# Smooth muscle actin monoclonal antibody (CGA7)

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ENZ-C34933

~10 µg - 0.5ml

Manuals, SDS & CofA

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# **Handling & Storage**

**Handling** Avoid freeze/thaw cycles. After opening, prepare aliquots and store at -20°C.

Short Term Storage +4°C

Long Term Storage -20°C

Shipping Blue Ice

# Regulatory Status RUO - Research Use Only

## **Product Details**

Application IHC (PS), WB

Clone CGA7

Crossreactivity Does not cross-react with actin of skeletal or cardiac

muscle cells.

Formulation Liquid. In PBS containing 0.1% sodium azide and 1%

BSA.

**Host** Mouse

Immunogen Partially purified chicken gizzard actin.

lgG2b

Purity Detail Affinity purified.

**Recommendation Dilutions/Conditions** Immunohistochemistry (paraffin sections; optimal results

with this antibody are obtained when the tissue to be stained is fixed in alcohol-based fixatives such as methacarn. Aldehyde-fixed (formalin, e.g.) specimens are not recommended for use with CGA7. Choose a good quality enzyme-linked anti-mouse IgG2b antibody for detection). General suggested starting dilution is 1:20-1:50. Suggested dilutions/conditions may not be available for all applications. Optimal conditions must be determined

individually for each application.

**Source** Purified from hybridoma tissue culture supernatant.

## **Species Reactivity**

Chicken, Human, Monkey, Rabbit

**Specificity** 

Recognizes actin isotypes  $\alpha$  and  $\gamma$  of smooth muscle cells. This antibody labels leiomyosarcomas and leiomyomas but does not react with other neoplasms such as carcinoma or lymphoma. Except for myoepithelium, it is nonreactive with other mesenchymal and all epithelial cells.

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