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Background Information Transition nuclear proteins (TNP1 and TNP2) are the major nuclear proteins that replace somatic histones during spermatogenesis. TNPs are required for normal chromatin condensation and functional sperm development, spermatogenesis was found to be compromised in both Tnp1 and Tnp2 null mice. TNP1, or TP1, localized in nucleus, is a spermatid-specific product of the haploid genome which replaces histone and is itself replaced in the mature sperm by the protamines. Recently, TNP-1 was used as a germ cell marker in condensing spermatids.

## Storage

Storage:
Store at $-20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Avoid exposure to light. Stable for one year after shipment.
Storage Buffer:
PBS with $50 \%$ Glycerol, $0.05 \%$ Proclin300, 0.5\% BSA, pH 7.3.
Aliquoting is unnecessary for $-20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ storage
*** 20ul sizes contain 0.1\% BSA


Immunofluorescent analysis of (4\% PFA) fixed mouse testis tissue using CoraLite® Plus 488 TNP1 antibody (CL488-17178) at dilution of 1:50.

