

## Androgen Receptor Ab-1 (Clone AR 441)

### Mouse Monoclonal Antibody

- Cat. #MS-443-P0, -P1, or -P (0.1ml, 0.5ml, or 1.0ml at 200µg/ml)** (Purified Ab with BSA and Azide)  
**Cat. #MS-443-P1ABX or -PABX (0.1ml or 0.2ml at 1.0mg/ml)** (Purified Ab without BSA and Azide)  
**Cat. #MS-443-B0, -B1, or -B (0.1ml, 0.5ml, or 1.0ml at 200µg/ml)** (Biotin-labeled Ab with BSA and Azide)  
**Cat. #MS-443-R7 (7.0ml)** (Ready-to-Use for Immunohistochemical Staining)  
**Cat. #MS-443-RQ (12.0ml)** (Ready-to-use for Automated Immunohistochemical Staining)  
**Cat. #MS-443-PCS (5 Slides)** (Positive Control for Histology)  
**Cat. #MS-443-PCL (0.1ml)** (Positive Control for Western Blot)

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**Description:** The expression of AR is reportedly inversely correlated with histologic grade i.e. well differentiated prostate tumors show higher expression than the poorly differentiated tumors. In prostate cancer, AR has been proposed as a marker of hormone-responsiveness.

**Comments:** Ab-1 is excellent for staining of formalin/paraffin tissues.

**Mol. Wt. of Antigen:** 110kDa

**Epitope:** aa 299-315

**Species Reactivity:** Human and Dog. Does not react with mouse. Others-not tested.

**Clone Designation:** AR 441

**Ig Isotype:** IgG<sub>1</sub>

**Immunogen:** A synthetic peptide from human AR.

### Applications and Suggested Dilutions:

- Gel Supershift (Order Ab at 1mg/ml)
- Immunofluorescence
- Immunoprecipitation (Denatured verified)  
(Use Protein G; Ab 2µg/mg protein lysate)
- Western Blotting (Ab 1µg/ml for 2hrs at RT)
- Immunohistology (Formalin/paraffin)

Use Ab 1:25 for 20 min at RT using Lab Vision's UltraVision LP Systems

- \* [Staining of formalin-fixed tissues requires boiling tissue sections in 10mM citrate buffer, pH 6.0 for 10-20 min followed by cooling at RT for 20 min.]
- \* Requires detection with a high-sensitivity detection system such as UltraVision LP (Cat# TL-015-HD).

Use Ab 1:50 for 20 min at RT using UltraVision Quanto systems

- \* [staining of formalin-fixed tissues REQUIRES boiling tissue sections in 1mM EDTA buffer, pH 8.0, (Cat. #AP-9004), for 10-20 min followed by cooling at RT for 20 min.]

The optimal dilution for a specific application should be determined by the investigator.

**Positive Control:** LnCap cells or prostate carcinoma

**Cellular Localization:** Nuclear

### Supplied As:

200µg/ml of antibody purified from ascites fluid by Protein G chromatography. Prepared in 10mM PBS, pH 7.4, with 0.2% BSA and 0.09% sodium azide. Also available without BSA and azide at 1mg/ml,

or

Prediluted antibody which is ready-to-use for staining of formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded tissues.

### Storage and Stability:

Ab with sodium azide is stable for 24 months when stored at 2-8°C. Antibody WITHOUT sodium azide is stable for 36 months when stored at below 0°C.

### Suggested References:

1. Ruizeveld de Winter J A, et al. (1991) J Histochem Cytochem 39: 927-936.
2. Chodak G w, et al. (1992) J Urol 147: 798-803.

### Limitations and Warranty:

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of this material have not been thoroughly investigated. Appropriate measures should be taken to avoid skin and eye contact, inhalation, and ingestion. The material contains 0.09% sodium azide as a preservative. Although the quantity of azide is very small, appropriate care should be taken when handling this material as indicated above. The National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health has issued a bulletin citing the potential explosion hazard due to the reaction of sodium azide with copper, lead, brass, or solder in the plumbing systems. Sodium azide forms hydrazoic acid in acidic conditions and should be discarded in a large volume of running water to avoid deposits forming in metal drainage pipes.

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