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## hCG Alpha Recombinant monoclonal

antibody Catalog Number:85800-9-RR



**Basic Information** 

Catalog Number: GenBank Accession Number: 85800-9-RR GeneID (NCBI):

Source: 1082 Rabbit **UNIPROT ID:** 

Isotype PODN86(CGB)+P01215(CGA) IgG **Full Name:** 

Immunogen Catalog Number: Calculated MW: EG3377 18 kDa

> Observed MW: 20 kDa

**Tested Applications:** WB, IHC, IF/ICC, ELISA

Species Specificity:

Note-IHC: suggested antigen retrieval with TE buffer pH 9.0; (\*) Alternatively, antigen retrieval antigen retrieval with a trace buffer and 16.0

with citrate buffer pH 6.0

**Purification Method:** 

Protein A purification

CloneNo.: 250136C4

**Recommended Dilutions:** 

WB: 1:1000-1:4000 IHC: 1:500-1:2000 IF/ICC: 1:400-1:1600

**Applications** 

**Positive Controls:** 

WB: Hydroxyurea treated JAR cells, IHC: human placenta tissue,

IF/ICC: Hydroxyurea treated JAR cells,

**Background Information** 

Human chorionic gonadotropin (hCG) is a heterodimeric glycoprotein hormone consisting of two non-covalently linked subunits: a common  $\alpha$  -subunit (hCG  $\alpha$  ) and a hormone-specific  $\beta$  -subunit (hCG  $\beta$  ). The  $\alpha$  -subunit, also designated CGA (chorionic gonadotropin alpha chain), is a 92-amino-acid glycopeptide of ~14-22 kDa that is identical to the  $\,\alpha$  -subunits of the pituitary glycoprotein hormones luteinizing hormone (LH), follicle-stimulating hormone (FSH), and thyroid-stimulating hormone (TSH). Because the  $\,^\alpha$  -subunit is shared among these hormones, its biological specificity is conferred by the unique  $\,\beta$  -subunit with which it associates.

Storage

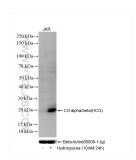
Storage:

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

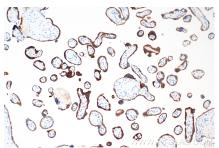
PBS with 0.02% sodium azide and 50% glycerol, pH7.3

Aliquoting is unnecessary for -20°C storage

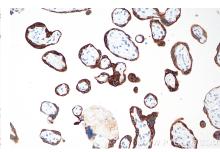
## **Selected Validation Data**



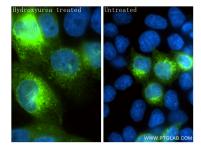
Hydroxyurea treated JAR cells were subjected to SDS PAGE followed by western blot with 85800-9-RR (CGA antibody) at dilution of 1:2000 incubated at room temperature for 1.5 hours.



Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffinembedded human placenta tissue slide using 85800-9-RR (CGA antibody) at dilution of 1:1000 (under 10x lens). Heat mediated antigen retrieval with Tris-EDTA buffer (pH 9.0).



Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffinembedded human placenta tissue slide using 85800-9-RR (CGA antibody) at dilution of 1:1000 (under 20x lens). Heat mediated antigen retrieval with Tris-EDTA buffer (pH 9.0).



Immunofluorescent analysis of (4% PFA) fixed Hydroxyurea treated JAR cells using hCG Alpha antibody (85800-9-RR, Clone: 250136C4) at dilution of 1:800 and CoraLite® 488-Conjugated Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG(H+L) (SA00013-2).