

## Product datasheet

# Anti-galectin 9/Gal-9 antibody [EPR22214] - Low endotoxin, Azide free ab246797

Recombinant RabMAb

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### Overview

<b>Product name</b>	Anti-galectin 9/Gal-9 antibody [EPR22214] - Low endotoxin, Azide free
<b>Description</b>	Rabbit monoclonal [EPR22214] to galectin 9/Gal-9 - Low endotoxin, Azide free
<b>Host species</b>	Rabbit
<b>Specificity</b>	This antibody is not recommended for mouse and rat in IHC.
<b>Tested applications</b>	<b>Suitable for:</b> IHC-P, WB, ICC/IF, Flow Cyt <b>Unsuitable for:</b> IP
<b>Species reactivity</b>	<b>Reacts with:</b> Human
<b>Immunogen</b>	Synthetic peptide within Human galectin 9/Gal-9 aa 250-350. The exact sequence is proprietary. Database link: <a href="#">O00182</a>
<b>Positive control</b>	IHC-P: Human liver and colon tissue. ICC/IF: U937 cells. Flow Cyt: U937 cells.
<b>General notes</b>	ab246797 is a carrier-free antibody designed for use in antibody labeling, including fluorochromes, metal isotopes, oligonucleotides, enzymes.

Our [Low endotoxin, azide-free formats](#) have low endotoxin level ( $\leq 1$  EU/ml, determined by the LAL assay) and are free from azide, to achieve consistent experimental results in functional assays.

This product is a recombinant monoclonal antibody, which offers several advantages including:

- High batch-to-batch consistency and reproducibility
- Improved sensitivity and specificity
- Long-term security of supply
- Animal-free production

For more information [see here](#).

Our RabMAb<sup>®</sup> technology is a patented hybridoma-based technology for making rabbit monoclonal antibodies. For details on our patents, please refer to [RabMAb<sup>®</sup> patents](#).

Reproducibility is key to advancing scientific discovery and accelerating scientists' next breakthrough.

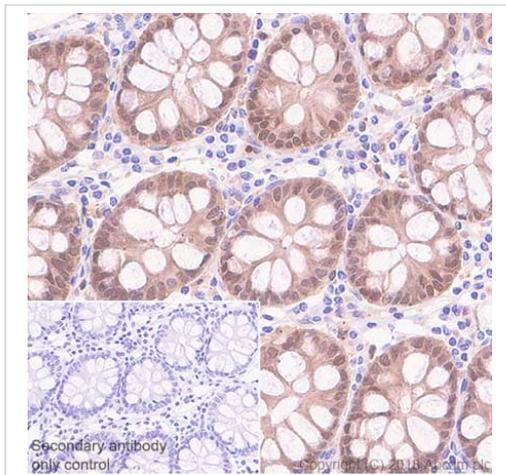
Abcam is leading the way with our range of recombinant antibodies, knockout-validated antibodies and knockout cell lines, all of which support improved reproducibility.



## Target

<b>Function</b>	Binds galactosides. Has high affinity for the Forssman pentasaccharide. May play a role in thymocyte-epithelial interactions relevant to the biology of the thymus. Inhibits cell proliferation. It is a ligand for HAVCR2/TIM3. Induces T-helper type 1 lymphocyte (Th1) death. Isoform Short acts as an eosinophil chemoattractant.
<b>Tissue specificity</b>	Peripheral blood leukocytes and lymphatic tissues. Overexpressed in Hodgkin disease tissue.
<b>Sequence similarities</b>	Contains 2 galectin domains.
<b>Domain</b>	Contains two homologous but distinct carbohydrate-binding domains.
<b>Cellular localization</b>	Cytoplasm. Secreted. May also be secreted by a non-classical secretory pathway.

## Images



Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffin-embedded sections) - Anti-galectin 9/Gal-9 antibody [EPR22214] - Low endotoxin, Azide free (ab246797)

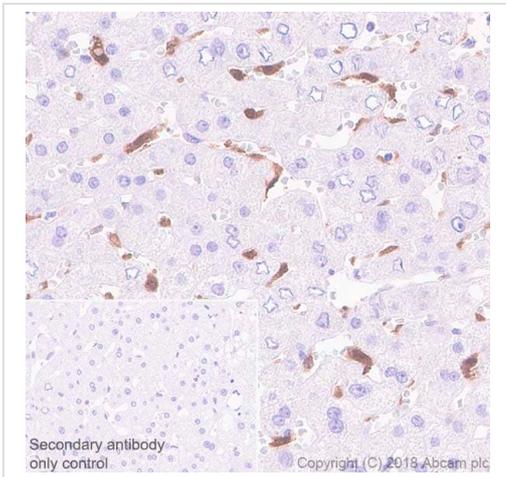
Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded human colon tissue labeling galectin 9/Gal-9 with [ab227046](#) at 1/1000 dilution, followed by a ready to use Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (HRP).

Nuclear and cytoplasmic staining on epithelial cells of human colon (PMID: 18202194) is observed. Counterstained with hematoxylin.

Secondary antibody only control: Used PBS instead of primary antibody, secondary antibody is a ready to use Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (HRP).

Perform heat mediated antigen retrieval using [ab93684](#) (Tris/EDTA buffer, pH 9.0).

This data was developed using the same antibody clone in a different buffer formulation containing PBS, BSA, glycerol, and sodium azide ([ab227046](#)).



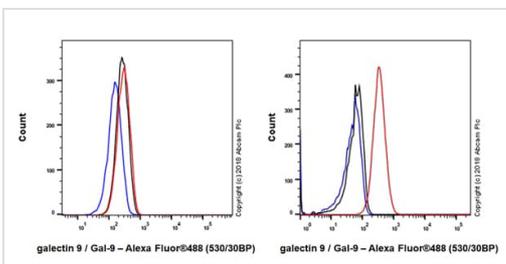
Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffin-embedded sections) - Anti-galectin 9/Gal-9 antibody [EPR22214] - Low endotoxin, Azide free (ab246797)

Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded human liver tissue labeling galectin 9/Gal-9 with [ab227046](#) at 1/1000 dilution, followed by a ready to use Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (HRP). Nuclear and cytoplasmic staining on Kupffer cells of human liver (PMID: 20209097, PMID: 18202194) is observed. Counterstained with hematoxylin.

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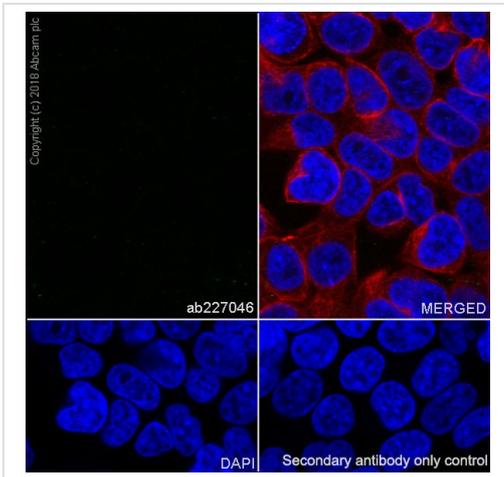


Flow Cytometry - Anti-galectin 9/Gal-9 antibody [EPR22214] - Low endotoxin, Azide free (ab246797)

Flow cytometric analysis of 4% paraformaldehyde-fixed, 90% methanol permeabilized PANC-1 (human pancreatic epithelial carcinoma cell line) (Left) / U937 (human histiocytic lymphoma cell line) (Right) cell line labeling galectin 9/Gal-9 with [ab227046](#) at 1/500 (red) compared with a Rabbit monoclonal IgG ([ab172730](#)) (black) and an unlabeled control (cells without incubation with primary antibody and secondary antibody) (blue). Goat anti rabbit IgG (Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 488, [ab150077](#)), at 1/2000 dilution was used as the secondary antibody.

**Negative Control** - PANC-1 cells.

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Immunocytochemistry/ Immunofluorescence - Anti-galectin 9/Gal-9 antibody [EPR22214] - Low endotoxin, Azide free (ab246797)

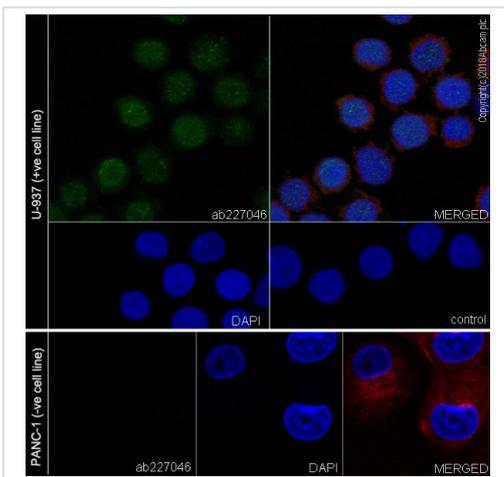
Immunofluorescent analysis of 4% paraformaldehyde-fixed, 0.1% Triton X-100 permeabilized HEK-293T (human epithelial cell line from embryonic kidney) cells labeling galectin 9/Gal-9 with [ab227046](#) at 1/250 dilution, followed by Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 488) ([ab150077](#)) secondary antibody at 1/1000 dilution (green).

Confocal image showing no staining in HEK-293T cells

**Negative control:** HEK-293T (PMID: 11698107). The nuclear counterstain is DAPI (blue).

Counterstained with [ab195889](#) Anti-alpha Tubulin antibody [DM1A] - Microtubule Marker (Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 594) at a 1/200 dilution (red).  
Secondary antibody only control: Used PBS instead of the primary antibody, followed by Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 488) ([ab150077](#)) secondary antibody at 1/1000 dilution.

This data was developed using the same antibody clone in a different buffer formulation containing PBS, BSA, glycerol, and sodium azide ([ab227046](#)).



Immunocytochemistry/ Immunofluorescence - Anti-galectin 9/Gal-9 antibody [EPR22214] - Low endotoxin, Azide free (ab246797)

Immunofluorescent analysis of 4% paraformaldehyde-fixed, 0.1% Triton X-100 permeabilized U937 (human histiocytic lymphoma cell line) cells labeling galectin 9/Gal-9 with [ab227046](#) at 1/250 dilution, followed by Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 488) ([ab150077](#)) secondary antibody at 1/1000 dilution (green).

Confocal image showing nuclear and weakly cytoplasmic staining in U-937 cells. The nuclear counterstain is DAPI (blue).

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PANC-1 (human pancreatic epithelial carcinoma cell line) cells stained in the same manner serve as a negative control.

This data was developed using the same antibody clone in a different buffer formulation containing PBS, BSA, glycerol, and sodium azide ([ab227046](#)).

### Why choose a recombinant antibody?



**Research with confidence**  
Consistent and reproducible results



**Long-term and scalable supply**  
Recombinant technology



**Success from the first experiment**  
Confirmed specificity



**Ethical standards compliant**  
Animal-free production

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