# ExoBrite™ CD9 Western Antibody

Validated antibody for optimal detection of EV marker CD9 in extracellular vesicle (EV) extracts by fluorescent western blot.



### **Product Description**

ExoBrite<sup>TM</sup> CD9 Western Antibody is validated by Biotium for optimal detection of extracellular vesicle (EV) marker CD9 in EV extracts by fluorescent western blot. The antibody is offered as a conjugate to either ExoBrite<sup>TM</sup> 680/700 or ExoBrite<sup>TM</sup> 770/800 near-infrared fluorescent dyes, which offer greater signal-to-noise than visible light fluorescent dyes for western blotting.

- Optimal detection of EV marker CD9 by fluorescent western blot
- Validated for use with EV extracts
- Bright signal and low background
- Available in 2 near-infrared colors

EVs, including exosomes, are lipid-bound vesicles that are released from cells. EVs display specific surface proteins and can carry nucleic acids and other cargo, allowing them to transfer biological information between cells in different parts of the body. Therefore EVs are increasingly studied for their potential use in drug delivery and medical diagnostic applications. The most common proteins used as EV markers are CD9, CD63, and CD81, members of the tetraspanin family. Tetraspanins are plasma membrane proteins with many proposed functions, including activation and sorting of other membrane proteins. They are also thought to play a role in the targeting of proteins to multivesicular bodies (MVBs) and exosomes. These tetraspanins are broadly expressed on many cell types and can therefore be detected on many types of EVs, but their expression levels vary depending on the cell type of origin.

### EV antibodies you can trust

Other commercially available antibodies for tetraspanin proteins CD9, CD63, and CD81 are generally not validated for isolated EVs and may require tedious optimization for your EV prep and staining protocol. ExoBriteTM Western Antibody Conjugates were validated to offer bright signal and low background of EV markers in EV extracts. ExoBriteTM Calnexin Western Antibody detects a protein of the endoplasmic reticulum that is not found in EVs. It is offered as a negative control to assess the purity of isolated EV extracts.

If you are using secondary antibodies for western detection, Biotium also offers unconjugated recombinant antibodies against CD9, CD63, and CD81. ExoBriteTM Flow Antibody Conjugates are also available for optimal detection of CD9, CD63, and CD81 EV markers by flow cytometry.

For general EV staining, Biotium offers ExoBrite<sup>TM</sup> stains conjugated to cholera toxin B (CTB), wheat germ agglutinin (WGA), and Annexin V. These stains are specially formulated for bright and specific detection of isolated EVs by flow cytometry. These ExoBrite<sup>TM</sup> stains may also be combined with antibody staining, for multi-parameter analysis.

#### Product attributes

Antibody number	#P003		
SwissProt	P21926		
Antibody type	Primary		
Clonality	Monoclonal		
Host species	Mouse		
Isotype	IgG1, kappa		
Antibody reactivity (target)	CD9		
Synonyms	Tetraspanin-29 (TSPAN29); BA-2/p24 antigen; BA2; BTCC1; CD9; Cell growth-inhibiting gene 2 protein; DRAP27; GIG2; Leukocyte antigen MIC3; MIC3; Motility-related protein (MRP1); p24		
Species reactivity	Baboon, Bovine, Cynomolgus monkey, Dog, Horse, Human, Non-human primates, Rabbit, Sheep		
Human gene symbol	CD9		
Entrez gene ID	928		
Unigene	114286		
Molecular weight	24 kDa		
Antibody target cellular localization	Exosomes/EVs, Plasma membrane		
Cell/tissue expression	Exosomes, Platelets, Basophils, Eosinophils, Epithelial cells, Lymphocytes		
Verified antibody applications	WB (verified)		
Positive control	MCF-7 cells, MCF-7 derived exosomes		
Shipping condition	Room temperature		
Antibody application notes	Recommended amount for western blot: 10 uL per 10 mL blocking buffer		
Antibody research areas	Exosomes/EVs		
Antibody/conjugate formulation	PBS, 0.1% BSA, 0.05% azide		
Shelf life	Guaranteed for at least 24 months from date of receipt when stored as recommended		
Storage Conditions	Store at 2 to 8 °C, Protect fluorescent conjugates from light		
Regulatory status	For research use only (RUO)		
Product origin	Product may contain either bovine serum albumin (BSA) from bovine serum (Bos taurus), or recombinant BSA produced in Chinese hamster ovary cells. Inquire for the specific lot.		

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# ExoBrite™ Western Antibody Conjugates

Antibody	Ex/Em	Conc.	Size	Catalog No.
ExoBrite™ 680/700 CD9 Western Antibody	681/698 nm	100 ug/mL	25 tests	P003-680-250
			100 tests	P003-680-1000
ExoBrite™ 770/800 CD9 Western Antibody	770/797 nm	100 ug/mL	25 tests	P003-770-250
			100 tests	P003-770-1000
ExoBrite™ 680/700 CD63 Western Antibody	681/698 nm	100 ug/mL	25 tests	P004-680-250
			100 tests	P004-680-1000
ExoBrite™ 770/800 CD63 Western Antibody	770/797 nm	100 ug/mL	25 tests	P004-770-250
			100 tests	P004-770-1000
ExoBrite™ 680/700 CD81 Western Antibody	681/698 nm	100 ug/mL	25 tests	P006-680-250
			100 tests	P006-680-1000
ExoBrite™ 770/800 CD81 Western Antibody	770/797 nm	100 ug/mL	25 tests	P006-770-250
			100 tests	P006-770-1000
ExoBrite™ 770/800 Calnexin Western Antibody	770/797 nm	100 ug/mL	25 tests	P007-770-250
			100 tests	P007-770-1000