

# Claudin 4

Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody

Cat. #RB-9266-P0, -P1, or -P (0.1ml, 0.5ml, or 1.0ml at 200µg/ml) (Purified Ab with BSA and Azide) Cat. #RB-9266-R7 (7.0ml) (Ready-to-Use for Immunohistochemical Staining) Cat. #RB-9266-PCS (5 Slides) (Positive Control for Histology)

#### **Description:**

Claudin 1-8 proteins are a family of transmembrane proteins associated with tight junctions. Tight junctions are specialized regions of cell to cell contact; made up of network of strands to act as a molecular gasket for preventing the leakage of ions, water etc. between cells. They are abundant in luminal epithelial sheets where they maintain epithelial cell polarity. Different tissues exhibit different Claudin composition.

*Comments:* This antibody is excellent for staining of formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded tissues.

Mol. Wt. of Antigen: 22-24kDa

Epitope: C-terminal

*Species Reactivity:* Human, and Mouse. Others not tested.

*Immunogen:* A synthetic peptide derived from the C-terminus of human Claudin-4.

**Applications and Suggested Dilutions:** 

- Immunohistology (Formalin/paraffin)
  (Ab at 1:50 for 30 min with LV's Ultra Vision )
- \* [Staining of formalin-fixed tissues requires boiling tissue sections in 10mM citrate buffer, pH 6.0 for 10-20 min followed by cooling at RT for 20 min.]

The optimal dilution for a specific application should be determined by the investigator.

*Positive Control:* Tonsil and Ovarian carcinoma

*Cellular Localization:* Cell membrane and cytoplasmic

#### Storage and Stability:

Store vial at 4<sup>o</sup>C. When stored at 2-8<sup>o</sup>C, this antibody is stable for 24 months.

### Supplied As:

Antibody fraction purified from rabbit anti-serum. Prepared in 10mM PBS, pH 7.6, with 0.2% BSA and 15mM sodium azide.

or

Prediluted antibody which is ready-to-use for immunohistochemical staining.

### Limitations and Warranty:

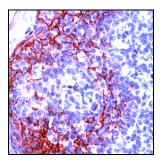
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Human tonsil stained with Anti-Claudin 4, Cat#RB-9266-P

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