## Cytokeratin 8/18 Monoclonal Mouse Antibody (KRT8/803 + KRT18/835)



## **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 cocktail 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.Immuno-histochemical staining with this MAb is indistinguishable from that obtained with monoclonal antibody 5D3.

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 <a href="mailto:order@biotium.com">order@biotium.com</a> to inquire about stock status and lead times before placing your order.

Catalog number key for antibody number 0979, Anti-Cytokeratin 8 (KRT8/803 KRT18/835)

## Product attributes

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| Product attributes                    |  |  |  |
|---------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Antibody number                       | #0979  |  |  |
| Antibody reactivity (target)          | Cytokeratin 8/18   |  |  |
| Antibody type                         | Primary  |  |  |
| Host species                          | Mouse  |  |  |
| Clonality                             | Monoclonal   |  |  |
| Clone                                 | KRT8/803 + KRT18/835   |  |  |
| Isotype                               | IgG's  |  |  |
| Molecular weight                      | 52.5 kDa (CK8); 45 kDa (CK18)  |  |  |
| Synonyms                              | p145; Steel Factor Receptor; Stem Cell Factor Receptor (SCF-Receptor); Mast Cell Growth Factor Receptor  |  |  |
| Human gene symbol                     | KRT8 & KRT18   |  |  |
| Entrez gene ID                        | 3856 (CK8); 3875 (CK18)  |  |  |
| SwissProt                             | P05787 (CK8); P05783 (CK18)  |  |  |
| Unigene                               | 533782 & 708445 (CK8); 406013 (CK18)   |  |  |
| Immunogen                             | Recombinant full-length human KRT8 protein (KRT8/803);<br>Recombinant full-length human KRT18 protein (KRT18/835)  |  |  |
| Antibody target cellular localization | Cytoskeleton   |  |  |
| Verified antibody applications        | IHC (FFPE) (verified)  |  |  |
| Species reactivity                    | Human  |  |  |
| 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, Immunohistology formalin-fixed 0.5-1.0 ug/mL, Staining of ormalin-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, Optimal dilution for a specific application should be determined by user |  |  |
| Positive control                      | MCF-7 or A431 cells. Skin, Colon, lung or breast carcinoma   |  |  |
| 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               | Cancer, Cytoskeleton   |  |  |
| 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                | Epithelial cells   |  |  |
| Tumor expression                      | Breast cancer, Hepatocellular carcinoma, Paget cell marker, Sarcoma  |  |  |

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| Antibody # prefix | Conjugation           | Ex/Em (nm) | Laser line | Detection channel           | Dye Features     |
|-------------------|-----------------------|------------|------------|-----------------------------|------------------|
| BNC04             | CF®405S               | 404/431    | 405        | DAPI (microscopy),<br>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,<br>BSA-free | N/A        | N/A        | N/A                         |                  |

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