

# PRODUCT INFORMATION SHEET

# **Mouse Monoclonal Antibody to BIRC5**

Format: PURE RUO REF IQP-1671P Volume: 0.1ml

**Description** Ti

Clone 1H5

Mouse IgG1 **Isotype** BIRC5 **Specificity** 

**Alternative** names

API4; EPR-1

**Species** Human

Purified recombinant fragment of human BIRC5 expressed in E. Coli.

**Immunogen** Mw

**Format** 

Purified antibody in PBS with 0.05% sodium azide and 0.5% protein stabilizer

#### Summary

This gene is a member of the inhibitor of apoptosis (IAP) gene family, which encode negative regulatory proteins that prevent apoptotic cell death. IAP family members usually contain multiple baculovirus IAP repeat (BIR) domains, but this gene encodes proteins with only a single BIR domain. The encoded proteins also lack a C-terminus RING finger domain. Gene expression is high during fetal development and in most tumors, yet low in adult tissues. Alternatively spliced transcript variants encoding distinct isoforms have been found for this gene.

**Applications** Western Bloting: 1/500 - 1/2000.Immunohistochemistry: 1/200 - 1/1000.Immunofluorescence: 1/200 - 1/1000. Flow cytometry: 1/200 - 1/400. ELISA: Propose dilution 1/10000. Not yet tested in other applications. Determining optimal working dilutions by titration test.

## Limitations

- 1. Conjugates with brighter fluorochromes, like PE and APC, will have a greater separation than those with dyes like FITC and CyQ. When populations overlap, the percentage of positive cells using a selected marker can be affected by the choice of fluorescent label.
- 2. Use of monoclonal antibodies in patient treatment can interfere with antigen target recognition by this reagent. This should be taken into account when samples are analyzed from patients treated in this fashion. IQ Products has not characterized the effect of the presence of therapeutic antibodies on the performance of this reagent.
- 3. Reagents can be used in different combinations, therefore laboratories need to become familiar performance characteristics of each antibody in relation with the combined markers in normal and abnormal samples.
- 4. Reagent data performance is based on EDTA-treated blood. Reagent performance can be affected by the use of other anticoagulants.

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### **Handling and Storage**

Antibodies are supplied in 0.01 M sodium phosphate, 0.15 M NaCl; pH 7.3, 0.03% sodiumazide (NaN3) or as ascetic fluid containing 0.03% sodiumazide. Store the vials at 2-8 °C for a maximum of 2 weeks and store at -20°C for longer term storage. Monoclonal antibodies should be protected from prolonged exposure to light when conjugated with fluorochromes. Reagents are stable for the period shown on the vial label when stored properly.

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# Warranty

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#### Characterization

To ensure consistently high-quality reagents, each batch of monoclonal antibody is tested for conformance with characteristics of a standard reagent. Representative flow cytometric data is included in this data sheet.

#### Warning

All products contain sodiumazide. This chemical is poisonous and hazardous. Handling should be done by trained staff only.

**References** 1. BMC Cancer. 2010 Feb 24;10:65. 2. Int J Cancer. 2009 Oct 15;125(8):1921-5.

# **Explanation of used symbols**

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$\triangle$	Caution, consult accompanying document
*	Keep away from (sun)light
<b>⊕</b>	Biological risks
*	Temperature limitation (°C)
RUO	For Research Use Only
LOT	Batch code
2	Use by yyyy-mm-dd
<b>****</b>	Manufacturer
EC REP	Authorized Representative in the European Community
CE	Conformité Européenne (European Conformity)

		Label - tandem	Ex -max (nm)	Em -max (nm)
P	PURE	purified material		escence
F	FITC	FITC	488	519
R	R-PE	PE	488, 532	578
С	CyQ	PE-Cy5.18	488, 532	667
Α	APC		595, 633, 635, 647	660
PC	PerCP		488, 532	678
PCC	PerCP-Cy5.5		488, 532	695



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