## Anti-IL-18 Antibody [AH10-41]

## EM170401



Product Type:	Mouse monoclonal IgG1, primary antibodies
Species reactivity:	Human
Applications:	ELISA(Det), WB, ICC, IHC-P
Molecular Wt:	22 kDa
Clone number:	AH10-41
Description:	Interleukin-18 (IL-18) has been identified as a molecule that induces IFN-g production and enhances NK cell cytotoxicity. IL-18 receptor (IL-18R) is a type I membrane protein present in lung, leukocytes, spleen, liver, thymus, prostate, small intestine, colon, placenta and heart, absent from brain, skeletal muscle, pancreas and kidney. IL-18R is present in Hodgkin's disease cell lines, and does not bind IL-1 $\alpha$ or IL-1 $\beta$ . The association of IL-18 to IL-18R leads to activation of NFkB. At present two subunits of IL-18R have been characterized: IL-18R $\alpha$ and IL-18R $\beta$ . IL-18R $\alpha$ has been described as the ligand-binding chain and IL-18R $\beta$ as the signal-transduction chain.
Immunogen:	recombinant protein
Positive control:	A431, PC-12, Hela, human tonsil tissue, human spleen tissue.
Subcellular location:	Secreted.
Database links:	SwissProt: Q14116 Human
Recommended Dilution	S:
WB	1:1,000
ICC	1:50-1:200
IHC-P	1:50-1:200
ELISA	1:5,000-1:10,000
Storage Buffer:	1*TBS (pH7.4), 1%BSA, 40%Glycerol. Preservative: 0.06% Sodium Azide.
Storage Instruction:	Store at -20 $^\circ\! \mathbb{C}$ . Stable for 12 months from date of receipt.
Purity:	Protein G affinity purified.

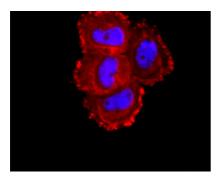
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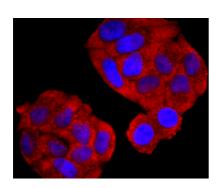
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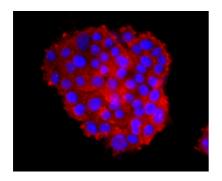
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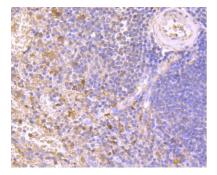
**Fig1:** ICC staining IL18 in A431 cells (red). The nuclear counter stain is DAPI (blue). Cells were fixed in paraformaldehyde, permeabilised with 0.25% Triton X100/PBS.



**Fig2:** ICC staining IL18 in Hela cells (red). The nuclear counter stain is DAPI (blue). Cells were fixed in paraformaldehyde, permeabilised with 0.25% Triton X100/PBS.



**Fig3:** ICC staining IL18 in PC-12 cells (red). The nuclear counter stain is DAPI (blue). Cells were fixed in paraformaldehyde, permeabilised with 0.25% Triton X100/PBS.



**Fig4:** Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded human spleen tissue using anti-IL18 Tubulin antibody. Counter stained with hematoxylin.

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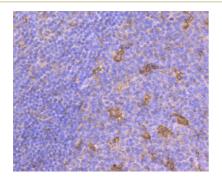
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**Fig5:** Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded human tonsil tissue using anti-IL18 antibody. Counter stained with hematoxylin.

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## **Background References**

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