

## Anti-CD146/Mcam Antibody Picoband® Biotin Conjugated

Catalog Number: A01683-Biotin

### About Mcam

In humans, the CD146 protein is encoded by the MCAM gene. It is mapped to 9; 9 A5.1. CD146 (cluster of differentiation 146) also known as the melanoma cell adhesion molecule (MCAM) or cell surface glycoprotein MUC18, is a 113kDa cell adhesion molecule currently used as a marker for endothelial cell lineage. MCAM functions as a receptor for laminin alpha 4, a matrix molecule that is broadly expressed within the vascular wall. Accordingly, MCAM is highly expressed by cells that are components of the blood vessel wall, including vascular endothelial cells, smooth muscle cells and pericytes. Its function is still poorly understood, but evidence points to it being part of the endothelial junction associated with the actin cytoskeleton. A member of the Immunoglobulin superfamily, it consists of five Ig domains, a transmembrane domain, and a cytoplasmic region. It is expressed on chicken embryonic spleen and thymus, activated human T cells, endothelial progenitors such as angioblasts and mesenchymal stem cells, and strongly expressed on blood vessel endothelium and smooth muscle.

### Overview

Product Name	Anti-CD146/Mcam Antibody Picoband® Biotin Conjugated
Reactive Species	Mouse, Rat
Clonality	Polyclonal
Formulation	Each vial contains 50% glycerol, 0.9% NaCl, 0.2% Na <sub>2</sub> HPO <sub>4</sub> , 0.02% NaN <sub>3</sub> .
Storage Instructions	At -20°C for one year from date of receipt. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing.
Host	Rabbit
Uniprot ID	Q8R2Y2

### Technical Details

Immunogen	E.coli-derived mouse CD146/Mcam recombinant protein (Position: E27-E621).
Cross Reactivity	No cross-reactivity with other proteins.
Isotype	Rabbit IgG
Form	Liquid
Concentration	0.5 mg/mL
Purification	Immunogen affinity purified.
Conjugate	Biotin
Suggested Dilutions	The intended application should be selected according to the customer's experimental requirements.

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