

# HCG-alpha (Pregnancy & Choriocarcinoma Marker) Antibody

Mouse Monoclonal Antibody [Clone hCGa/7870]

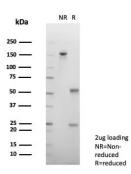
Catalog No	Format	Size
1081-MSM10-P0	Purified Ab with BSA and Azide at 200ug/ml	20 ug
1081-MSM10-P1	Purified Ab with BSA and Azide at 200ug/ml	100 ug
1081-MSM10-P1ABX	Purified Ab WITHOUT BSA and Azide at 1.0mg/ml	100 ug
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	Applications	Tested Dillution	Note
Immunohistochemistry (IHC) 1-2ug/ml 30 min at RT. Staining of formalin-fixed tissues requires heating tissue sections in 10mM Tris with 1mM EDTA, pH 9.0, for 45 min at 95°C followed by cooling at RT for 20 minutes	Immunohistochemistry (IHC)	5	

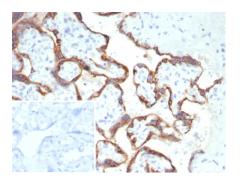
Product Details	
Clone	hCGa/7870
Gene Name	CGA
Immunogen	Recombinant fragment (around aa1-116) of human hCG alpha protein (exact sequence is proprietary)
Host	Mouse
Clonality	Monoclonal
Isotype / Light Chain	lgG2b
Mol. Weight of Antigen	13kDa
Cellular Localization	Cytoplasm. Secreted.
Species Reactivity	Human
Positive Control	Human placenta.
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#### Product Images for HCG-alpha (Pregnancy & Choriocarcinoma Marker) Antibody



SDS-PAGE Analysis of Purified HCG-alpha Mouse Monoclonal Antibody (hCGa/7870). Confirmation of Purity and Integrity of Antibody.



Formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded human placenta stained with HCG-alpha Mouse Monoclonal Antibody (hCGa/7870). Inset: PBS instead of primary antibody; secondary only negative control.

## **Specificity & Comments**

Human chorionic gonadotropin antibody (hCG) is a glycoprotein hormone synthesized in syncytiotrophoblastic cells of placenta and in certain trophoblastic tumors. The hormone-specific alpha chains have molecular weights of 13 kDa. HCG is found in moles and choriocarcinoma, chorionic components of germ cell tumors, and syncytiotrophoblast like cells in seminoma/dysgerminoma and embryonal carcinoma. In diagnostic pathology, hCG is a useful marker for classification of germ cell tumors, identification of extragonadal germ cell tumors.

#### Supplied As

200ug/ml of Ab purified from Bioreactor Concentrate by Protein A/G. Prepared in 10mM PBS with 0.05% BSA & 0.05% azide. Also available WITHOUT BSA & azide at 1.0mg/ml.

### **Storage and Stability**

Antibody with azide - store at 2 to  $8^{\circ}$ C. Antibody without azide - store at -20 to -80°C.Antibody is stable for 24 months. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

# Research Areas

Signal Transduction, Transcription Factors



# **Limitations and Warranty**

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