


Product datasheet

Alexa Fluor® 488 Anti-Vimentin antibody [V9] - Cytoskeleton Marker ab195877

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Overview

Product name	Alexa Fluor® 488 Anti-Vimentin antibody [V9] - Cytoskeleton Marker
Description	Alexa Fluor® 488 Mouse monoclonal [V9] to Vimentin - Cytoskeleton Marker
Host species	Mouse
Conjugation	Alexa Fluor® 488. Ex: 495nm, Em: 519nm
Tested applications	Suitable for: Flow Cyt (Intra), ICC/IF
Species reactivity	Reacts with: Human Predicted to work with: Rat, Horse, Chicken, Cow, Cat, Dog, Pig 
Immunogen	Full length native protein (purified). This information is proprietary to Abcam and/or its suppliers.
Positive control	ICC/IF: HeLa cells. Flow Cyt (Intra): HeLa cells
General notes	<p>This monoclonal antibody to vimentin has been knockout validated in ICC/IF. The expected staining for vimentin was observed in wild type cells and no staining was seen in vimentin knockout cells.</p> <p>Alexa Fluor® is a registered trademark of Molecular Probes, Inc, a Thermo Fisher Scientific Company. The Alexa Fluor® dye included in this product is provided under an intellectual property license from Life Technologies Corporation. As this product contains the Alexa Fluor® dye, the purchase of this product conveys to the buyer the non-transferable right to use the purchased product and components of the product only in research conducted by the buyer (whether the buyer is an academic or for-profit entity). As this product contains the Alexa Fluor® dye the sale of this product is expressly conditioned on the buyer not using the product or its components, or any materials made using the product or its components, in any activity to generate revenue, which may include, but is not limited to use of the product or its components: (i) to provide a service, information, or data in return for payment (ii) for therapeutic, diagnostic or prophylactic purposes; or (iii) for resale, regardless of whether they are sold for use in research. For information on purchasing a license to this product for purposes other than research, contact Life Technologies Corporation, 5781 Van Allen Way, Carlsbad, CA 92008 USA or outlicensing@thermofisher.com.</p> <p>The Life Science industry has been in the grips of a reproducibility crisis for a number of years. Abcam is leading the way in addressing this with our range of recombinant monoclonal antibodies and knockout edited cell lines for gold-standard validation. Please check that this product meets</p>

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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. 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	Immunogen affinity purified
Clonality	Monoclonal
Clone number	V9
Isotype	IgG1

Applications

The Abpromise guarantee Our **Abpromise guarantee** covers the use of ab195877 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
Flow Cyt (Intra)		1/500.
ICC/IF		1/1000.

Target

Function	Vimentins are class-III intermediate filaments found in various non-epithelial cells, especially mesenchymal cells. Vimentin is attached to the nucleus, endoplasmic reticulum, and mitochondria, either laterally or terminally. Involved with LARP6 in the stabilization of type I collagen mRNAs for CO1A1 and CO1A2.
Tissue specificity	Highly expressed in fibroblasts, some expression in T- and B-lymphocytes, and little or no expression in Burkitt's lymphoma cell lines. Expressed in many hormone-independent mammary carcinoma cell lines.
Involvement in disease	Cataract 30
Sequence similarities	Belongs to the intermediate filament family.
Domain	The central alpha-helical coiled-coil rod region mediates elementary homodimerization. The [IL]-x-C-x-x-[DE] motif is a proposed target motif for cysteine S-nitrosylation mediated by the iNOS-S100A8/A9 transnitrosylase complex.
Post-translational	Filament disassembly during mitosis is promoted by phosphorylation at Ser-55 as well as by

modifications

nestin (By similarity). One of the most prominent phosphoproteins in various cells of mesenchymal origin. Phosphorylation is enhanced during cell division, at which time vimentin filaments are significantly reorganized. Phosphorylation by PKN1 inhibits the formation of filaments. Phosphorylated at Ser-56 by CDK5 during neutrophil secretion in the cytoplasm. Phosphorylated by STK33.

O-glycosylated during cytokinesis at sites identical or close to phosphorylation sites, this interferes with the phosphorylation status.

S-nitrosylation is induced by interferon-gamma and oxidatively-modified low-density lipoprotein (LDL(ox)) possibly implicating the iNOS-S100A8/9 transnitrosylase complex.

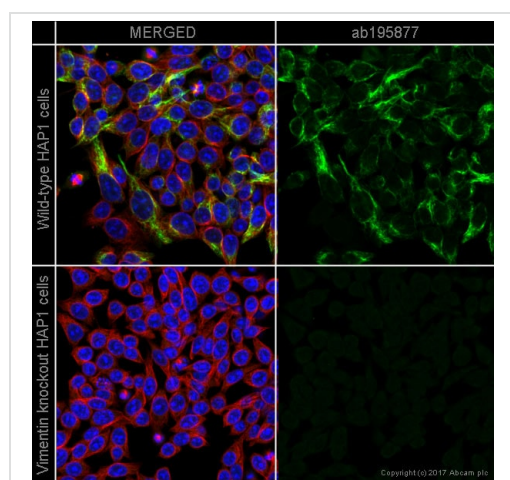
Cellular localization

Cytoplasm.

Form

Vimentin is found in connective tissue and in the cytoskeleton.

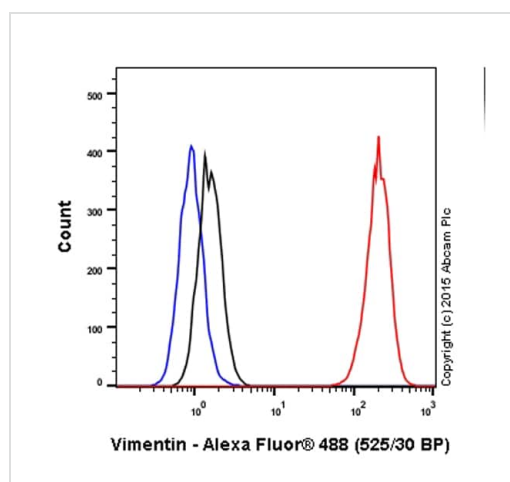
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Immunocytochemistry/ Immunofluorescence - Alexa Fluor® 488 Anti-Vimentin antibody [V9] - Cytoskeleton Marker (ab195877)

ab195877 staining Vimentin (shown in green) in wild-type HAP1 cells (top panel) and Vimentin knockout HAP1 cells (bottom panel). The cells were fixed with 100% methanol (5min), 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 with ab195877 at 1/1000 dilution (shown in green) and **ab195889** at 1/250 dilution (shown in pseudo colour red) overnight at +4°C. Nuclear DNA was labelled in blue with DAPI.

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



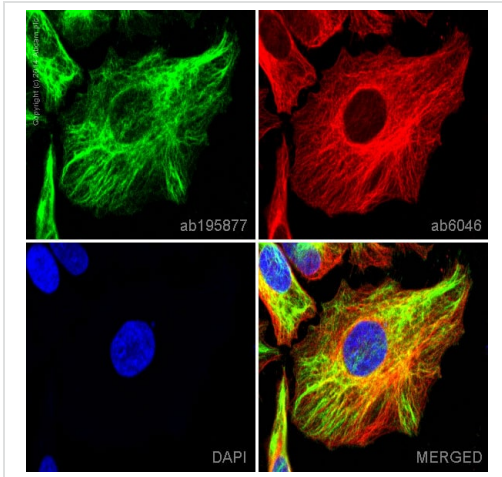
Flow Cytometry (Intracellular) - Alexa Fluor® 488 Anti-Vimentin antibody [V9] - Cytoskeleton Marker (ab195877)

Overlay histogram showing HeLa cells stained with ab195877 (red line). The cells were fixed with 80% methanol (5 min) and then permeabilized with 0.1% PBS-Tween for 20 min. The cells were then incubated in 1x PBS / 10% normal goat serum / 0.3M glycine to block non-specific protein-protein interactions followed by the antibody (ab195877, 1/500 dilution) for 30 min at 22°C.

Isotype control antibody (black line) was mouse IgG1 (monoclonal) Alexa Fluor® 488 (**ab171463**) used at the same concentration and conditions as the primary antibody. Unlabelled sample (blue line) was also used as a control.

Acquisition of >5,000 events were collected using a 20mW Argon ion laser (488nm) and 525/30 bandpass filter. This antibody gave a positive signal in HeLa cells fixed with 4% formaldehyde (10 min)/permeabilized with 0.1% PBS-Tween for 20 min used under

the same conditions.



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ab195877 staining Vimentin in HeLa cells. The cells were fixed with 4% formaldehyde (10 min), permeabilized in 0.1% Triton X-100 for 5 minutes and then blocked in 1% BSA/10% normal goat serum/0.3M glycine in 0.1%PBS-Tween for 1h. The cells were then incubated with ab195877 at 1/1000 dilution (shown in green) and **ab6046**, Rabbit polyclonal to beta Tubulin at 1µg/ml overnight at +4°C. Ab150088, Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (Alexa Fluor® 594) preadsorbed, was then incubated at 2µg/ml for 1h at room temperature (shown in red) Nuclear DNA was labelled in blue with DAPI.

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

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

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