

# Synaptohysin

# **Data Sheet**

Catalog Number: MO20000 Host: Mouse

Product Type: Mouse monoclonal Species Reactivity: Rat, Human

Clone 27G12, IgG1

Immunogen C-terminal peptide Format: Reconstituted supernantant

Sequence: with 15mM sodium azide Sent in liquid form.

Applications: Immunohistochemistry 1:100-1:200 (Paraffin Embedded Tissue).

Western Blot 1:1,100

Dilutions listed as a recommendation. Optimal dilution should be determined by investigator.

Storage: Antibody can be aliquotted and stored frozen at -20° C to -70° C in a manual defrost freezer for six

months without detectable loss of activity. The antibody can be stored at 2° - 8° C for 1 month without

detectable loss of activity. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

References: C.H. Guenther, S. Vinit, J.A. Windelborn, M. Behana and G.S. Mitchell. Atypical protein

kinase C expression in phrenic motor neurons of the

rat.doi:10.1016/j.neuroscience.2010.05.018.

#### **Application Notes**

#### **Specimen Preparation**

The recommended fixative is 10% neutral-buffered formalin for paraffin-embedded tissue sections.

#### A. Antigen Recovery

Reagents required but not supplied

- 1. Standard solvents used in immunohistochemistry.
- 2. 0.5% v/v hydrogen peroxide.
- 3. 50 mM Tris-buffered saline (TBS) pH 7.6.
- 4. Antigen retrieval solution(s) see Recommendations on Use.
- 5. Antibody diluent optimally diluted normal serum.
- 6. Normal sera from the species in which the secondary antibody is raised.
- 7. Secondary biotinylated antibody prepare as recommended by manufacturer.
- 8. Avidin/Biotin Complex-Horseradish peroxidase (ABC-HRP) prepare as recommended by manufacturer.
- 9. 3,3' Diaminobenzidine tetrahydrochloride (DAB) prepare as recommended by manufacturer.
- 10. Hematoxylin counterstain prepare as recommended by manufacturer.
- 11. Mounting medium use as recommended by manufacturer.

#### B. Equipment required but not supplied

Incubator set to 251. °C.

Stainless Steel Pressure cooker (recommends that the gaskets are changed at regular intervals to maintain optimum unmasking conditions).

General immunohistochemistry laboratory equipment.

#### C. Antigen retrieval solutions (see Recommendations on Use)

0.01 M citrate retrieval solution (pH 6.0)

Add 3.84 grams Citric acid (anhydrous) to 1.8 L distilled water. Adjust to pH 6.0 using 1 M NaOH. Make up to 2 L with distilled water.

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1 mM EDTA retrieval solution (pH 8.0)

Add 0.37 g EDTA (SIGMA product code E-5134) to 1 L of distilled water. Adjust pH to 8.0 using 0.1 M NaOH. 20 mM Tris/0.65 mM EDTA/0.0005% Tween 20 retrieval solution (pH 9.0)

Dissolve 14.4 g Tris (BDH product code 271197K) and 1.44 g EDTA (SIGMA product code E-5134) in 0.55 L distilled water. Adjust pH to 9 with 1 M HCl and add 0.3 mL Tween 20 (SIGMA product code P-1379). Make up to 0.6 L with distilled water. This is a 10x concentrate which should be diluted with distilled water as required (eg 0.15 L diluted with 1.35 L distilled water).

#### Recommendations On Use

Immunohistochemistry (see D. Methodology) on paraffin sections. Suggested dilution: 1:125–1:200 for 60 minutes at 25°C. High temperature antigen retrieval using 0.01 M citrate retrieval solution (pH 6.0) is recommended. This is provided as a guide and users should determine their own optimal working dilutions.

#### D. Methodology

Prior to undertaking this methodology, users must be trained in immunohistochemical techniques.

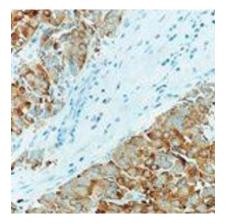
Customers should determine optimal dilutions for antibodies. Unless indicated, all steps are performed at room temperature

- 1. Cut and mount sections on slides coated with a suitable tissue adhesive.
- 2. De-paraffinize sections in xylene or xylene substitutes.
- 3. Re-hydrate through graded alcohols.
- 4. Neutralize endogenous peroxidase using 0.5% v/v hydrogen peroxide/methanol for 10 minutes.
- 5. Wash slides in running tap water.
- Pretreat the sections as follows:

6. Heat 1.5 L of the recommended retrieval solution (see Recommendations on Use) until boiling in a pressure cooker. Cover but do not lock lid. Position slides into metal staining racks (do not place slides close together as uneven staining may occur) and lower into pressure cooker ensuring slides are completely immersed in retrieval solution. Lock lid. When the pressure cooker reaches operating temperature and pressure, time for 1 minute (unless otherwise indicated in Recommendations on Use). Remove pressure cooker from heat source and run under cold water with lid on. DO NOT OPEN LID UNTIL THE INDICATORS SHOW THAT PRESSURE HAS BEEN RELEASED. Open lid, remove slides and place immediately in cool tap water.

- 7. Wash sections in TBS for 1 x 5 minutes with gentle rocking.
- 8. Cover sections with diluted normal serum for 10 minutes.
- 9. Incubate sections with optimally diluted primary antibody (see Recommendations on Use).
- 10. Wash in TBS buffer for 2 x 5 minutes with gentle rocking.
- 11. Incubate sections in appropriate biotinylated secondary antibody.
- 12. Wash in TBS buffer for 2 x 5 minutes with gentle rocking.
- 13. Incubate slides in ABC-HRP.
- 14. Wash in TBS buffer for 2 x 5 minutes with gentle rocking.
- 15. Incubate slides in DAB.
- 16. Rinse slides in water.
- 17. Counterstain with hematoxylin.
- 18. Dehydrate, clear and mount sections.

Image: Breast carcinoma showing neuroendocrine differentiation: immunohistochemical staining for synaptophysin. Note cytoplasmic staining of tumor cells. Paraffin section



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