

## **CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS – TECHNICAL DATA SHEET**

Product name	ZO-1, alpha+, Human, pAb					
Catalog number	HP9044-20UG					
Lot number	-	Expiry date	-			
Volume	200 μΙ	Amount	20 µg			
Formulation	0.2 $\mu m$ filtered in PBS+0.1%BSA+0.02%NaN3	Concentration	100 μg/ml			
Host Species	Rabbit Ig	Conjugate	None			
Endotoxin	N.A.	Purification	Protein A			
Storage	4°C					

## **Application notes**

	IHC-F	IHC-P	IF	FC	FS	IA	IP	W
Reference #								
Yes	•	•	•	•				٠
No								
N.D.					•	•	•	

N.D.= Not Determined; IHC = Immuno histochemistry; F = Frozen sections; P = Paraffin sections; IF = Immuno Fluorescence; FC = Flow Cytometry; FS = Functional Studies; IA = Immuno Assays; IP = Immuno Precipitation; W = Western blot

Dilutions to be used depend on detection system applied. It is recommended that users test the reagent and determine their own optimal dilutions. The typical starting working dilution is 1:50.

## **General Information**

Description	The polyclonal antibody recognizes human zona occludens 1 (ZO-1), an ~220 kDa tight junction protein belonging to the membrane-associated guanlyate kinase (MAGUK) family. Members of this family are involved in epithelial and endothelial intercellular junctions. They each contain at least one PSD95/DIg/ZO-1 (PDZ) domain, a Src homology 3 (SH3) domain, and an enzymatically inactive guanylate kinase domain. PDZ domains are 90-amino acid protein-protein binding domains that recognize at least a 3-residue peptide motif in the COOH termini of their binding partners. PDZ domain-containing proteins, like ZO-1, typically act as scaffolding proteins that organize membrane receptors and cytosolic proteins into multimeric signaling complexes often at the sites of cell-cell contact. The effectiveness and stability of the epithelial barrier depends on a complex of proteins composing different intercellular junctions, which include tight junctions, adherens junctions, and desmosomes. ZO-1 is a peripheral membrane protein bound on the cytoplasmic surface of junctional contacts and is expressed in all tight junctions regardless of their properties. ZO-1 immunoprecipitates with its family member ZO-2. ZO-1 was shown to undergo tyrosine phosphorylation during tight junction formation and remodeling. Two different isoforms of ZO-1, alpha-minus and alpha-plus, have been described, which result from alternative splicing of an mRNA encoded by a single gene. The ZO-1 alpha-plus contains an 80 amino acids motif called alpha which is not present in ZO-1 alpha-minus. The alpha-containing isoform is found in most epithelial cell junctions of renal glomeruli and Sertoli cells of the seminiferous tubules. This difference in distribution provides molecular distinction among tight junctions. The polyclonal antibody is raised against amino acids 886-995 of human ZO-1 and recognizes specifically ZO-1 alpha-plus. It cross reacts with mouse, rat and dog ZO-1 alpha-plus.					
Immunogen	Amino acids 886-995 of human ZO-1.					
Aliases	Zona Occludens 1 alpha-plus, ZO-1-alpha-plus, Tight junction protein 1 (TJP1)					
Cross reactivity	Mouse: Yes; Rat: Yes; Dog: Yes.					
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Storage&stability Product should be stored at 4°C. Under recommended storage conditions, product is stable for at least one year.

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