



# IHCeasy HLA-E Ready-To-Use IHC Kit

Catalog Number: KHC0089

General Information

Sample type: FFPE tissue Cited sample type: Reactivity: Human Cited Reactivity: Assay type: Immunohistochemistry Primary antibody type: Mouse Monoclonal

Secondary antibody type: Polymer-HRP-Goat anti-Mouse

#### Kit Component

Antigen Retrieval Buffer 100 mL	50×
Washing Buffer 100 mL × 2	20×
Blocking Buffer 5 mL	RTU
Primary Antibody 5 mL	RTU
Secondary Antibody 5 mL	RTU
Chromogen Component A 0.2 mL	RTU
Chromogen Component B 4 mL	RTU
Signal Enhancer 5 mL	RTU
Counter Staining Reagent 5 mL	RTU
Mounting Media 5 mL	RTU
Control Slide 1 slide (Optional)	FFPE
Datasheet 1 Copy	
Manual 1 Copy	

### **Storage Instructions**

All the reagents are stored at 2-8°C. The kit is stable for 6 months from the date of receipt.

### Background

Human major histocompatibility complex (MHC) antigens, also referred to as human leukocyte antigens (HLA), are encoded by genes located on the short arm of chromosome 6 (6p21.3). There are two classes of HLA antigens: class I and class II. This class I molecules are membrane glycoproteins composed of a heavy (alpha) chain which is encoded by a HLA class I gene, and  $\beta$  2-microglobulin light (beta) chain. The most extensively characterized members of the HLA class I gene family are the genes encoding the major transplantation antigenes, HLA-A, B and C. HLA-E is a non-classical MHC class I molecule. HLA-E is frequently overexpressed in tumor diseases, transplants and virus-infected cells and represents an immunomodulatory molecule by binding to the receptors CD94/NKG2A, -B and -C on NK and T cells. Due to its immune suppressive features HLA-E expression might represent an important mechanism of tumors to escape immune surveillance.

#### **Synonyms**

EA1.2, EA2.1, HLA 6.2, HLA E, HLAE, HLA-E, MHC, MHC class I antigen E, QA1

## Selected Validation Data



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