

# Anti-EpCAM (Extracellular region) Antibody

Catalog # AN1772

#### **Product Information**

Application WB, ICC, IP
Primary Accession P16422
Host Mouse

**Clonality** Mouse Monoclonal

IsotypeIgG1Clone NamesM039Calculated MW34932

#### **Additional Information**

**Gene ID** 4072

Other Names GA733-2, M1S2, M4S1, MIC18, TACSTD1, TROP1, Epitelial glycoprotein, EGP, KS

1/4 antigen, KSA, EGP314, CD326, EpCAM

**Target/Specificity** Epithelial Cell Adhesion Molecule (EpCAM) is a signal type I transmembrane

glycoprotein that has an extracellular domain with one thyroglobulin type-1 domain and a short cytoplasmic domain. EpCAM is found on the surface of adenocarcinoma, but not on mesodermal or neural cell membranes. The EpCAM molecule has been shown to function as a homophilic Ca2+ independent adhesion molecule. It may act as a physical homophilic interaction molecule between intestinal epithelial cells (IECs) and intraepithelial lymphocytes (IELs) at the mucosal epithelium. Defects in EpCAM cause hereditary non-polyposis colorectal cancer type 8 (HNPCC8) and

diarrhea type 5 (DIAR5). EpCAM plays a role in embryonic stem cell proliferation and differentiation; it up-regulates the expression of FABP5, MYC, and Cyclin A & Cyclin E. It is highly and selectively expressed by undifferentiated embryonic stem cells and in many types of epithelial

carcinomas.

**Dilution** WB~~1:1000 ICC~~N/A IP~~N/A

**Storage** Maintain refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 6 months. For long term storage store

at -20°C in small aliquots to prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

**Precautions** Anti-EpCAM (Extracellular region) Antibody is for research use only and not

for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

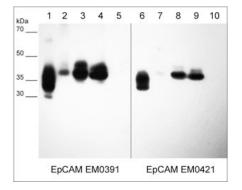
**Shipping** Blue Ice

## **Background**

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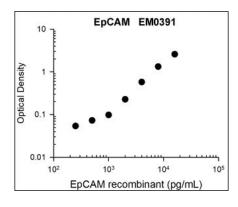
### **Images**



Western blot of native lysates including human EpCAM extracellular region (lane 1 & 6), MCF7 breast carcinoma (lane 2 & 7), A431 skin adenocarcinoma (lane 3 & 8), NCI-H1915 lung carcinoma (lane 4 & 9), and NCI-H446 lung carcinoma (lane 5 & 10). The blot was probed with mouse monoclonal anti-EpCAM (AN1772) (lanes 1-5) and mouse monoclonal anti-EpCAM (EM0421) (lanes 6-10) at 1:1000 each.



Immunocytochemical labeling of EpCAM in aldehyde fixed human NCI-H1915 lung carcinoma cells. The cells were labeled with mouse monoclonal anti-EpCAM (AN1772). The antibody was detected using goat anti-mouse Ig:DyLight® 594.



Representative Standard Curve using mouse monoclonal anti-EpCAM (AN1772) for ELISA capture of human recombinant EpCAM extracellular region with His-tag. Capture was detected by using an anti-His-tag antibody followed by appropriate secondary antibody conjugated to HRP.

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