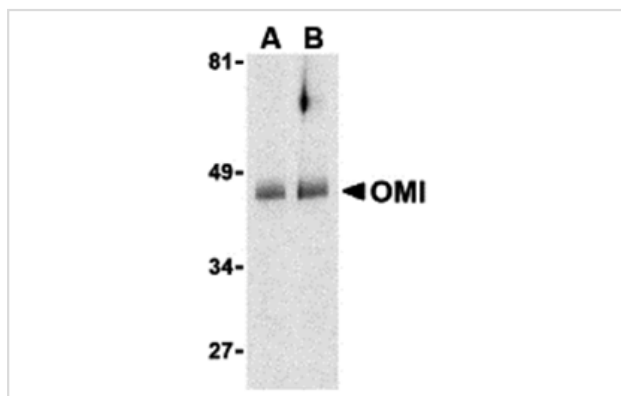


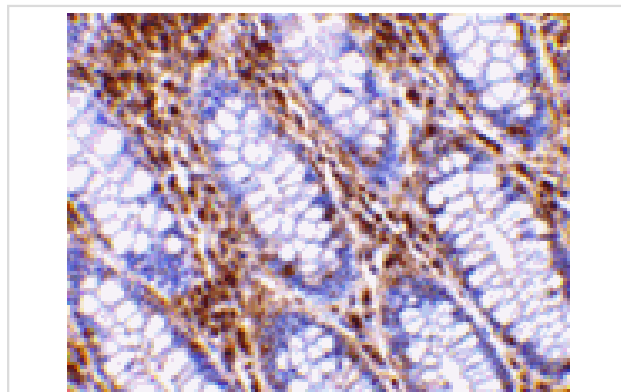
Description

Product Name	OMI Antibody
Host Species	Rabbit
Clonality	Polyclonal
Purification	Ion exchange chromatography purified
Applications	ELISA WB IHC
Species Reactivity	Hu
Immunogen Type	Peptide
Immunogen Description	Raised against a peptide corresponding to 15 amino acids near the C-terminus of human OMI.
Target Name	OMI
Other Names	OMI, Htr2A
Accession No.	Swiss-Prot:O43464Gene ID:27429
Uniprot	O43464
GeneID	27429;
Concentration	1mg/ml
Formulation	Supplied in PBS containing 0.02% sodium azide.
Storage	Can be stored at -20°C, stable for one year. As with all antibodies care should be taken to avoid repeated freeze thaw cycles. Antibodies should not be exposed to prolonged high temperatures.

Images



Western blot analysis of OMI in human colon cell lysates with OMI antibody at (A) 0.5 and (B) 1 ug/mL.



Immunohistochemistry of OMI in human colon tissue with OMI antibody at 10 ug/mL.

Background

Inhibitor of apoptosis proteins (IAPs) were initially identified in baculoviruses as proteins that inhibit apoptosis of the host cells to allow time for viral replication. Cellular homologues containing at least one baculoviral IAP repeat (BIR) motif essential for their anti-apoptosis activity have been identified in yeasts and higher organisms and often act by binding and inhibiting processed caspases. The activity of these proteins can be modulated by the expression of proteins such as Smac/DIABLO and XAF-1 which displace or prevent the binding of caspases by IAPs. Recently, a mitochondrial serine protease termed Omi/HtrA2 has been found to bind IAPs. Similar to Smac, Omi possesses a conserved IAP-binding motif, but acts to cleave IAPs to irreversibly inactivate IAPs and promote apoptosis.

Note: This product is for in vitro research use only