

Data Sheet

HUMAN CHROMOGRANIN A [CgA] (aa 116-130)

ANTIBODY, POLYCLONAL

Catalog no.: AST1004.1 / AST1004.2

Immunogen: Synthetic human CgA (aa 116-130) KLH-conjugated

(EDSKEAEKSGEATDGYC)

Underlined amino acids were substituted or added for technical reasons.

Synonyms: Pituitary secretory protein I, SP-I

Swiss-Prot No: P10645

Gene Information: Gene Name: CHGA

GenelD: 1113

Host: Rabbit

Matrix: Serum

Specificity: Human CgA (aa 116-130)

There was no cross reactivity detected with human CgA peptides (aa 1-17; 17-38; 63-76;100-113; 176-195; 238-247; 284-301; 324-337; 361-372; 375-384; 411-424).

Contents: 20 µl / 100 µl (lyophilized)

Resuspend in 20 µl / 100 µl aqua bidest.

Known applications: RIA^{5, 6}, Western Blot, immunohistochemistry (paraffin

sections, 1:80-1000)1, 2, 3, 4, 6

This antibody has not been tested for use in all applications. This does not necessarily exclude its use in non-tested procedures. The stated dilutions are recommendations only. End users should determine

optimal dilutions in their system using appropriate negative/positive controls.

Store at: 2-8 °C (lyophilized); - 20 °C (dissolved)

Repeated thawing and freezing must be avoided

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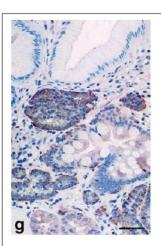


Figure 1: Immunohistochemistry image of Chromogranin A staining in paraffin section of human enterochromaffin-like tumor (ECLoma) Type I. After antigen retrieval with microwave treatment, sections were incubated overnight at 4 °C with AST1004 (1:800). Staining was performed using the ABC technique with AEC as the chromogen. The sections were counterstained with Mayer 's haematoxylin-eosin. AST1004 stains mainly the periphery of the tumor nests. Scale bar =

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