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# Alpha smooth muscle actin Polyclonal antibody

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IP 0.5-4.0 ug for 1.0-3.0 mg of total

Catalog Number: 23081-1-AP

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#### **Basic Information**

BC017554 **UNIPROT ID:** Source:

Rabbit P62736 Isotype: Full Name:

actin, alpha 2, smooth muscle, aorta

Calculated MW: Immunogen Catalog Number: AG19481 377 aa, 42 kDa Observed MW:

42 kDa

Catalog Number: GenBank Accession Number: **Purification Method:** 23081-1-AP Antigen affinity purification GeneID (NCBI): Recommended Dilutions: Size: 300 ug/ml WB 1:1000-1:4000

> protein lysate IHC 1:200-1:1000

## **Applications**

**Tested Applications:** WB, IHC, IP, ELISA Cited Applications: WB, IHC, IF Species Specificity: human, mouse, rat **Cited Species:** human, mouse, rat

Note-IHC: suggested antigen retrieval with TE buffer pH 9.0; (\*) Alternatively, antigen retrieval may be performed with citrate buffer pH 6.0

#### Positive Controls:

WB: mouse heart tissue, mouse brown adipose tissue, mouse kidney tissue, mouse liver tissue, mouse skeletal muscle tissue, rat heart tissue

IP: mouse heart tissue.

IHC: human heart tissue, mouse skeletal muscle tissue, human colon tissue, human liver cancer tissue, stromal tumor tissue, human hysteromyoma tissue, human liver tissue, human small intestine tissue, human skeletal muscle tissue

## **Background Information**

ACTA2 (also known as  $\alpha$  -smooth muscle actin or  $\alpha$  -SMA) belongs to the actin family. Actins are highly conserved proteins that are involved in various types of cell motility and are ubiquitously expressed in all eukaryotic cells. ACTA2 is primarily expressed in vascular smooth muscle and anti-ACTA2 is commonly used to marker smooth muscle cells. This antibody is specific to the ACTA2. It selectively stains the vascular smooth muscle but not cardiac or skeletal muscle.

### **Notable Publications**

Author	Pubmed ID	Journal	Application
Jan Krivanek	32968047	Nat Commun	IF
Yong He	25201080	Biochim Biophys Acta	WB
Jing Guo	28902355	Int J Oncol	IHC

## Storage

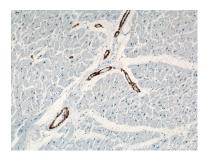
Storage:

Store at -20°C. Stable for one year after shipment.

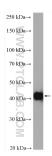
PBS with 0.02% sodium azide and 50% glycerol pH 7.3.

Aliquoting is unnecessary for -20°C storage

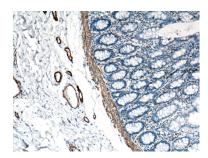
## **Selected Validation Data**



Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffinembedded human heart using 23081-1-AP (ACTA2/smooth muscle actin antibody) at dilution of 1:500 (under 10x lens).



mouse heart tissue were subjected to SDS PAGE followed by western blot with 23081-1-AP (ACTA2/smooth muscle actin antibody) at dilution of 1:2000 incubated at room temperature for 1.5 hours



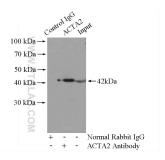
Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffinembedded human colon tissue slide using 23081-1-AP (ACTA2/smooth muscle actin antibody) at dilution of 1:6400 (under 10x lens. Heat mediated antigen retrieval with Tris-EDTA buffer (pH 9.0).



Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffinembedded human liver cancer tissue slide using 23081-1-AP (ACTA2/smooth muscle actinantibody) at dilution of 1:3200 (under 10x lens. Heat mediated antigen retrieval with Tris-EDTA buffer (pH 9.0).



Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffinembedded human heart using 23081-1-AP (ACTA2/smooth muscle actin antibody) at dilution of 1:500 (under 40x lens).



IP result of anti-smooth muscle actin (IP:23081-1-AP, 4ug; Detection:23081-1-AP 1:1000) with mouse heart tissue lysate 3200ug.