

# Human MMP14 knockout A-431 cell line ab261890

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### Overview

<b>Product name</b>	Human MMP14 knockout A-431 cell line
<b>Parental Cell Line</b>	A431
<b>Organism</b>	Human
<b>Mutation description</b>	Knockout achieved by CRISPR/Cas9; X = 10 bp deletion; Frameshift = 99.9%
<b>Passage number</b>	<20
<b>Knockout validation</b>	Immunocytochemistry (ICC), Next Generation Sequencing (NGS), Western Blot (WB)
<b>Tested applications</b>	<b>Suitable for:</b> WB, ICC/IF, Next Generation Sequencing
<b>Biosafety level</b>	1
<b>General notes</b>	<p><b>Recommended control:</b> Human wild-type A-431 cell line (<a href="#">ab263975</a>). Please note a wild-type cell line is not automatically included with a knockout cell line order, if required please add recommended wild-type cell line at no additional cost using the code WILDTYPE-TMTK1.</p> <p><b>Cryopreservation cell medium:</b> Cell Freezing Medium-DMSO Serum free media, contains 8.7% DMSO in MEM supplemented with methyl cellulose.</p> <p><b>Culture medium:</b> DMEM (High Glucose) + 10% FBS</p> <p><b>Initial handling guidelines:</b> Upon arrival, the vial should be stored in liquid nitrogen vapor phase and not at -80°C. Storage at -80°C may result in loss of viability.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Thaw the vial in 37°C water bath for approximately 1-2 minutes.</li> <li>2. Transfer the cell suspension (0.8 mL) to a 15 mL/50 mL conical sterile polypropylene centrifuge tube containing 8.4 mL pre-warmed culture medium, wash vial with an additional 0.8 mL culture medium (total volume 10 mL) to collect remaining cells, and centrifuge at 201 x g (rcf) for 5 minutes at room temperature. 10 mL represents minimum recommended dilution. 20 mL represents maximum recommended dilution.</li> <li>3. Resuspend the cell pellet in 5 mL pre-warmed culture medium and count using a haemocytometer or alternative cell counting method. Based on cell count, seed cells in an appropriate cell culture flask at a density of <math>2 \times 10^4</math> cells/cm<sup>2</sup>. Seeding density is given as a guide only and should be scaled to align with individual lab schedules.</li> <li>4. Incubate the culture at 37°C incubator with 5% CO<sub>2</sub>. Cultures should be monitored daily.</li> </ol> <p><b>Subculture guidelines:</b></p> <p>All seeding densities should be based on cell counts gained by established methods. A guide seeding density of <math>2 \times 10^4</math> cells/cm<sup>2</sup> is recommended. A partial media change 24 hours prior to subculture may be helpful to encourage growth, if required.</p>

Cells should be passaged when they have achieved 80-90% confluence.

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We will provide viable cells that proliferate on revival.

## Properties

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<b>Number of cells</b>	1 x 10 <sup>6</sup> cells/vial, 1 mL
<b>Adherent /Suspension</b>	Adherent
<b>Tissue</b>	Skin
<b>Cell type</b>	epithelial
<b>Disease</b>	Epidermoid Carcinoma
<b>Gender</b>	Female
<b>Mycoplasma free</b>	Yes
<b>Storage instructions</b>	Shipped on Dry Ice. Store in liquid nitrogen.
<b>Storage buffer</b>	Constituents: 8.7% Dimethylsulfoxide, 2% Cellulose, methyl ether

## Target

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<b>Function</b>	Seems to specifically activate progelatinase A. May thus trigger invasion by tumor cells by activating progelatinase A on the tumor cell surface. May be involved in actin cytoskeleton reorganization by cleaving PTK7.
<b>Tissue specificity</b>	Expressed in stromal cells of colon, breast, and head and neck. Expressed in lung tumors.
<b>Sequence similarities</b>	Belongs to the peptidase M10A family. Contains 4 hemopexin-like domains.
<b>Domain</b>	The conserved cysteine present in the cysteine-switch motif binds the catalytic zinc ion, thus inhibiting the enzyme. The dissociation of the cysteine from the zinc ion upon the activation-peptide release activates the enzyme.
<b>Post-translational modifications</b>	The precursor is cleaved by a furin endopeptidase.
<b>Cellular localization</b>	Membrane. Melanosome. Identified by mass spectrometry in melanosome fractions from stage I to stage IV.

## Applications

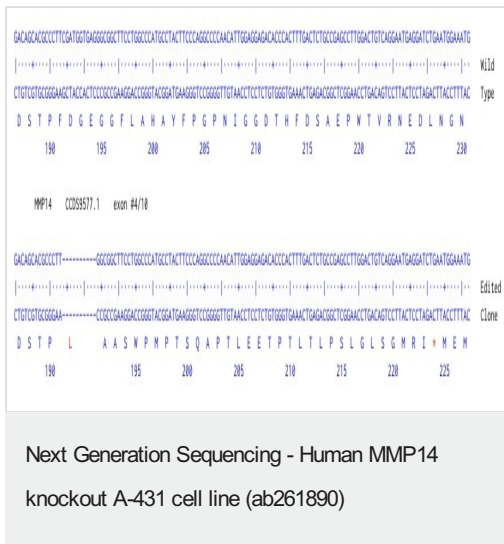
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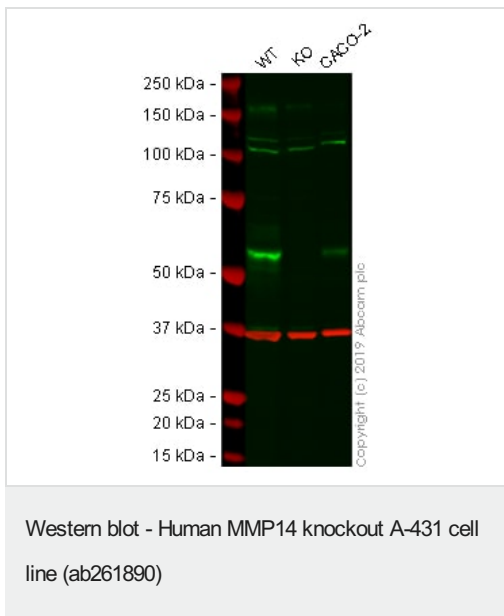
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Next Generation Sequencing		Use at an assay dependent concentration.

## Images



10 bp deletion after Pro190 of the WT protein



**All lanes** : Anti-MMP14 antibody [EP1264Y] ([ab51074](#)) at 1/2000 dilution

**Lane 1** : Wild-type A-431 (Human epidermoid carcinoma cell line) whole cell lysate

**Lane 2** : MMP14 knockout A-431 (Human epidermoid carcinoma cell line) whole cell lysate

**Lane 3** : Caco-2 (Human colorectal adenocarcinoma cell line) whole cell lysate

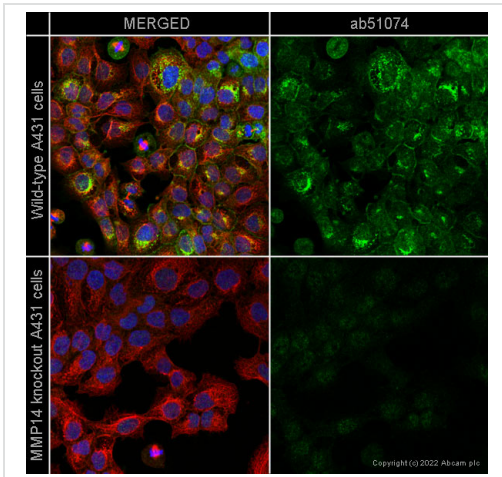
Lysates/proteins at 20 µg per lane.

Performed under reducing conditions.

**Lanes 1 - 3:** Merged signal (red and green). Green - [ab51074](#) observed at 54 kDa. Red - loading control, [ab8245](#) (Mouse anti-GAPDH antibody [6C5]) observed at 37kDa.

[ab51074](#) was shown to react with MMP14 in wild-type A-431 cells in Western blot Loss of signal was observed when MMP14 knockout cell line ab261890 (knockout cell lysate [ab261699](#)) was

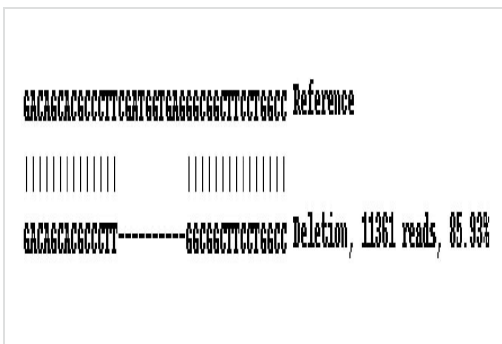
used. Wild-type A-431 and MMP14 knockout cell lysates were subjected to SDS-PAGE. Membranes were blocked in 5% milk in TBS-T (0.1% Tween®) before incubation with **ab51074** and **ab8245** (Mouse anti-GAPDH antibody [6C5]) overnight at 4°C at a 1 in 2000 dilution and a 1 in 20000 dilution respectively. Blots were developed with Goat anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (IRDye® 800CW) preabsorbed (**ab216773**) and Goat anti-Mouse IgG H&L (IRDye® 680RD) preabsorbed (**ab216776**) secondary antibodies at 1 in 20000 dilution for 1 hour at room temperature before imaging.



Immunocytochemistry/ Immunofluorescence -  
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**ab51074** staining MMP14 in wild-type A431 cells (top panel) and MMP14 knockout A431 cells (bottom panel) (ab261890). The cells were fixed with 4% paraformaldehyde (10 min) then permeabilized with 0.1% Triton X-100 for 5 minutes and then blocked with 1% BSA/10% normal goat serum/0.3M glycine in 0.1% PBS-Tween for 1h. The cells were then incubated with **ab51074** at 0.2µg/ml concentration and **ab7291** (Mouse monoclonal to alpha Tubulin) at 1/1000 dilution overnight at 4°C followed by a further incubation at room temperature for 1h with a goat secondary antibody to rabbit IgG (Alexa Fluor® 488) (**ab150081**) at 2 µg/ml (shown in green) and a goat secondary antibody to mouse IgG (Alexa Fluor® 594) (**ab150120**) at 2 µg/ml (shown in red). Nuclear DNA was labelled in blue with DAPI.

Image was taken with a confocal microscope (Leica-Microsystems TCS SP8).



X = 10 bp deletion

Next Generation Sequencing - Human MMP14  
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