

**MCAM / CD146 Antibody (aa84-189, clone 6C3E6)**  
**Mouse Monoclonal Antibody**  
**Catalog # ALS16191****Specification**

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**MCAM / CD146 Antibody (aa84-189, clone 6C3E6) - Product Information**

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| Application       | IHC                    |
| Primary Accession | <a href="#">P43121</a> |
| Reactivity        | Human                  |
| Host              | Mouse                  |
| Clonality         | Monoclonal             |
| Calculated MW     | 72kDa KDa              |

**MCAM / CD146 Antibody (aa84-189, clone 6C3E6) - Additional Information****Gene ID** 4162**Other Names**

Cell surface glycoprotein MUC18, Cell surface glycoprotein P1H12, Melanoma cell adhesion molecule, Melanoma-associated antigen A32, Melanoma-associated antigen MUC18, S-endo 1 endothelial-associated antigen, CD146, MCAM, MUC18

**Target/Specificity**

Human MCAM / CD146

**Reconstitution & Storage**

Short term +4°C; Long term -20°C

**Precautions**

MCAM / CD146 Antibody (aa84-189, clone 6C3E6) is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

**MCAM / CD146 Antibody (aa84-189, clone 6C3E6) - Protein Information****Name** MCAM**Synonyms** MUC18**Function**

Plays a role in cell adhesion, and in cohesion of the endothelial monolayer at intercellular junctions in vascular tissue. Its expression may allow melanoma cells to interact with cellular elements of the vascular system, thereby enhancing hematogeneous tumor spread. Could be an adhesion molecule active in neural crest cells during embryonic development. Acts as a surface receptor that triggers tyrosine phosphorylation of FYN and PTK2/FAK1, and a transient increase in the intracellular calcium concentration.

**Cellular Location**

Membrane; Single-pass type I membrane protein.

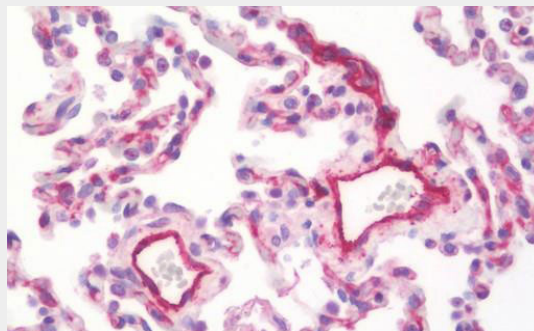
**Tissue Location**

Detected in endothelial cells in vascular tissue throughout the body. May appear at the surface of neural crest cells during their embryonic migration. Appears to be limited to vascular smooth muscle in normal adult tissues. Associated with tumor progression and the development of metastasis in human malignant melanoma. Expressed most strongly on metastatic lesions and advanced primary tumors and is only rarely detected in benign melanocytic nevi and thin primary melanomas with a low probability of metastasis

**MCAM / CD146 Antibody (aa84-189, clone 6C3E6) - Protocols**

Provided below are standard protocols that you may find useful for product applications.

- [Western Blot](#)
- [Blocking Peptides](#)
- [Dot Blot](#)
- [Immunohistochemistry](#)
- [Immunofluorescence](#)
- [Immunoprecipitation](#)
- [Flow Cytometry](#)
- [Cell Culture](#)

**MCAM / CD146 Antibody (aa84-189, clone 6C3E6) - Images**

Anti-MCAM / CD146 antibody IHC staining of human lung.

**MCAM / CD146 Antibody (aa84-189, clone 6C3E6) - Background**

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