

# **MMP20** polyclonal antibody

Catalog: BS60659

Host: F

Rabbit

Reactivity: Human, Mouse, Rat

## **BackGround:**

Matrix metalloproteinases (MMPs) are highly homologous Zn2+ endopeptidases involved in extracellular matrix (ECM) breakdown. MMP-20 (enamelysin) is involved in the degradation of various components of the ECM during development, hemostasis and pathological conditions. The domain organization of MMP-20 is similar to other MMPs, including a signal peptide, a prodomain with the conserved motif PRCGVPD involved in maintaining enzyme latency, a catalytic domain with a Zn-binding site, and a COOH-terminal fragment similar to the sequence of hemopexin. MMP-20 is expressed during the early through middle stages of enamel development at which time it likely hydrolyzes Amelogenin, a major protein component of the enamel matrix. The expression pattern of MMP-20 in the enamel organ indicates that it may be involved in the turnover of ECM proteins during tooth development and enamel formation. Human MMP-20 maps to chromosome 11q22.3, clustered to at least seven other members of the MMP gene family.

### **Product:**

1 mg/ml in Phosphate buffered saline (PBS) with 15 mM sodium azide, approx. pH 7.2.

**Molecular Weight:** 

~ 54 kDa

**Swiss-Prot:** 

O60882

**Purification&Purity:** 

The antibody was affinity-purified from rabbit antiserum by affinity-chromatography using epitope-specific immunogen and the purity is > 95% (by SDS-PAGE).

**Applications:** 

WB: 1:500~1:1000

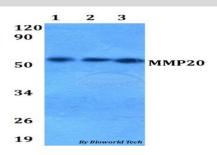
Storage&Stability:

Store at  $4 \,^{\circ}{\rm C}$  short term. Aliquot and store at -20  $^{\circ}{\rm C}$  long term. Avoid freeze-thaw cycles.

#### **Specificity:**

MMP20 polyclonal antibody detects endogenous levels of MMP20 protein.

**DATA:** 



Western blot (WB) analysis of MMP20 polyclonal antibody at 1:500 dilution

Lane1:HEK293T whole cell lysate Lane2:Raw264.7 whole cell lysate

Lane3:PC12 whole cell lysate

#### Note:

For research use only, not for use in diagnostic procedure.

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