



Cytokeratin 9 (Ks9.70/Ks9.216): sc-58743

BACKGROUND

Cytokeratins comprise a diverse group of intermediate filament proteins that are expressed as pairs in both keratinized and non-keratinized epithelial tissue. Cytokeratins play a critical role in differentiation and tissue specialization and function to maintain the overall structural integrity of epithelial cells. Cytokeratin 9 is an unusually large, type I acidic cytoke­ratin that differentiates human plan­tar and palmar epidermal cells. Cytokeratin 9 localizes to the sup­rabasal layers as well as the upper epidermal layers such as the glandular ridges and interridges. The domains of Cytokeratin 9 include a head, an α -helical coiled-coil-forming rod and a tail; Cytokeratin 9 shares significant homology with Cytokeratin 10. Mutations in the Cytokeratin 9 gene correlate with the development of epidermolytic palmoplantar keratoderma (EPPK), an autosomal dominant inherited skin disorder that is characterized by hyperkeratosis of the skin over the palms and soles.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: KRT9 (human) mapping to 17q21.2.

STORAGE

For immediate and continuous use, store at 4° C for up to one month. For sporadic use, freeze in working aliquots in order to avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles. If turbidity is evident upon prolonged storage, clarify solution by centrifugation.

SOURCE

Cytokeratin 9 (Ks9.70/Ks9.216) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 4-28 and 450-477 of Cytokeratin 9 of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 500 μ l culture supernatant containing IgG₁/IgG₃ with 0.09% sodium azide and 1% stabilizer protein.

APPLICATIONS

Cytokeratin 9 (Ks9.70/Ks9.216) is recommended for detection of Cytokeratin 9 of human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution to be determined by researcher, dilution range 1:10-1:200), immunofluorescence (starting dilution to be determined by researcher, dilution range 1:10-1:200) and immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution to be determined by researcher, dilution range 1:10-1:200).

Suitable for use as control antibody for Cytokeratin 9 siRNA (h): sc-60501, Cytokeratin 9 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-60501-SH and Cytokeratin 9 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-60501-V.

Molecular Weight of Cytokeratin 9: 62 kDa.

SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

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RESEARCH USE

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PROTOCOLS

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