

# **Product Information**

## MemDX™ Membrane Protein Human SPACA1 (Sperm acrosome associated 1) for Antibody

### Discovery

Cat. No.: MP1284X

This product is for research use only and is not intended for diagnostic use.

This product is a 58.5 kDa Human SPACA1 membrane protein expressed in *In vitro* wheat germ expression system. The protein is for research use only and is not approved for use in humans or in clinical diagnosis.

### **Product Specifications**

### **Host Species**

Human

### **Target Protein**

SPACA1

### **Protein Length**

Full-length

### **Molecular Weight**

58.5 kDa

#### Sequence

MSPRGTGCSAGLLMTVGWLLLAGLQSARGTNVTAAVQDAGLAHEGEGEEETENNDSETAENYAPPETEDVSNRNVVKEVEFGM0

#### **Product Description**

### **Application**

Enzyme-linked Immunoabsorbent Assay, Western Blot (Recombinant protein), Antibody Production, Protein Array

### **Expression Systems**

in vitro wheat germ expression system

#### Tag

GST-tag at N-terminal

### **Protein Format**

Liposome

### **Form**

Liquid

### Purification

#### Glutathione Sepharose 4 Fast Flow

#### **Buffer**

50 mM Tris-HCI, 10 mM reduced Glutathione, pH=8.0

#### Storage

Store at +4°C for up to one week or several months at -80°C

#### **Target**

#### **Target Protein**

SPACA1

#### **Full Name**

Sperm acrosome associated 1

#### Introduction

The correlation of anti-sperm antibodies with cases of unexplained infertility implicates a role for these antibodies in blocking fertilization. Improved diagnosis and treatment of immunologic infertility, as well as identification of proteins for targeted contraception, are dependent on the identification and characterization of relevant sperm antigens. The protein expressed by this gene is recognized by anti-sperm antibodies from infertile males. Furthermore, antibodies generated against the recombinant protein block *In vitro* fertilization. This protein localizes to the acrosomal membrane of spermatids and mature spermatozoa where it is thought to play a role in acrosomal morphogenesis and in sperm-egg binding and fusion, respectively.

#### **Alternative Names**

SAMP32; sperm acrosome membrane-associated protein 1; sperm acrosomal membrane-associated protein 32

#### Gene ID

81833

#### **UniProt ID**

Q9HBV2