## Cytokeratin 8/18 Monoclonal Mouse Antibody (C-51)



## **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). This MAb recognizes all simple epithelia including glandular epithelium, for example thyroid, female breast, gastrointestinal tract, respiratory tract, and urogenital tract including transitional epithelium. All adenocarcinomas and most squamous carcinomas are positive but keratinizing squamous carcinomas are usually negative. This antibody is useful in demonstrating the presence of Paget cells; there is very little keratin 18 in the normal epidermis so only Paget cells are stained. 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 0034, Anti-Cytokeratin 8 (C-51)

## References

Note: References for this clone sold by other suppliers may be listed for expected applications.

- 1. Brain Pathol (1999) 9: 617-626. (IHC, FFPE)
- 2. Br J Cancer (1999) 81(5): 769-773. (WB)
- 3. Int J Cancer (2004) 111: 662-668. (WB)
- 4. Cell (2014) 159(1): 163-175. (IF; IHC, FFPE)

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## Product attributes

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Product attributes	<b>;</b>			
Antibody number	#0034			
Antibody reactivity	Cytokeratin 8/18			
(target) Antibody type	Primary			
Host species	Mouse			
Clonality	Monoclonal			
Clone	C-51			
Isotype	IgG1, kappa			
Molecular weight	52.5 kDa (CK8); 45 kDa (CK18)			
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 & KRT18			
Entrez gene ID	3856 (CK8); 3875 (CK18)			
SwissProt	P05787 (CK8); P05783 (CK18)			
Unigene	533782 & 708445 (CK8); 406013 (CK18)			
Immunogen	Cytoskeleton preparation from HeLa cells			
Antibody target cellular	Cytoskeleton			
Verified antibody applications	IHC (FFPE) (verified)			
Species reactivity	Cow, Human, Monkey, Pig, Sheep			
Expected antibody applications	IF (published for clone), WB (published for clone)			
Antibody application notes	Higher concentration may be required for direct detection using primary antibody conjugates than for indirect detection with secondary antibody.  Immunofluorescence: 1-2 ug/mL, Does not react with mouse, rat, ferret, rabbit, donkey, chicken, Xenopus; others not known, Immunohistology formalin-fixed 0.5-1.0 ug/mL, Staining of formalin-fixed 0.5-1.0 ug/mL, Staining of formalin-fixed tissues requires 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, Western blotting 0.5-1.0 ug/ml. Ordinal dilution for a specific			

Positive control	MCF-7 or A431 cells. Skin, Colon, lung or breast carcinoma			
Shipping condition	Room temperature			
Storage Conditions	Store at 2 to 8 °C, Protect fluorescent conjugates from light, Note: store BSA-free antibodies at -10 to -35 °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	Cancer, Cytoskeleton			
Cell/tissue expression	Epithelial cells			
Tumor expression	Breast cancer, Hepatocellular carcinoma, Paget cell marker, Sarcoma			

ug/mL, Optimal dilution for a specific application should be determined by user

Antibody # prefix BNC04	Conjugation CF®405S	Ex/Em (nm) 404/431	Laser line 405	Detection channel DAPI (microscopy), AF405	Dye Features 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
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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