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# Product datasheet

# Alexa Fluor® 488 Anti-VCP antibody [EPR3307(2)] ab204289



RabMAb

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#### Overview

Product name Alexa Fluor® 488 Anti-VCP antibody [EPR3307(2)]

**Description** Alexa Fluor® 488 Rabbit monoclonal [EPR3307(2)] to VCP

Host species Rabbit

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

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

**Immunogen** Synthetic peptide within Human VCP aa 1-100. The exact immunogen sequence 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: P55072

Positive control ICC/IF: HeLa 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<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**.

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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.

Stable for 12 months at -20°C. Store In the Dark.

Storage buffer pH: 7.40

Preservative: 0.02% Sodium azide

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

Purity Protein A purified

Clonality Monoclonal
Clone number EPR3307(2)

**Isotype** IgG

#### **Applications**

#### The Abpromise guarantee

Our **Abpromise guarantee** covers the use of ab204289 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 HeLa cells fixed with 4% formaldehyde (10 min) and 100% methanol (5 min).

# **Target**

#### **Function**

Necessary for the fragmentation of Golgi stacks during mitosis and for their reassembly after mitosis. Involved in the formation of the transitional endoplasmic reticulum (tER). The transfer of membranes from the endoplasmic reticulum to the Golgi apparatus occurs via 50-70 nm transition vesicles which derive from part-rough, part-smooth transitional elements of the endoplasmic reticulum (tER). Vesicle budding from the tER is an ATP-dependent process. The ternary complex containing UFD1L, VCP and NPLOC4 binds ubiquitinated proteins and is necessary for the export of misfolded proteins from the ER to the cytoplasm, where they are degraded by the proteasome. The NPLOC4-UFD1L-VCP complex regulates spindle disassembly at the end of mitosis and is necessary for the formation of a closed nuclear envelope (By similarity). Regulates E3 ubiquitin-protein ligase activity of RNF19A.

#### Involvement in disease

Defects in VCP are the cause of inclusion body myopathy with early-onset Paget disease and frontotemporal dementia (IBMPFD) [MIM:167320]; also known as muscular dystrophy, limb-girdle, with Paget disease of bone or pagetoid amyotrophic lateral sclerosis or pagetoid neuroskeletal syndrome or lower motor neuron degeneration with Paget-like bone disease. IBMPFD features adult-onset proximal and distal muscle weakness (clinically resembling limb girdle muscular

dystrophy), early-onset Paget disease of bone in most cases and premature frontotemporal

dementia.

Sequence similarities Belongs to the AAA ATPase family.

Post-translational Phosphorylated by tyrosine kinases in response to T-cell antigen receptor activation (By modifications

similarity). Phosphorylated upon DNA damage, probably by ATM or ATR.

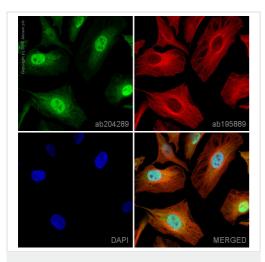
ISGylated.

**Cellular localization** Cytoplasm > cytosol. Nucleus. Present in the neuronal hyaline inclusion bodies specifically found

in motor neurons from amyotrophic lateral sclerosis patients. Present in the Lewy bodies

specifically found in neurons from Parkinson disease patients.

## **Images**

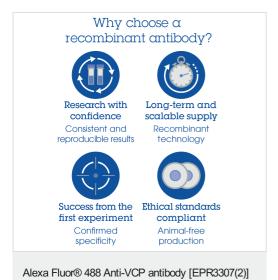


Immunocytochemistry/ Immunofluorescence - Alexa Fluor® 488 Anti-VCP antibody [EPR3307(2)] (ab204289)

ab204289 staining VCP in HeLa 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 ab204289 at a 1/100 dilution (shown in green) and ab195889, Mouse monoclonal to alpha Tubulin (Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 594), at a 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).

This product also gave a positive signal under the same testing conditions in HeLa cells fixed with 100% methanol (5 min).



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