

# beta Actin Mouse Monoclonal Antibody

Mouse mAb Catalog # AP90038

## **Product Information**

**Application** WB **Primary Accession** P60709

Reactivity Rat, Plants, Human, Mouse, Rabbit, Zebrafish, Hamster, Monkey, Chicken,

Drosophila, Dog, Sheep

Clonality Monoclonal

**Other Names** ACTIN; ACTB; BETA-ACTIN; beta actin; actin beta;

Isotype Mouse IgG2b Host Mouse Calculated MW 41737

### Additional Information

Dilution WB 1:3000~1:10000 **Purification** Affinity-chromatography

**Immunogen** A synthesized peptide derived from human beta Actin

beta-Actin is one of six different actin isoforms that have been identified. The **Description** 

> actin molecules found in cells of various species and tissues tend to be very similar in their immunological and physical properties. Therefore, Antibodies against beta-Actin are useful as loading controls for Western Blotting. However it should be noted that levels of beta-Actin may not be stable in certain cells. For example, expression of beta-Actin in adipose tissue is very low and therefore it should not be used as loading control for these tissues. Mouse IgG in phosphate buffered saline, pH 7.4, 150mM NaCl, 0.02% sodium

**Storage Condition and Buffer** 

azide and 50% glycerol. Store at +4°C short term. Store at -20°C long term.

Avoid freeze / thaw cycle.

## **Protein Information**

Name **ACTB** 

**Function** Actin is a highly conserved protein that polymerizes to produce filaments

> that form cross-linked networks in the cytoplasm of cells (PubMed: 25255767, PubMed: 29581253). Actin exists in both monomeric (G-actin) and polymeric (F-actin) forms, both forms playing key functions, such as cell motility and contraction (PubMed: <u>29581253</u>). In addition to their role in the cytoplasmic cytoskeleton, G- and F- actin also localize in the nucleus, and regulate gene transcription and motility and repair of damaged DNA (PubMed:29925947). Plays a role in the assembly of the gamma-tubulin ring complex (gTuRC), which regulates the minus-end nucleation of alpha-beta tubulin heterodimers

that grow into microtubule protafilaments (PubMed: 39321809,

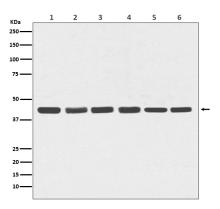
PubMed: 38609661). Part of the ACTR1A/ACTB filament around which the

dynactin complex is built (By similarity). The dynactin multiprotein complex activates the molecular motor dynein for ultra-processive transport along microtubules (By similarity).

### **Cellular Location**

Cytoplasm, cytoskeleton. Nucleus Note=Localized in cytoplasmic mRNP granules containing untranslated mRNAs.

## **Images**



Western blot analysis of beta Actin expression in (1) Hela; (2)Human fetal kidney lysate; (3) 3T3 cell lysate; (4) PC-12 cell lysate; (5) COS-1 cell lysate; (6) Goat muscle lysate.

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