

## Datasheet: MCA951S

Description:	MOUSE ANTI HUMAN INHIBIN ALPHA
Specificity:	INHIBIN ALPHA
Format:	S/N
Product Type:	Monoclonal Antibody
Clone:	R1
Isotype:	IgG2a
Quantity:	2 ml

## Product Details

**Applications** This product has been reported to work in the following applications. This information is derived from testing within our laboratories, peer-reviewed publications or personal communications from the originators. Please refer to references indicated for further information. For general protocol recommendations, please visit [www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/protocols](http://www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/protocols).

	Yes	No	Not Determined	Suggested Dilution
Flow Cytometry				
Immunohistology - Frozen	■			Neat - 1/100
Immunohistology - Paraffin (1)	■			Neat - 1/100
ELISA				
Immunoprecipitation				
Western Blotting	■			1/100 - 1/200

Where this antibody has not been tested for use in a particular technique this does not necessarily exclude its use in such procedures. Suggested working dilutions are given as a guide only. It is recommended that the user titrates the antibody for use in their own system using appropriate negative/positive controls.

(1) **This product requires antigen retrieval using heat treatment prior to staining of paraffin sections. Sodium citrate buffer pH 6.0 is recommended for this purpose.**

<b>Target Species</b>	Human
<b>Species Cross Reactivity</b>	Reacts with: Bovine, Sheep <b>N.B.</b> Antibody reactivity and working conditions may vary between species. Cross reactivity is derived from testing within our laboratories, peer-reviewed publications or personal communications from the originators. Please refer to references indicated for further information.
<b>Product Form</b>	Tissue Culture Supernatant - liquid
<b>Preservative</b>	0.1% Sodium Azide (NaN <sub>3</sub> )

## Stabilisers

Immunogen	Synthetic peptide comprised of amino acids 1-32 of human inhibin alpha.
External Database Links	<b>UniProt:</b> <a href="#">P05111</a> <a href="#">Related reagents</a>  <b>Entrez Gene:</b> <a href="#">3623</a> INHA <a href="#">Related reagents</a>
RRID	AB_322161
Specificity	<p><b>Mouse anti Human inhibin alpha antibody, clone R1</b> recognizes the alpha subunit of the 32 kDa human inhibin. A glycoprotein which acts to suppress follicle-stimulating hormone (FSH) secretion (<a href="#">Groome et al, 1990</a>).</p> <p>Inhibin alpha is expressed in a range of tissues including the endometrium (<a href="#">Mylonas et al, 2004</a>), brain (<a href="#">Uccella et al, 2000</a>), adrenal gland (<a href="#">McCluggage et al, 1998</a>), testis (<a href="#">Bergh and Cajander, 1990</a>) and ovary (<a href="#">Cuevas et al, 1987</a>, <a href="#">Yamoto et al, 1992</a>). The antibody may be of value in the differentiation of adrenocortical tumours, placental and gestational trophoblastic lesions, and sex cord stromal tumours (<a href="#">McCluggage, 2001</a>).</p> <p>In western blotting of bovine follicular fluid, bands at 20, 44 and 57 kDa were reported under reducing conditions using clone R1 (<a href="#">Groome et al, 1991</a>).</p>
Histology Positive Control Tissue	Normal human ovary/testis
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<b>Storage</b>	Store at +4°C or at -20°C if preferred.
	This product should be stored undiluted.
	Storage in frost-free freezers is not recommended. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing as this may denature the antibody. Should this product contain a precipitate we recommend microcentrifugation before use.

<b>Guarantee</b>	12 months from date of despatch
<b>Health And Safety Information</b>	Material Safety Datasheet documentation #10336 available at: 10336: <a href="https://www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/uploads/MSDS/10336.pdf">https://www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/uploads/MSDS/10336.pdf</a>
<b>Regulatory</b>	For research purposes only

## Related Products

### Recommended Secondary Antibodies

Goat Anti Mouse IgG IgA IgM (STAR87...)	<a href="#">Alk. Phos., HRP</a>
Goat Anti Mouse IgG (STAR77...)	<a href="#">HRP</a>
Rabbit Anti Mouse IgG (STAR12...)	<a href="#">RPE</a>
Rabbit Anti Mouse IgG (STAR8...)	<a href="#">DyLight®800</a>
Rabbit Anti Mouse IgG (STAR13...)	<a href="#">HRP</a>
Goat Anti Mouse IgG (STAR76...)	<a href="#">RPE</a>
Goat Anti Mouse IgG (STAR70...)	<a href="#">FITC</a>
Goat Anti Mouse IgG (Fc) (STAR120...)	<a href="#">FITC, HRP</a>
Human Anti Mouse IgG2a (HCA037...)	<a href="#">FITC, HRP</a>
Rabbit Anti Mouse IgG (STAR9...)	<a href="#">FITC</a>
Goat Anti Mouse IgG (H/L) (STAR117...)	<a href="#">Alk. Phos., DyLight®488, DyLight®680, DyLight®800, FITC, HRP</a>

### Recommended Negative Controls

#### MOUSE IgG2a NEGATIVE CONTROL (MCA929)

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