

# KBA.62 (Melanoma Associated Antigen) Antibody

## **Datasheet**

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Descripition	Catalog No.	Size
KBA.62 (Melanoma Associated	FP-A061-01	0.1 ml
Antigen) Concentrate		
KBA.62 (Melanoma Associated	FP-A061-05	1 ml
Antigen) Concentrate		
KBA.62 (Melanoma Associated	FP-A061-70	7 ml
Antigen) Predilute		

## **Description**

KBA.62, also known as Melanoma Associated Antigen, is used to detect an antigen present in melanocytic tumors, such as melanomas, due to its proven sensitivity and specificity. The antibody can also be used to distinguish between junctional nevus and intradermal nevus cells, and fetal melanocytes versus normal adult melanocytes. Studies have shown KBA.62 to be highly useful in differentiating between metastatic amelanotic melanoma and a number of poorly differentiated carcinomas, large cell lymphomas, sarcomas and spindle cell carcinomas.

**Specifications** 

Clone	IHC062
Source	Mouse Monoclonal
Applications	IHC (P)
Formulation	Tris Buffer, pH 7.3 - 7.7, with 1% BSA and <0.1% Sodium Azide

### **IHC Procedure\***

<b>Positive Control Tissue</b>	Melanoma
<b>Concetrated Dilution</b>	1:50 – 1:200
Pretreatment	Perform heat-induced epitope retrieval (HIER) at pH 9 for 10 to 30 minutes
<b>Incubation Time and Temp</b>	10 to 30 minutes at room temperature
Detection	Refer to the detection system manual

<sup>\*</sup>Result should confirmed by an established diagnostic procedure.

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#### Result

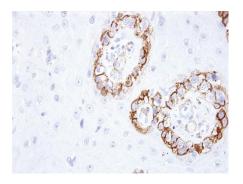


Figure. KBA.62 (Melanoma Associated Antigen)

# **Storage and Handling**

Must store the reagent at 2-8 °C. Do not freeze. Do not use the reagent after expiration date on vial. To ensure proper stability and delivery of the antibody after each run, replace the cap and immediately place the bottle in a refrigerator in an upright position. Positive and negative controls should be simultaneously run with unknown specimens, as there are no conclusive characteristics to suggest instability of the antibody.

### **Precautions**

The product is for research use only. Do not use for diagnosis purpose. Ensure proper handling procedures are used with all reagents. Always wear laboratory coats, disposable gloves, and other appropriate laboratory equipment when handling reagents. Do not ingest reagents, and avoid contact with eyes and mucous membranes. Wash eyes with copious amounts of water if contact occurs.

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