 ug/ml antibody with PBS ,0.02% NaN3 , 1 mg BSA and 50% glycerol.
Immunogen	A synthetic peptide corresponding to a sequence at the N-terminus of human MMP8(103-115aa PGNPKWERTNLTY), different from the related rat and mouse sequences by three amino acids.
concentration	500 ug/ml
Purification	Immunogen affinity purified.
Observed MW	53KD
Dilution Ratios	Western blot(WB): 1:500-2000 Immunohistochemistry in paraffin section (IHC): 1:50-400 (Boiling the paraffin sections in 10mM citrate buffer,pH6.0,or PH8.0 EDTA repair liquid for 20 mins is required for the staining of formalin/paraffin sections.) Optimal working dilutions must be determined by end user.

Storage

12 months from date of receipt, -20° C as supplied. 6 months 2 to 8°C after reconstitution. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing.

Background Information

MMP8(Matrix metalloproteinase 8) is a member of the family of matrix metalloproteinases. It is distinct from the collagenase of skin fibroblasts and synovial cells in substrate specificity and immunologic crossreactivity. MMP8 was mapped to 11q21-q22. MMP8 is an enzyme that degrades fibrillar collagens imparting strength to the fetal membranes, is expressed by leukocytes and chorionic cytotrophoblast cells. The enzyme exhibits 58% homology to human fibroblast collagenase and has the same domain structure. It consists of a 20-residue signal peptide, and an 80-residue propeptide that is lost on autolytic activation by cleavage of an M-L bond. MMP8 was found to possess 57% identity with the deduced protein sequence for fibroblast collagenase with 72% chemical similarity. Matrix metalloproteinases(MMPs) have fundamental roles in tumor progression, but most clinical trials with MMP inhibitors have not shown improvements in individuals with cancer. MMP8 has a paradoxical protective role in cancer and provides a genetic model to evaluate the molecular basis of gender differences in cancer susceptibility.

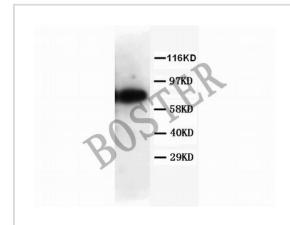


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Selected Validation Data



MMP8(BA0572)(MW:72KD)人MCF-7细胞裂解, 免疫印迹分析.