

Datasheet for 200-301-V06**5-hmc Antibody****Overview**

Description:	Anti-5-hydroxymethylcytosine (MOUSE) Monoclonal Antibody - 200-301-V06
Item No.:	200-301-V06
Size:	50 µg
Applications:	Dot Blot, ELISA
Reactivity:	Human, Mouse, Broad
Host Species:	Mouse

Product Details

Background: 5-hydroxymethylcytosine (5-hmC) has been recently discovered in mammalian DNA. This results from the enzymatic conversion of 5-methylcytosine into 5-hydroxymethylcytosine by the TET family of oxygenases. So far, the 5-hmC bases have been identified in Purkinje neurons, in granule cells and embryonic stem cells where they are present at high levels (up to 0,6% of total nucleotides in Purkinje cells). Preliminary results indicate that 5-hmC may have important roles distinct from 5-mC. Although its precise role has still to be shown, early evidence suggests a few putative mechanisms that could have big implications in epigenetics: 5-hydroxymethylcytosine may well represent a new pathway to demethylate DNA involving a repair mechanism converting 5-hmC to cytosine and, as such open up entirely new perspectives in epigenetic studies. Due to the structural similarity between 5-mC and 5-hmC, these bases are experimentally almost indistinguishable. Recent articles demonstrated that the most common approaches (e.g. enzymatic approaches, bisulfite sequencing) do not account for 5-hmC. The development of the affinity-based technologies appears to be the most powerful way to differentially and specifically enrich 5-mC and 5-hmC sequences. Anti-5hmC Antibody is ideal for research in Epigenetics and Gene Expression.

Synonyms:	5-hydroxymethylcytosine
Host Species:	Mouse
Clonality:	Monoclonal
Format:	IgG1

Target Details

Reactivity: Human, Mouse, Broad

Immunogen Type:	Other
Immunogen:	Anti-5hmC Antibody was produced in mice by repeated immunization with 5-hydroxymethylcytosine.
Purity/Specificity:	Anti-5hmC Antibody was purified by Protein A chromatography. Cross-reactivity with 5hmC from other sources has not been determined.

Application Details

Tested Applications:	Dot Blot, ELISA
Application Note:	Anti-5hmC Antibody is tested for Dot Blotting, ELISA, and Hydroxymethylated DNA Immunoprecipitation Sequencing. Specific conditions for reactivity should be optimized by the end user.
Assay Dilutions:	All assays should be optimized by the user. Recommended dilutions (if any) may be listed below.
ELISA:	1:500
IF:	User Optimized
Other:	hMeDIP: 2.5µg per IP. Dot Blot: 2 µg/ml

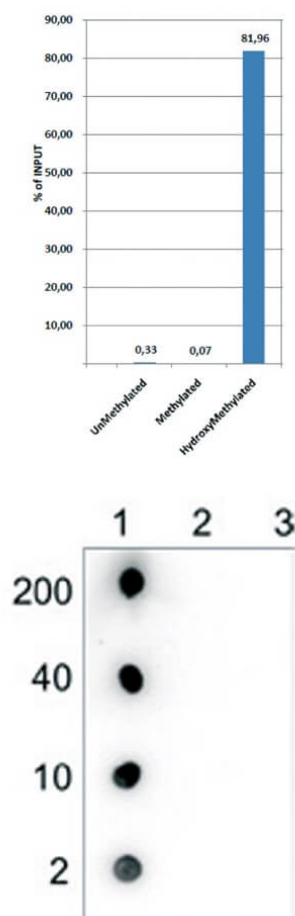
Formulation

Physical State:	Liquid (sterile filtered)
Concentration:	1.0 mg/ml by UV absorbance at 280 nm
Buffer:	0.01 M Sodium Phosphate, 0.25 M Sodium Chloride, pH 7.2
Preservative:	0.05% (w/v) Sodium Azide
Stabilizer:	None

Shipping & Handling

Shipping Condition:	Dry Ice
Storage Condition:	Store vial at -20° C prior to opening. Aliquot contents and freeze at -20° C or below for extended storage. Avoid cycles of freezing and thawing. Centrifuge product if not completely clear after standing at room temperature. This product is stable for several weeks at 4° C as an undiluted liquid. Dilute only prior to immediate use.
Expiration:	Expiration date is one (1) year from date of receipt.

Images



ELISA

Mouse Anti-5-hydroxymethylcytosine Antibody immunoprecipitation was performed using the mouse monoclonal antibody directed against 5-hydroxymethylcytosine. The IgG isotype antibodies from mouse was used as negative control. The DNA was prepared and sonicated to have DNA fragments of 300-500 bp. 1 µg of human Hela cells DNA were spiked with non-methylated, methylated, and hydroxymethylated PCR fragments. The IP'd material has been analyzed by qPCR using the primer pair specific for the 3 different control sequences. The obtained results show that the mouse monoclonal for 5-hmC is highly specific for this base modification (no IP with non-methylated or methylated C bases containing fragments).

Dot Blot

Mouse Anti-5-hydroxymethylcytosine Antibody Dot Blot analysis. Lane 1: 5-hmC PCR controls. Lane 2: 5-mC PCR controls. Lane 3: cytosine PCR controls. Dilutions: 200ng, 40ng, 10ng, 2ng. Primary Antibody: mouse 5-hydroxymethylcytosine monoclonal antibody 2µg/mL (dilution 1:500). Secondary antibody: Dylight™488 rabbit secondary antibody at 1:10,000 for 45 min at RT. Block: 5% BLOTTO overnight at 4°C. The membranes were exposed for 30 seconds.

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