

Datasheet



Mouse mAb to **Insulin**
Clone **E2-E3**
Isotype **IgG1-κ**

Source

A BALB/c mouse was immunized with purified pig insulin.
Fusion partner: SP-2/0.

Specifications

Insulin is a protein consisting of an α -chain of 21 amino acids and a β -chain of 30 amino acids and produced in the β -cells of the pancreas. E2-E3 is a specific insulin antibody as tested by ELISA and on human pancreatic tissue.

Species reactivity

Positive: cow, human, mouse, pig, rabbit.

Applications

Antibodies to insulin are important as beta-cell and insulinoma marker.

ELISA	Flow cytometry	Frozen sections	Immunofluorescence	Paraffin sections
+	+	+	+	Citrate

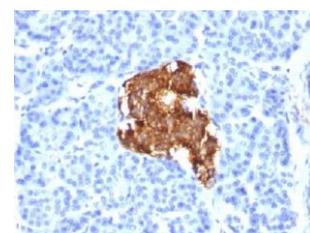


Figure 1: Human pancreas stained with E2E3 (paraffin)

Format

Produced in tissue culture, contains no host Ig. Antibodies are affinity purified and presented in PBS with 0,02 % sodium azide.

Stored at 4°C- 8°C, shelf life is at least 24 months after purchase.

Dilution advice

- ELISA (solid phase: 0,1-100 μ g/ml; tracer: 0,001-100 μ g/ml for 30 min at RT).
- Flow cytometry (0.5-1.0 μ g/million cells in 0.1 ml).
- Immunofluorescence (0.5-1 μ g/ml).
- Immunohistology (1-2 μ g/ml for 30 min at RT; staining of formalin-fixed tissues requires boiling tissue sections in 10mM citrate buffer, pH 6.0, for 10-20 min followed by cooling at RT for 20 minutes).

Positive control

MIA, PaCa-2 cells, pancreas or insulinoma.

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