

GDF9 (Growth Differentiation Factor 9) Antibody

Mouse Monoclonal Antibody [Clone GDF9/6458]

Catalog No	Format	Size
2661-MSM8-P0	Purified Ab with BSA and Azide at 200ug/ml	20 ug
2661-MSM8-P1	Purified Ab with BSA and Azide at 200ug/ml	100 ug
2661-MSM8-P1ABX	Purified Ab WITHOUT BSA and Azide at 1.0mg/ml	100 ug

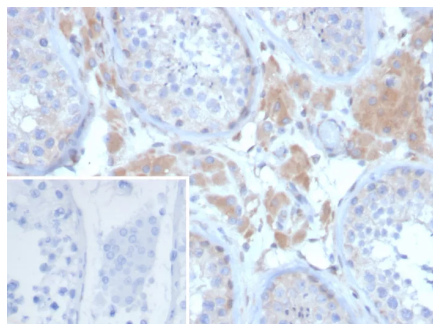
Applications	Tested Dillution	Note
Immunohistochemistry (IHC)	1-2ug/ml	30 min at RT. Staining of formalin-fixed tissues requires heating tissue sections in 10mM Tris with 1mM EDTA, pH 9.0, for 45 min at 95°C followed by cooling at RT for 20 minutes

Product Details

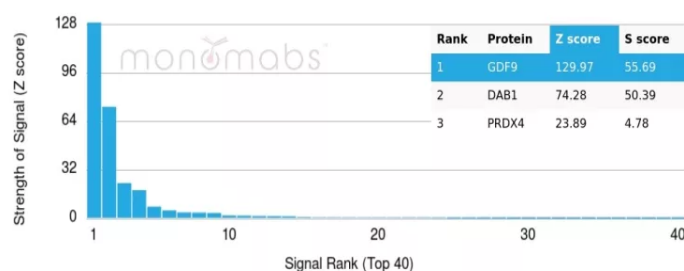
Clone	GDF9/6458
Gene Name	GDF9
Immunogen	Recombinant fragment (around aa250-450) of human GDF9 protein (exact sequence is proprietary)
Host	Mouse
Clonality	Monoclonal
Isotype / Light Chain	IgG2a / Kappa
Mol. Weight of Antigen	51kDa
Cellular Localization	Cytoplasm. Secreted.
Species Reactivity	Human
Positive Control	Human ovary.

*Optimal dilution for a specific application should be determined.

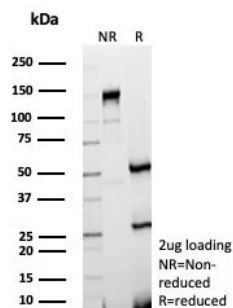
Product Images for GDF9 (Growth Differentiation Factor 9) Antibody



Formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded human ovary stained with GDF9 Mouse Monoclonal Antibody (GDF9/6458). Inset: PBS instead of primary antibody; secondary only negative control.



Analysis of Protein Array containing more than 19,000 full-length human proteins using GDF9 Mouse Monoclonal Antibody (GDF9/6458). Z- and S- Score: The Z-score represents the strength of a signal that a monoclonal antibody (MAb) (in combination with a fluorescently-tagged anti-IgG secondary antibody) produces when binding to a particular protein on the HuProt™ array. Z-scores are described in units of standard deviations (SD's) above the mean value of all signals generated on that array. If targets on HuProt™ are arranged in descending order of the Z-score, the S-score is the difference (also in units of SD's) between the Z-score. S-score therefore represents the relative target specificity of a MAb to its intended target. A MAb is considered to specific to its intended target, if the MAb has an S-score of at least 2.5. For example, if a MAb binds to protein X with a Z-score of 43 and to protein Y with a Z-score of 14, then the S-score for the binding of that MAb to protein X is equal to 29.



SDS-PAGE Analysis of Purified GDF9 Mouse Monoclonal Antibody (GDF9/6458).
Confirmation of Integrity and Purity of Antibody.

Specificity & Comments

GDF9 is a member of the bone morphogenetic protein (BMP) family and the TGF-beta superfamily. This group of proteins is characterized by a polybasic proteolytic processing site which is cleaved to produce a mature protein containing seven conserved cysteine residues. The members of this family are regulators of cell growth and differentiation in both embryonic and adult tissues. Growth factors synthesized by ovarian somatic cells directly affect oocyte growth and function. GDF9 is expressed in oocytes and is thought to be required for ovarian folliculogenesis. GDF9/6458 can be used in assays to detect oocyte expression and has been shown to neutralize GDF9 biological activity.

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°C. Antibody without azide - store at -20 to -80°C. Antibody is stable for 24 months. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

Research Areas

AKT Signaling

Limitations and Warranty

This antibody is available for research use only and is not approved for use in diagnosis. There are no warranties, expressed or implied, which extend beyond this description. Company is not liable for any personal injury or economic loss resulting from this product.