

## **PRODUCT INFORMATION SHEET**

# **Mouse Monoclonal Antibody to MUC16**

Format: PURE RUO REF IQP-1813P QTY 0.1mg

Description

Clone 2E9C2

Isotype Mouse IgG1
Specificity MUC16

Alternative names

CA125

Species Human

Immunogen Purified recombinant fragment of human MUC16 (AA: extra 1-200) expressed in E. Coli.

**Mw** 1519kDa

**Format** Purified antibody in PBS with 0.05% sodium azide

#### **Summary**

This gene encodes a protein that is a member of the mucin family. Mucins are high molecular weight, O-glycosylated proteins that play an important role in forming a protective mucous barrier, and are found on the apical surfaces of the epithelia. The encoded protein is a membrane-tethered mucin that contains an extracellular domain at its amino terminus, a large tandem repeat domain, and a transmembrane domain with a short cytoplasmic domain. The amino terminus is highly glycosylated, while the repeat region contains 156 amino acid repeats unit that are rich in serines, threonines, and prolines. Interspersed within the repeats are Sea urchin sperm protein Enterokinase and Agrin (SEA) modules, leucine-rich repeats and ankyrin (ANK) repeats. These regions together form the ectodomain, and there is a potential cleavage site found near an SEA module close to the transmembrane domain. This protein is thought to play a role in forming a barrier, protecting epithelial cells from pathogens. Products of this gene have been used as a marker for different cancers, with higher expression levels associated with poorer outcomes.

Applications WB:1/500 - 1/2000; IHC:1/200 - 1/1000; FCM:1/200 - 1/400; ELISA:1/10000.

## 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**

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.

## Warning

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

#### References

1.BMC Cancer. 2019 Apr 30;19(1):406. 2.BMC Cancer. 2019 Feb 22;19(1):171.

## **Explanation of used symbols**



		Label - tandem	Ex -max (nm)	Em -max (nm)
P	PURE	purified material	-	-
F	FITC	FITC	488	519
R	R-PE	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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