

# Involucrin (Squamous Cell Terminal Differentiation Marker) Antibody - With BSA and Azide

Mouse Monoclonal Antibody [Clone SPM259] Catalog # AH10542

#### **Product Information**

ApplicationIF, FC, IHC-PPrimary AccessionP07476Other Accession3713, 516439ReactivityHuman, Pig, Dog

**Host** Mouse **Clonality** Monoclonal

**Isotype** Mouse / IgG1, kappa

Clone Names SPM259 Calculated MW 68479

#### Additional Information

**Gene ID** 3713

Other Names Involucrin, IVL

**Application Note** IF~~1:50~200 FC~~1:10~50 IHC-P~~N/A

**Format** 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** Store at 2 to 8°C.Antibody is stable for 24 months.

**Precautions** Involucrin (Squamous Cell Terminal Differentiation Marker) Antibody - With

BSA and Azide is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or

therapeutic procedures.

#### **Protein Information**

Name IVL

**Function** Part of the insoluble cornified cell envelope (CE) of stratified squamous

epithelia.

**Cellular Location** Cytoplasm. Note=Constituent of the scaffolding of the cornified envelope

**Tissue Location** Keratinocytes of epidermis and other stratified squamous epithelia

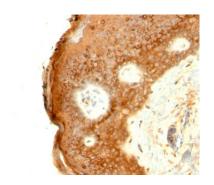
## **Background**

It recognizes a protein of 66kDa-170kDa, identified as involucrin. In Western blotting of cultured human keratinocytes, this MAb reacts with a 120kDa protein. It stains the involucrin in a variety of sizes: 170kDa in MCF-7 cells, a doublet of ~115kDa and 150kDa in gorilla and owl monkey, 66kDa in dog, and a doublet of 105kDa in pig. Its epitope maps between codon 421-568 of human involucrin. Involucrin is expressed in a range of stratified squamous epithelia, including the cornea, which lacks a distinct cornified layer. In normal epidermis, it is first expressed in the upper spinous layers, and in keratinocyte cultures, all cells that have left the basal layer express it. Involucrin expression is altered in pathological conditions: in psoriasis and other benign epidermal hyperplasias, involucrin expression begins closer to the basal layer than normal; expression is abnormal in squamous cell carcinomas and premalignant lesions, and is reduced in severe dysplasias of the larynx and cervix.

### References

Hudson DL, et. al. Hybridoma, 1992, 11:367-79

## **Images**



Formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded human Skin stained with Involucrin Monoclonal Antibody (SPM259)

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