

# **CD68 Monoclonal Mouse Antibody** (C68/684)



## **Product Description**

This antibody recognizes a glycoprotein of 110 kDa, which is identified as CD68. It is important for identifying macrophages in tissue sections. It stains macrophages in a wide variety of human tissues, including Kupffer cells and macrophages in the red pulp of the spleen, in lamina propria of the gut, in lung alveoli, and in bone marrow. It reacts with myeloid precursors and peripheral blood granulocytes. It also reacts with plasmacytoid T cells, which are supposed to be of monocyte/macrophage origin. It shows strong granular cytoplasmic staining of chronic and acute myeloid leukemia and also reacts with rare cases of true histiocytic neoplasia. Lymphomas are negative or show few granules.

Primary antibodies are available purified, or with a selection of fluorescent CF® dyes and other labels. CF® dyes offer exceptional brightness and photostability. See the CF® Dye Brochure for more information. Note: Conjugates of blue fluorescent dyes like CF®405S and CF®405M are not recommended for detecting low abundance targets, because blue dyes have lower fluorescence and can give higher non-specific background than other dye colors.

Stock status: Because Biotium offers a large number of antibody and conjugation options, primary antibody conjugates may be made to order. Typical lead times are up to one week for CF® dye and biotin conjugates, and up to 2-3 weeks for fluorescent protein and enzyme conjugates. Please email order@biotium.com to inquire about stock status and lead times before placing your order.

Catalog number key for antibody number 0684, Anti-CD68 (C68/684)

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## Product attributes

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Antibody number	#0684			
Antibody reactivity (target)	CD68			
Antibody type	Primary			
Host species	Mouse			
Clonality	Monoclonal			
Clone	C68/684			
Isotype	IgG1, kappa			
Molecular weight	~110 kDa			
Synonyms	GP110, LAMP4, Microsialin, Macrosialin, SCARD1, Scavenger Receptor Class D Member-1			
Human gene symbol	CD68			
Entrez gene ID	968			
SwissProt	P34810			
Unigene	647419			
Immunogen	Recombinant human CD68 protein			
Antibody target cellular localization	Plasma membrane			
Verified antibody applications	Flow (verified), IF (verified), IHC (FFPE) (verified), WB (verified)			
Species reactivity	Human, Monkey			
Antibody application notes	Higher concentration may be required for direct detection using primary antibody conjugates than for indirect detection with secondary antibody, Immunofluorescence: 0.5-1 ug/mL, Immunohistology formalin-fixed 0.25-0.5 ug/mL, Staining of formalin-fixed tissues is enhanced by boiling tissue sections in 10 mM citrate buffer, pH 6.0, for 10-20 min followed by cooling at RT for 20 minutes, Flow Cytometry 0.5-1 ug/million cells/0.1 mL, Optimal dilution for a specific application should be determined by user			
Positive control	Tonsil, lymph node, or spleen			
Shipping condition	Room temperature			
Storage Conditions	Store at 2 to 8 $^{\circ}$ C, Protect fluorescent conjugates from light, Note: store BSA-free antibodies at -10 to -35 $^{\circ}$ C			
Shelf life	Guaranteed for at least 24 months from date of receipt when stored as recommended			
Regulatory status	For research use only (RUO)			
Antibody/conjugate formulation	Conjugates: 0.1 mg/mL in PBS/0.1% BSA/0.05% azide, HRP conjugates: 0.1 mg/mL in PBS/0.05% BSA, Purified: 0.2 mg/mL in PBS/0.05% BSA/0.05% azide, Purified, BSA-free: 1 mg/mL in PBS without azide			
Antibody research areas	Immunology			
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.			
Cell/tissue expression	Monocytes/macrophages			

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, BSA-free	N/A	N/A	N/A	

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