**Product datasheet**

**Anti-TIMP3 antibody - Carboxyterminal end ab39185**

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### Overview

**Product name**  
Anti-TIMP3 antibody - Carboxyterminal end

**Description**  
Rabbit polyclonal to TIMP3 - Carboxyterminal end

**Host species**  
Rabbit

**Specificity**  
This antibody recognizes both the glycosylated and unglycosylated forms of TIMP3, and works against native or reduced TIMP3. It does not cross react with the other TIMP family members (TIMP1, TIMP2, TIMP4).

**Tested applications**  
Suitable for: WB, ICC/IF, IHC-P

**Species reactivity**  
Reacts with: Mouse, Human

**Immunogen**  
Synthetic peptide based on the carboxyterminal region of Human TIMP3.

**Positive control**  
Human and mouse TIMP3.

### Properties

**Form**  
Liquid

**Storage instructions**  

**Storage buffer**  
Preservative: 0.05% Sodium azide  
Constituent: 50% Glycerol

**Purity**  
Immunogen affinity purified

**Clonality**  
Polyclonal

**Isotype**  
IgG

### Applications

Our Abpromise guarantee covers the use of ab39185 in the following tested applications.

The application notes include recommended starting dilutions; optimal dilutions/concentrations should be determined by the end user.

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Function

Complexes with metalloproteinases (such as collagenases) and irreversibly inactivates them by binding to their catalytic zinc cofactor. May form part of a tissue-specific acute response to remodeling stimuli. Known to act on MMP-1, MMP-2, MMP-3, MMP-7, MMP-9, MMP-13, MMP-14 and MMP-15.

Involvement in disease

Defects in TIMP3 are the cause of Sorsby fundus dystrophy (SFD) [MIM:136900]. SFD is a rare autosomal dominant macular disorder with an age of onset in the fourth decade. It is characterized by loss of central vision from subretinal neovascularization and atrophy of the ocular tissues. Generally, macular disciform degeneration develops in the patients eye within 6 months to 6 years.

Sequence similarities

Belongs to the protease inhibitor I35 (TIMP) family. Contains 1 NTR domain.

Cellular localization

Secreted > extracellular space > extracellular matrix.

Images

Anti-TIMP3 antibody - Carboxyterminal end (ab39185) at 1 µg/ml + Lung (Human) Tissue Lysate at 10 µg

Secondary

Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (HRP) preadsorbed (ab97080) at 1/5000 dilution

Developed using the ECL technique.

Performed under reducing conditions.

Predicted band size: 24 kDa

Observed band size: 24 kDa

Additional bands at: 100 kDa. We are unsure as to the identity of these extra bands.

Exposure time: 90 seconds
ICC/IF image of ab39185 stained HeLa cells. The cells were 100% methanol fixed (5 min) and then incubated in 1% BSA / 10% normal goat serum / 0.3M glycine in 0.1% PBS-Tween for 1h to permeabilise the cells and block non-specific protein-protein interactions. The cells were then incubated with the antibody (ab39185, 1µg/ml) overnight at +4°C. The secondary antibody (green) was Alexa Fluor® 488 goat anti-rabbit IgG (H+L) used at a 1/1000 dilution for 1h. Alexa Fluor® 594 WGA was used to label plasma membranes (red) at a 1/200 dilution for 1h. DAPI was used to stain the cell nuclei (blue) at a concentration of 1.43µM.

Ab39185 staining Human normal placenta. Staining is localized to the cytoplasm or excreted.

Left panel: with primary antibody at 2 µg/ml. Right panel: isotype control.

Sections were stained using an automated system DAKO Autostainer Plus, at room temperature. Sections were rehydrated and antigen retrieved with the Dako 3-in-1 AR buffer citrate EDTA pH 9.0 in a DAKO PT Link. Slides were peroxidase blocked in 3% H2O2 in methanol for 10 minutes. They were then blocked with Dako Protein block for 10 minutes (containing casein 0.25% in PBS), then incubated with primary antibody for 20 minutes, and detected with Dako Envision Flex amplification kit for 30 minutes. Colorimetric detection was completed with diaminobenzidine for 5 minutes. Slides were counterstained with Haematoxylin and coverslipped under DePeX. Please note that for manual staining we recommend to optimize the primary antibody concentration and incubation time (overnight incubation), and amplification may be required.

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