

MONOCLONAL ANTIBODY

# Anti-Keima-Red mAb

Code No.	Clone	Subclass	Quantity	Concentration
M182-3M	1C3	Mouse IgG1 $\kappa$	100 $\mu$ L	1 mg/mL

**BACKGROUND:** The fluorescent proteins “Keima”, which were originally cloned from the stony coral whose Japanese name is “Komon-Sango.” *CoralHue*<sup>™</sup> mKeima-Red and dKeima-Red absorb light maximally at 440 nm and emits red light. *CoralHue*<sup>™</sup> dKeima570 absorbs light maximally at 440 nm and emits orange-red light. Thus *CoralHue*<sup>™</sup> Keima proteins exhibit an extremely large Stokes shift (130-180 nm). Because of these unique property of *CoralHue*<sup>™</sup> Keima proteins, it is useful for multicolor imaging.

**SOURCE:** This antibody was purified from hybridoma (clone 1C3) supernatant using protein A agarose. This hybridoma was established by fusion of mouse myeloma cell P3U1 with Balb/c mouse lymphocyte immunized with the recombinant protein.

**FORMULATION:** 100  $\mu$ g IgG in 100  $\mu$ L volume of PBS containing 50% glycerol, pH 7.2. No preservative is contained.

**STORAGE:** This antibody solution is stable for one year from the date of purchase when stored at -20°C.

**REACTIVITY:** This antibody reacts with mKeima-Red, dKeima-Red and dKeima570 (28 kDa) on Western blotting.

## APPLICATIONS:

Western blotting; 1  $\mu$ g/mL for chemiluminescence detection system

Immunoprecipitation; Not tested

Immunohistochemistry; Not tested

Immunocytochemistry; Not tested

Flow cytometry; Not tested

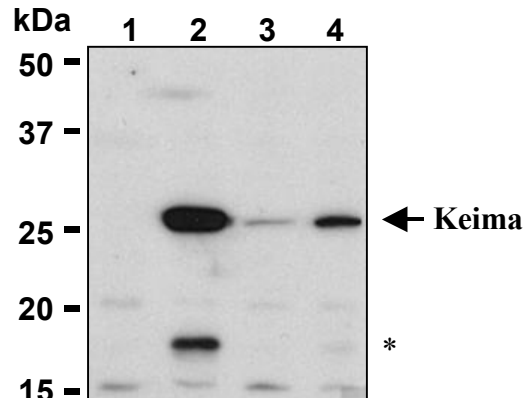
Detailed procedure is provided in the following **PROTOCOL**.

## INTENDED USE:

For Research Use Only. Not for use in diagnostic procedures.

## REFERENCES:

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**Western blot analysis of Keima-Red in HeLa (1), mKeima-Red transfectant (2), dKeima-Red transfectant (3), and dKeima 570 transfectant (4) using M182-3M.**

*\*It has been reported that Orange / Red fluorescent proteins partially split into fragments, the extent of fragmentation depending on the conditions of denaturation. The 18 kDa band is the C-terminal fragment of Keima.*

The descriptions of the following protocols are examples. Each user should determine the appropriate condition.

## PROTOCOL:

### SDS-PAGE & Western Blotting

- 1) Wash cells (approximately  $1 \times 10^7$  cells) 3 times with PBS and resuspend them in 1 mL of Laemmli's sample buffer.
- 2) Boil the samples for 3 minutes and centrifuge. Load 10  $\mu$ L of sample per lane on a 1-mm-thick SDS-polyacrylamide gel and carry out electrophoresis.
- 3) Blot the protein to a polyvinylidene difluoride (PVDF) membrane at 1 mA/cm<sup>2</sup> for 1 hour in a semi-dry transfer system (Transfer Buffer: 25 mM Tris, 190 mM glycine, 20% MeOH). See the manufacturer's manual for precise transfer procedure.
- 4) To reduce nonspecific binding, soak the membrane in 10% skimmed milk (in PBS, pH 7.2) for 1 hour at room temperature, or overnight at 4°C.
- 5) Incubate the membrane for 1 hour at room temperature with primary antibody diluted with 1% skimmed milk (in PBS, pH 7.2) as suggested in the **APPLICATIONS**. (The concentration of antibody will depend on the conditions.)
- 6) Wash the membrane with PBS-T [0.05% Tween-20 in PBS] (5 minutes x 3 times).
- 7) Incubate the membrane with 1:10,000 Anti-IgG (Mouse)

pAB-HRP (MBL; code no. 330) diluted with 1% skimmed milk (in PBS, pH 7.2) for 1 hour at room temperature.

- 8) Wash the membrane with PBS-T (5 minutes x 3 times).
- 9) Wipe excess buffer off the membrane, and incubate membrane with an appropriate chemiluminescence reagent for 1 minute.
- 10) Remove extra reagent from the membrane by dabbing with a paper towel, and seal it in plastic wrap.
- 11) Expose the membrane onto an X-ray film in a dark room for 2 minutes. Develop the film under usual settings. The conditions for exposure and development may vary.

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