MONOCLONAL ANTIBODY



Anti-Heparin cofactor II(74E5)

Background: Heparin cofactor II (HCII), a single chain glycoprotein with a MW of 65kDa, is a serine protease inhibitor that is synthesized by the liver and circulates in plasma. Heparin cofactor II inhibits thrombin by formation of a stable bimolecular complex, but has no activity against other proteases involved coagulation or fibrinolysis. The rate at which HCII inhibits thrombin increases more than 1000-fold in the presence of heparin, heparan sulfate, or dermatan sulfate. Heparin cofactor II is unique among serine protease inhibitors in its ability to be stimulated by dermatan sulfate, and it binds to a minor subpopulation of dermatan oligosaccharides. Turnover studies labeled HCII in humans suggest that 40% of protein equilibrates with extravascular compartment, but distribution of HCII in various tissues has not been thoroughly investigated. Heparin cofactor II has been detected in the intima of normal human arteries, and the ability of dermatan sulfate in the arterial wall to stimulate **HCII** is decreased atherosclerotic lesions.

Immunogen: Protein purified from

Human plasma

Clone number: 74E5 **Host**: Mouse

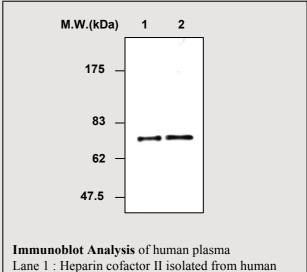
Isotype: IgG2b, k Size: $100 \mu \ell$

Compositon : PBS containing 50% glycerol

Positive control: Human plasma

Storage: Store for 1 year at -20°C from date of shipment

Species cross reactivity		
Human	Mouse	Rat
+	NT	NT



plasma

Lane 2: Human plasma

Applications:

ELISA

Western blotting(1:2,000) Immunohistochemistry

Background Reference:

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