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## Product datasheet

## Alexa Fluor® 488 Anti-EHMT2/G9A antibody [EPR18894] ab218359

Recombinant RabMAb

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#### Overview

**Product name** Alexa Fluor® 488 Anti-EHMT2/G9A antibody [EPR18894]

**Description** Alexa Fluor® 488 Rabbit monoclonal [EPR18894] to EHMT2/G9A

**Host species** Rabbit

Conjugation Alexa Fluor® 488, Ex: 495nm, Em: 519nm

**Tested applications** Suitable for: ICC/IF Species reactivity Reacts with: Mouse

Predicted to work with: Rat, Human

Recombinant fragment within Human EHMT2/G9A aa 1-300. The exact immunogen sequence **Immunogen** 

> used to generate this antibody is proprietary information. If additional detail on the immunogen is needed to determine the suitability of the antibody for your needs, please contact our Scientific

Support team to discuss your requirements.

Database link: Q96KQ7

Run BLAST with Run BLAST with

Positive control ICC/IF: NIH3T3 cells

**General notes** 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® technology is a patented hybridoma-based technology for making rabbit monoclonal antibodies. For details on our patents, please refer to **RabMAb**® **patents**.

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## **Properties**

Form Liquid

Storage instructions Shipped at 4°C. Store at +4°C short term (1-2 weeks). Upon delivery aliquot. Store at -20°C.

Avoid freeze / thaw cycle. Store In the Dark.

Storage buffer pH: 7.40

Preservative: 0.02% Sodium azide

Constituents: 30% Glycerol (glycerin, glycerine), 1% BSA, PBS

Purity Protein A purified

ClonalityMonoclonalClone numberEPR18894

**Isotype** IgG

#### **Applications**

## The Abpromise guarantee

Our **Abpromise guarantee** covers the use of ab218359 in the following tested applications.

The application notes include recommended starting dilutions; optimal dilutions/concentrations should be determined by the end user.

Application	Abreviews	Notes
ICC/IF		1/100. This product gave a positive signal in NIH3T3 cells fixed with 4% formaldehyde (10 min)

## Target

### **Function**

Histone methyltransferase that specifically mono- and dimethylates 'Lys-9' of histone H3 (H3K9me1 and H3K9me2, respectively) in euchromatin. H3K9me represents a specific tag for epigenetic transcriptional repression by recruiting HP1 proteins to methylated histones. Also mediates monomethylation of 'Lys-56' of histone H3 (H3K56me1) in G1 phase, leading to promote interaction between histone H3 and PCNA and regulating DNA replication. Also weakly methylates 'Lys-27' of histone H3 (H3K27me). Also required for DNA methylation, the histone methyltransferase activity is not required for DNA methylation, suggesting that these 2 activities function independently. Probably targeted to histone H3 by different DNA-binding proteins like E2F6, MGA, MAX and/or DP1. May also methylate histone H1. In addition to the histone methyltransferase activity, also methylates non-histone proteins: mediates dimethylation of 'Lys-373' of p53/TP53. Also methylates CDYL, WIZ, ACIN1, DNMT1, HDAC1, ERCC6, KLF12 and itself.

#### Tissue specificity

Expressed in all tissues examined, with high levels in fetal liver, thymus, lymph node, spleen and

peripheral blood leukocytes and lower level in bone marrow.

Sequence similarities Belongs to the class V-like SAM-binding methyltransferase superfamily. Histone-lysine

methyltransferase family. Suvar3-9 subfamily.

Contains 7 ANK repeats.
Contains 1 post-SET domain.
Contains 1 pre-SET domain.
Contains 1 SET domain.

**Domain** The SET domain mediates interaction with WIZ.

The ANK repeats bind H3K9me1 and H3K9me2.

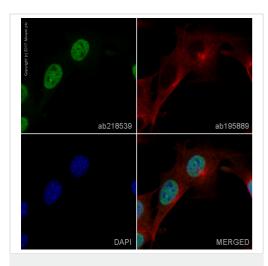
Post-translational modifications

Methylated at Lys-185; automethylated.

**Cellular localization** Nucleus. Chromosome. Associates with euchromatic regions. Does not associate with

heterochromatin.

#### **Images**



Immunocytochemistry/ Immunofluorescence - Alexa Fluor® 488 Anti-EHMT2/G9A antibody [EPR18894] (ab218359)

ab218359 staining EHMT2/G9A in NIH3T3 cells. The cells were fixed with 4% formaldehyde (10 min), permeabilized with 0.1% Triton X-100 for 5 minutes and then blocked with 1% BSA/10% normal goat serum/0.3M glycine in 0.1% PBS-Tween for 1h. The cells were then incubated overnight at +4°C with ab218359 at 1/100 dilution (shown in green) and <a href="mailto:ab195889">ab195889</a>, Mouse monoclonal to alpha Tubulin (Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 594), at 1/250 dilution (shown in red). Nuclear DNA was labelled with DAPI (shown in blue).

Image was taken with a confocal microscope (Leica-Microsystems, TCS SP8).



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