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CD63 (D4I1X) Rabbit mAb



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Applications:Reactivity:Sensitivity:Source/Isotype:UniProt ID:Entrez-Gene Id:IHC-PHEndogenousRabbit IgG#P08962967

Product Usage
InformationApplicationDilutionImmunohistochemistry (Paraffin)1:400

Storage Supplied in 10 mM sodium HEPES (pH 7.5), 150 mM NaCl, 100 µg/ml BSA, 50% glycerol and less than

0.02% sodium azide. Store at –20°C. Do not aliquot the antibody.

For a carrier free (BSA and azide free) version of this product see product #43890.

Specificity / Sensitivity CD63 (D4I1X) Rabbit mAb recognizes endogenous levels of total CD63 protein.

Source / Purification Monoclonal antibody is produced by immunizing animals with recombinant CD63 protein.

BackgroundCD63 belongs to the tetraspanin family, which is characterized by four transmembrane domains, one short extracellular domain (ECL1), and one long extracellular domain (ECL2) (1-3). Tetraspanins interact with a

extracellular domain (ECL1), and one long extracellular domain (ECL2) (1-3). Ietraspanins interact with a variety of cell surface proteins and intracellular signaling molecules in specialized tetraspanin-enriched microdomains (TEMs) where they mediate a range of processes, including adhesion, motility, membrane organization, and signal transduction (3). CD63, like other tetraspanins, is enriched in exosomes (4). It is also a component of Weibel-Palade bodies found in endothelial cells (5). Research studies demonstrate several functions of CD63 in different cell types, including roles in mast cell degranulation, VEGF signaling in endothelial cells, recruitment of leukocytes to endothelial cells, and endosomal sorting during

melanogenesis (6-9).

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Species Reactivity Species reactivity is determined by testing in at least one approved application (e.g., western blot).

Applications Key IHC-P: Immunohistochemistry (Paraffin)

Cross-Reactivity Key H: human M: mouse R: rat Hm: hamster Mk: monkey Vir: virus Mi: mink C: chicken Dm: D. melanogaster

X: Xenopus Z: zebrafish B: bovine Dg: dog Pg: pig Sc: S. cerevisiae Ce: C. elegans Hr: horse

GP: Guinea Pig Rab: rabbit All: all species expected

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