

Vimentin Ab

Cat.#: BF0071 Concn.: 1mg/ml Mol.Wt.: 54kDa
Size: 50ul,100ul,200ul Source: Mouse Clonality: Monoclonal

Application: ELISA 1/10000, WB 1/500 - 1/2000, IHC 1/200 - 1/1000

Reactivity: Human, Mouse, Rat, Monkey

Purification: Affinity-chromatography.

Specificity: Vimentin Ab detects endogenous levels of total Vimentin.

Immunogen: Purified recombinant fragment of human Vimentin

expressed in E. Coli.

Uniprot: P08670

Description: Vimentin, also know as VIM. It is the major subunit protein of

the intermediate filaments of mesenchymal cells. It is believed to be involved with the intracellular transport of proteins between the nucleus and plasma membrane. Vimentin has been implicated to be involved in the rate of steroid synthesis via its role as a storage network for steroidogenic cholesterol containing lipid droplets.

Subcellular Location: Cytoplasm.

Tissue Specificity: Highly expressed in fibroblasts, some expression in T- and B-

lymphocytes, and little or no expression in Burkitt's lymphoma cell lines. Expressed in many hormone-independent mammary carcinoma cell lines.

Similarity: The central alpha-helical coiled-coil IF rod domain mediates

elementary homodimerization.The [IL]-x-C-x-x-[DE] motif is a proposed target motif for cysteine S-nitrosylation mediated by the iNOS-S100A8/A9 transnitrosylase complex.Belongs to

the intermediate filament family.

Storage Condition and

Buffer:

Mouse IgG1 in phosphate buffered saline (without Mg2+ and Ca2+), pH 7.4, 150mM NaCl, 0.02% sodium azide and 50% glycerol. Store at -20 °C. Stable for 12 months from date of

receipt.



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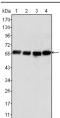
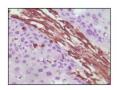


Figure 1: Western blot analysis using Vimentin mouse mAb against Hela (1), COS (2), HEK293 (3) and U20S (4) cell lysate.



Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded human lung carcinoma tissue, showing cytoplasmic localization using Vimentin mouse mAb with DAB staining.

<code>IMPORTANT:</code> For western blot, incubate membrane with diluted primary Ab in 5% w/v milk , 1% TBS, 0.1% Tween@20 at 4°C with gentle shaking, overnight.

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