## Prostaglandin E<sub>2</sub> Monoclonal Antibody

Catalog Number A011-50UG

## **FEATURES**

- Mouse Monoclonal to Prostaglandin E<sub>2</sub> (PGE<sub>2</sub>)
- Extend primary antibody supplies
- Clone 5A2



## INTRODUCTION

Eicosanoid signal transduction pathways are highly conserved and are involved in a number of physiological processes. Prostaglandins are synthesized from arachidonic acid by cyclooxygenase (COX)-1 or -2, which convert the acid into PGH<sub>2</sub>. This is further processed by cytosolic or microsomal prostaglandin synthases to become PGE<sub>2</sub> or one of several other prostanoids. Prostacyclin is the major cyclooxygenase product in blood vessel walls and it is present in inflammatory fluids in similar concentrations to PGE<sub>2</sub>. Prostacyclin is a potent vasodilator and is more potent than PGE<sub>2</sub> in producing hyperalgesia. PGE<sub>2</sub> is produced by a wide variety of tissues and in several pathological conditions, including inflammation, arthritis, fever, tissue injury, endometriosis, and a variety of cancers.

Other biological actions of PGE<sub>2</sub> include vasodilation, modulation of sleep/wake cycles, and facilitation of human immunodeficiency virus replication. It elevates cAMP levels, stimulates bone resorption, and has thermoregulatory effects. It has been shown to be a regulator of sodium excretion and renal hemodynamics.

**FORM:** 100 mM Sodium Phosphate, 150 mM Sodium Chloride, 0.09% Na Azide, pH 7.2

**CONCENTRATION**: 100 μg/mL

**SUBTYPE:** IgG<sub>1</sub>

STORAGE: 4°C

**IMMUNOGEN:** PGE, covalently coupled to carrier protein

**SPECIFICITY:** PGE<sub>1</sub>, 25.9%: PGF<sub>2a</sub>, 0.3%: TXB<sub>2</sub>, 0.03%: 6-keto-PGF<sub>1a</sub>, 15-keto-PGE<sub>1</sub>,

16,16-dimethyl-PGE2, and Arachidonic Acid all <0.02%

**USES:** For Immunoassay Use

**COUNTRY OF ORIGIN:** USA

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