## Mouse Anti-BRCA1 Protein [MD216]: MC0428, MC0428RTU7

Intended Use: For Research Use Only

**Description:** The BRCA1 gene codes for a nuclear phosphoprotein that plays a role in maintaining genomic stability and acts as a tumor suppressor. The normal gene plays a role in repairing breaks in DNA. If a mutation occurs in this gene the repair function may become disabled thus leading to more DNA replication errors and neoplastic growth. Current findings suggest that BRCA1 may play an as yet undefined protective role in cells, as it is strongly expressed in epithelial cells undergoing high levels of proliferation in association with differentiation. Additional findings have det ermined that complete loss of BRCA1 nuclear expression in breast cancer and the correlation with poor prognostic markers imply that the altered BRCA1 phenotype may provide an added prognostic parameter for breast cancer and could be applied for a potential rapid screening technique to identify BRCA1 mutations.

Clone:	MD216			
Source:	Mouse			
Isotype:	IgG1k			
Reactivity:	Human			
Immunogen:	Recombinant human BRCA1 protein fragment aa445-620			
Localization:	Nucleus			
Formulation:	Purified antibody in PBS pH7.4, containing BSA and $\leq 0.09\%$ sodium azide (NaN3)			
Storage:	Store at 2°- 8°C			
Applications:	IHC			
Package:				
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BRCA1 Protein Concentrated	MC0428	1 ml
BRCA1 Protein Prediluted	MC0428RTU7	7 ml

## **IHC Procedure\*:**

Positive Control Tissue:Breast cancerConcentrated Dilution:25-100Pretreatment:Tris EDTA pH9.0, 15 minutes Pressure Cooker or 30-60 minutes water bath at 95°-99°CIncubation Time and Temp:30-60 minutes @ RTDetection:Refer to the detection system manual\* Result should be confirmed by an established diagnostic procedure.



FFPE human breast carcinoma stained with anti-BRCA1 using DAB

## **References:**

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