

## Mouse Monoclonal anti-Cytokeratin, Clone AE1/AE3

60-0022; 60-0022-7 61-0022; 61-0022-2; 61-0022-5 Isotype

6 mL; 7 mL predilute Antibody, Ready-To-Use 1 mL; 0.2 mL; 0.5 mL Concentrate Antibody

IgG1

Concentration See container label

Intended Use For In Vitro Diagnostic Use.

This product is used to qualitatively detect majority cytokeratins in normal and neoplastic formalin fixed paraffin embedded tissue (FFPE) sections using immunohistochemical (IHC) methodology. Interpretation must be made within the context of the patient's clinical history and other diagnostic

test by a qualified pathologist.

**Description**The antibody cocktail labels simple epithelia and their tumors including cytokeratins expressed in

complex stratified squamous epithelia. Positive results aid in the classification of normal and a wide range of neoplastic tissues as epithelial in origin. This antibody serves as first tier antibody

for differentiation of undifferentiated neoplasm.

Pan Cytokeratin clone AE1/AE3 antibody may be used with a panel of antibodies for differential diagnosis, e.g. Breast vs. lung or liver: CK7, AE1/AE3, CEA, GCDFP-15, TTF-1; Renal vs. lung or liver: AE1/AE3, CEA, TTF-1, Renal Cell Ag; Seminoma vs. lung or liver: CAM5.2, AE1/AE3, PLAP,

EMA, CD30; Embryonal germ cell vs. lung or liver: AE1/AE3, TTF-1, CK7, PLAP, CD30

Reagent provided This antibody is purified immunoglobulin diluted in 10 mM Phosphate buffered saline (PBS), pH

7.2 containing 1% bovine serum albumin (BSA) and 0.09% sodium azide (NaN $_3$ ) as antimicrobial

agent.

**Precautions** For professional users.

Proper handling of this product as with any product derived from biological sources according to

local and applicable regulations.

Sodium azide is a toxic chemical. The concentration in this product is not classified as hazardous, however, the build-ups of NaN<sub>3</sub> may react with lead and copper plumbing to form highly explosive metal azides. Flush the disposed reagent with large volume of water to prevent azide build-up.

Usage

**Dilution** 60-0022; 60-0022-7: Ready-To-Use

61-0022; 61-0022-2; 61-0022-5: Dilute 1:50 to 1:100 before use when using Acu-Stain<sup>™</sup> detection system. Optimum dilution factor may vary depending on the specimen and preparation process

and should be determined by each individual investigator.

Staining procedure Incubate this antibody with tissue section for 30-60 minutes at room temperature. Follow the

instructions from the selected detection system.

**Positive control tissue** Tissue with epithelial cells (e.g. cervix, GI track, skin, tonsil, uterus, kidney, and placenta).

**Epitope retrieval** HIER, Citrate pH 6

Staining pattern Cytoplasm

Storage Store at 2-8°C.

References 1. Woodock-Mitchell J, et al. Journal of Cell Biology 1982;95:580-8A

2. Tseng SCG, et al. Cell 1982; 30361

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Temperature Range





