## Cytokeratin 8 Monoclonal Mouse Antibody (KRT8/899)



## **Product Description**

Cytokeratin 8 (CK8) belongs to the type II (or B or basic) subfamily of high molecular weight cytokeratins and exists in combination with cytokeratin 18 (CK18). CK8 is primarily found in the non-squamous epithelia and is present in majority of adenocarcinomas and ductal carcinomas. It is absent in squamous cell carcinomas. Hepatocellular carcinomas are defined by the use of antibodies that recognize only cytokeratin 8 and 18. CK8 exists on several types of normal and neoplastic epithelia, including many ductal and glandular epithelia such as colon, stomach, small intestine, trachea, and esophagus as well as in transitional epithelium. Anti-CK8 does not react with skeletal muscle or nerve cells. Epithelioid sarcoma, chordoma, and adamantinoma show strong positivity corresponding to that of simple epithelia (with antibodies against CK8, CK18 and CK19). Reportedly, anti-CK8 is useful for the differentiation of lobular (ring-like, perinuclear) from ductal (peripheral-predominant) carcinoma of the breast.

This antibody is available purified with BSA/azide at 200 ug/mL, or BSA/azide-free at 1 mg/mL.

Catalog number key for antibody number 0899, Anti-Cytokeratin 8 (KRT8/899)

## Product attributes

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Product attributes				
Antibody number	899			
Antibody reactivity (target)	Cytokeratin 8			
Antibody type	Primary			
Host species	Mouse			
Clonality	Monoclonal			
Clone	KRT8/899			
Isotype	IgM, kappa			
Molecular weight	52.5 kDa			
Synonyms	CARD2; CK8; CYK8; CYKER; Cytokeratin Endo A; DreK8; EndoA; K2C8; K8; Keratin 8; Krt 2.8; KRT8; Type-II Keratin Kb8			
Human gene symbol	KRT8			
Entrez gene ID	56			
SwissProt	P05787			
Unigene	533782 & 708445			
Immunogen	Recombinant human KRT8 protein			
Antibody target cellular localization	Cytoskeleton			
Species reactivity	Human, Monkey, Rabbit			
Antibody application notes	For coating for ELISA, order Ab without BSA, Optimal dilution and staining procedure for a specific application should be determined by user, Recommended starting concentrations for titration are 1-2 ug/mL for most applications, or 1 ug/million cells/100 uL for flow cytometry			
Positive control				
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Shipping condition	MCF-7 or A431 cells. Skin, Colon, lung or breast carcinoma  Room temperature			
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Antibody # prefix	Conjugation	Ex/Em (nm)	Laser line	Detection channel	Dye Features
BNC04	CF®405S	404/431	405	DAPI (microscopy), AF405	CF®405S Features
BNC88	CF®488A	490/515	488	GFP, FITC	CF®488A Features
BNC68	CF®568	562/583	532, 561	RFP, TRITC	CF®568 Features
BNC94	CF®594	593/614	561	Texas Red®	CF®594 Features
BNC40	CF®640R	642/662	633-640	Cy®5	CF®640R Features
BNC47	CF®647	650/665	633-640	Cy®5	CF®647 Features
BNC74	CF®740	742/767	633-685	775/50	CF®740 Features
BNCB	Biotin	N/A	N/A	N/A	
BNUB	Purified	N/A	N/A	N/A	
BNUM	Purified,	N/A	N/A	N/A	

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## References

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