

# Cytokeratin 8 Antibody

Purified Mouse Monoclonal Antibody

Catalog # AO1229a

## Product Information

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| <b>Application</b>       | WB, IHC, ICC, E   |
| <b>Primary Accession</b> | <a href="#">P05787</a>  |
| <b>Reactivity</b>        | Human   |
| <b>Host</b>              | Mouse   |
| <b>Clonality</b>         | Monoclonal  |
| <b>Clone Names</b>       | 8A5D12  |
| <b>Isotype</b>           | IgG1  |
| <b>Calculated MW</b>     | 53704   |
| <b>Description</b>       | Cytokeratin 8, also known as CK8, KRT8, K8. Entrez Protein NP_002264. It is a member of the type II keratin family. Type I and type II keratins heteropolymerize to form intermediate-sized filaments in the cytoplasm of epithelial cells. It typically dimerizes with keratin 18 to form an intermediate filament in simple single-layered epithelial cells. This protein plays a role in maintaining cellular structural integrity and also functions in signal transduction and cellular differentiation. Mutations in this gene cause cryptogenic cirrhosis. |
| <b>Immunogen</b>         | Purified recombinant fragment of human Cytokeratin (aa391-483) expressed in E. Coli.  |
| <b>Formulation</b>       | Ascitic fluid containing 0.03% sodium azide.  |

## Additional Information

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| <b>Gene ID</b>     | 3856   |
| <b>Other Names</b> | Keratin, type II cytoskeletal 8, Cytokeratin-8, CK-8, Keratin-8, K8, Type-II keratin Kb8, KRT8, CYK8                                     |
| <b>Dilution</b>    | WB~~1/500 - 1/2000 IHC~~1/500 - 1/2000 ICC~~N/A E~~N/A   |
| <b>Storage</b>     | Maintain refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 6 months. For long term storage store at -20°C in small aliquots to prevent freeze-thaw cycles. |
| <b>Precautions</b> | Cytokeratin 8 Antibody is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.                                 |

## Protein Information

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| <b>Name</b> | KRT8 |
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| <b>Synonyms</b>          | CYK8   |
| <b>Function</b>          | Together with KRT19, helps to link the contractile apparatus to dystrophin at the costameres of striated muscle.   |
| <b>Cellular Location</b> | Cytoplasm. Nucleus, nucleoplasm {ECO:0000250 UniProtKB:Q10758}.<br>Nucleus matrix {ECO:0000250 UniProtKB:Q10758}   |
| <b>Tissue Location</b>   | Observed in muscle fibers accumulating in the costameres of myoplasm at the sarcolemma membrane in structures that contain dystrophin and spectrin. Expressed in gingival mucosa and hard palate of the oral cavity. |

## References

1. Cancer Genet Cytogenet. 2007 Oct 15;178(2):94-103. 2. Cancer Lett. 2008 Jul 8;265(2):188-96.

## Images

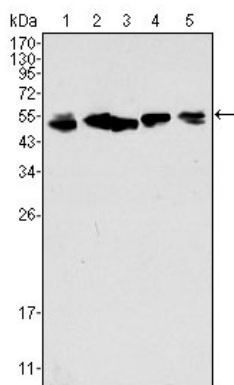


Figure 1: Western blot analysis using CK8 mouse mAb against A549 (1), HeLa (2), MCF-7 (3), A431 (4) and HepG2 (5) cell lysate.

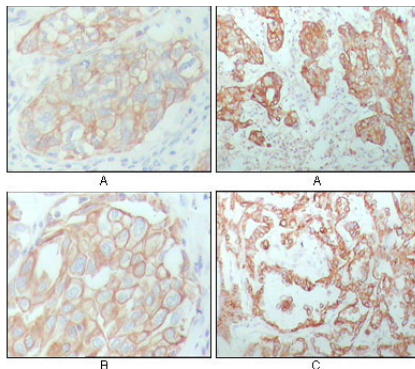


Figure 2: Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded human breast carcinoma (A), lung cancer (B) and ovarian cancer tissue (C), showing membrane and cytoplasmic localization with DAB staining using CK8 mouse mAb.

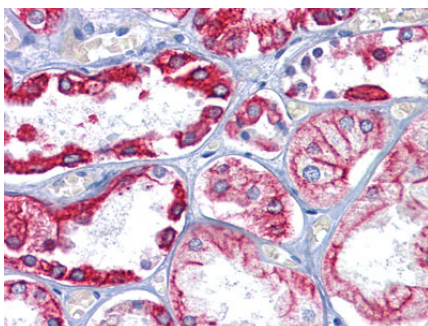
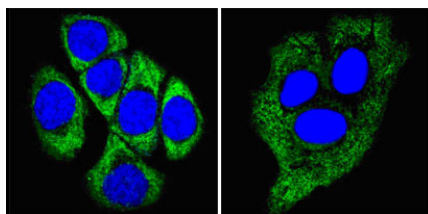


Figure 3: Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded human Kidney tissues using CK8 mouse mAb

Figure 4: Confocal immunofluorescence analysis of methanol-fixed ECA109 cells (left) and HepG2 cells (right) using CK8 mouse mAb (green), showing cytoplasmic



localization. Blue: DRAQ5 fluorescent DNA dye.

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