



# IHCeasy CTNNA1 Ready-To-Use IHC Kit

Catalog Number: KHC0260

General Information

Sample type: FFPE tissue Cited sample type: Reactivity: Human, Mouse, Rat Cited Reactivity: Assay type: Immunohistochemistry Primary antibody type: Mouse Monoclonal

Secondary antibody type: Polymer-HRP-Goat anti-Mouse

#### Kit Component

Antigen Retrieval Buffer 100 mL	50×
Washing Buffer 100 mL × 2	20×
Blocking Buffer 5 mL	RTU
Primary Antibody 5 mL	RTU
Secondary Antibody 5 mL	RTU
Chromogen Component A 0.2 mL	RTU
Chromogen Component B 4 mL	RTU
Signal Enhancer 5 mL	RTU
Counter Staining Reagent 5 mL	RTU
Mounting Media 5 mL	RTU
Control Slide 1 slide (Optional)	FFPE
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## **Storage Instructions**

All the reagents are stored at 2-8°C. The kit is stable for 6 months from the date of receipt.

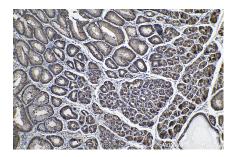
## Background

Alpha catenin is an essential component of adherens junctions that connects E-cadherin-  $\beta$ -catenin complexes with the actin cytoskeleton. It also recruits a range of other important proteins to developing intercellular junctions. Three alpha catenins exist in human: alpha-E-catenin, alpha-N-catenin, and alpha-T-catenin, which share substantial amino-acid sequence similarity but have distinct tissue distribution. alpha-E-catenin is ubiquitously expressed, alpha-N-catenin is restricted to neuronal tissue, and alpha-T-catenin is primarily expressed in heart tissue. Reduced levels of alpha-E-catenin protein seem to be characteristic of many different human cancers, including malignant tumours of the breast, colon, stomach, oesophagus, bladder and liver. In addition, the loss of alpha-E-catenin often correlates with the degree of tumour differentiation and metastasis.

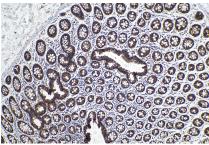
### **Synonyms**

Alpha E catenin, Alpha E-Catenin, Cadherin associated protein, CAP102, Catenin alpha 1, CTNNA1

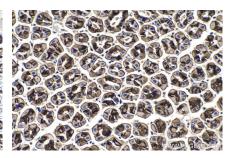
#### **Selected Validation Data**



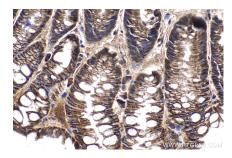
Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffinembedded human stomach cancer(NAT) tissue slide using KHCO260 (CTNNA1 IHC Kit).



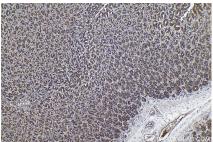
Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffinembedded human colon tissue slide using KHC0260 (CTNNA1 IHC Kit).



Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffinembedded mouse stomach tissue slide using KHC0260 (CTNNA1 IHC Kit).



Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffinembedded mouse colon tissue slide using KHC0260 (CTNNA1 IHC Kit).



Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffinembedded rat stomach tissue slide using KHC0260 (CTNNA1 IHC Kit).