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# Product datasheet

# Anti-beta Actin antibody [SP124] - BSA and Azide free ab242387





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#### Overview

**Product name** Anti-beta Actin antibody [SP124] - BSA and Azide free

**Description** Rabbit monoclonal [SP124] to beta Actin - BSA and Azide free

**Host species** Rabbit

Specificity The immunogen used for this product shares 71% homology with Gamma actin/actin cytoplasmic

2 and 64% homology with cardiac, smooth, and skeletal muscle actin. Cross-reactivity with these

proteins has not been confirmed experimentally.

**Tested applications** Suitable for: Flow Cyt (Intra), WB, IHC-P, ICC/IF

Species reactivity Reacts with: Mouse, Rat, Human

Predicted to work with: Rabbit, Chicken, Cow, Dog, Pig

**Immunogen** Synthetic peptide. This information is proprietary to Abcam and/or its suppliers.

Positive control IHC-P: Human Placenta, Human placenta, Mouse placenta, and Rat placenta tissue; Flow Cyt

(intra): HeLa, NIH/3T3, and C6 cells; ICC: NIH/3T3, and C6 cells.

General notes ab242387 is the carrier-free version of ab115777.

> Our carrier-free antibodies are typically supplied in a PBS-only formulation, purified and free of BSA, sodium azide and glycerol. The carrier-free buffer and high concentration allow for

increased conjugation efficiency.

This conjugation-ready format is designed for use with fluorochromes, metal isotopes, oligonucleotides, and enzymes, which makes them ideal for antibody labelling, functional and cellbased assays, flow-based assays (e.g. mass cytometry) and Multiplex Imaging applications.

Use our conjugation kits for antibody conjugates that are ready-to-use in as little as 20 minutes with <1 minute hands-on-time and 100% antibody recovery: available for fluorescent dyes, HRP, biotin and gold.

This product is compatible with the Maxpar® Antibody Labeling Kit from Fluidigm, without the need for antibody preparation. Maxpar<sup>®</sup> is a trademark of Fluidigm Canada Inc.

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.

This product is FOR RESEARCH USE ONLY. For commercial use, please contact partnerships@abcam.com.

# **Properties**

Form Liquid

**Storage instructions** Shipped at 4°C. Store at +4°C. Do Not Freeze.

Storage buffer pH: 7.20

Constituent: PBS

Carrier free Yes

Purity Protein A/G purified

**Purification notes** Purified from TCS by protein A/G.

Clonality Monoclonal
Clone number SP124

**Isotype** IgG

# **Applications**

The Abpromise guarantee

Our **Abpromise guarantee** covers the use of ab242387 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)		Use at an assay dependent concentration. <b>ab172730</b> - Rabbit monoclonal lgG, is suitable for use as an isotype control with this antibody.
WB		Use at an assay dependent concentration. Predicted molecular weight: 42 kDa.
IHC-P	<b>★★★★</b> (1)	Use at an assay dependent concentration. Perform heat mediated antigen retrieval before commencing with IHC staining protocol.  Boil tissue section in 10mM citrate buffer, pH 6.0 for 10 min followed by cooling at room temperature for 20 min.
ICC/IF		Use at an assay dependent concentration.

## **Target**

**Function** Actins are highly conserved proteins that are involved in various types of cell motility and are

ubiquitously expressed in all eukaryotic cells.

Involvement in disease Defects in ACTB are a cause of dystonia juvenile-onset (DYTJ) [MIM:607371]. DYTJ is a form of

dystonia with juvenile onset. Dystonia is defined by the presence of sustained involuntary muscle contraction, often leading to abnormal postures. DYTJ patients manifest progressive, generalized, dopa-unresponsive dystonia, developmental malformations and sensory hearing loss.

Cytoplasm > cytoskeleton. Localized in cytoplasmic mRNP granules containing untranslated

Belongs to the actin family.

Post-translational ISGylated.

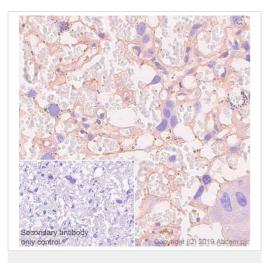
modifications

Sequence similarities

Cellular localization Cytoplasm > cytoskeleton. Localized in cytoplasm

mRNAs.

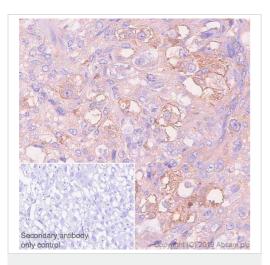
#### **Images**



Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffinembedded sections) - Anti-beta Actin antibody
[SP124] - BSA and Azide free (ab242387)

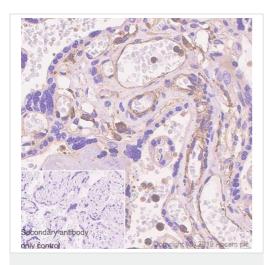
Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffin-embedded sections) analysis of Rat placenta tissue sections labeling beta Actin with <u>ab115777</u> at 1/100 dilution (0.68 µg/ml). Heat mediated antigen retrieval was performed Heat mediated antigen retrieval with citrate sodium buffer (pH 6.0, epitope retrieval solution 1) for 10mins. Goat Anti-Rabbit & Mouse IgG (HRP) was used as the secondary antibody. Negative control: PBS instead of the primary antibody. Hematoxylin was used as a counterstain.

This data was developed using the same antibody clone in a different buffer formulation containing PBS, BSA, glycerol, and sodium azide (ab115777)



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Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffin-embedded sections) analysis of Mouse placenta tissue sections labeling beta Actin with <u>ab115777</u> at 1/200 dilution (0.34 µg/ml). Heat mediated antigen retrieval was performed Heat mediated antigen retrieval with citrate sodium buffer (pH 6.0, epitope retrieval solution 1) for 10mins. Goat Anti-Rabbit & Mouse lgG (HRP) was used as the secondary antibody. Negative control: PBS instead of the primary antibody. Hematoxylin was used as a counterstain. This data was developed using the same antibody clone in a different buffer formulation containing PBS, BSA, glycerol, and sodium azide (ab115777)

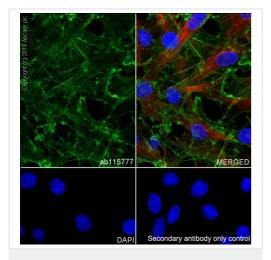


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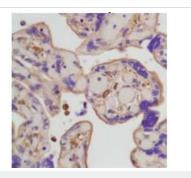
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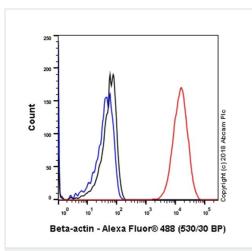
Immunocytochemistry/ Immunofluorescence analysis of C6 (rat glial tumor glial cell) cells labeling beta Actin with purified <u>ab115777</u> at 1:50 (2.28 µg/ml). Cells were fixed in 4% paraformaldehyde and permeabilized with 0.1% Triton X-100. Cells were counterstained with Ab195889 Anti-alpha Tubulin antibody [DM1A] - Microtubule Marker (Alexa Fluor® 594) 1:200 (2.5 µg/ml). Goat anti rabbit lgG (Alexa Fluor® 488, <u>ab150077</u>) was used as the secondary antibody at 1:1000 (2 µg/ml) dilution. DAPI nuclear counterstain. PBS instead of the primary antibody was used as the secondary antibody only control. This data was developed using the same antibody clone in a different buffer formulation containing PBS, BSA, glycerol, and sodium azide (ab242387)



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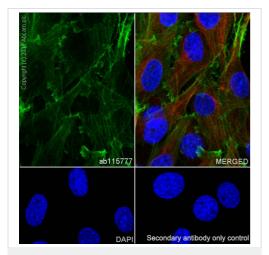
Staining of Human beta Actin in a Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffinembedded section of Human Placenta using **ab115777** at a dilution of 1/200.

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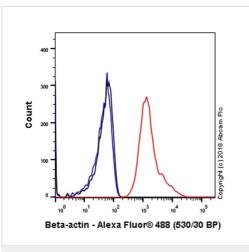
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Intracellular Flow Cytometry analysis of C6 (rat glial tumor glial cell) cells labeling beta Actin with purified ab115777 at 1/200 dilution (0.57 µg/ml) - Red. Cells were fixed with 4% paraformaldehyde . A Goat anti rabbit lgG (Alexa Fluor 488, ab150081) secondary antibody was used at 1/2000 dilution. Isotype control - Rabbit monoclonal lgG (ab172730) - Black. Unlabeled control - Blue. This data was developed using the same antibody clone in a different buffer formulation containing PBS, BSA, glycerol, and sodium azide (ab242387)



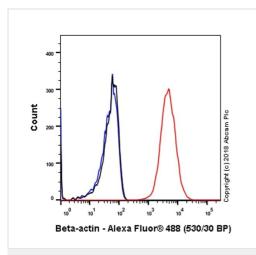
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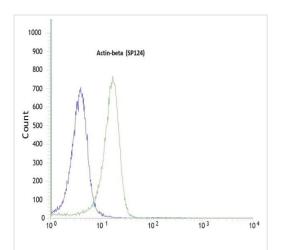
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Intracellular Flow Cytometry analysis of HeLa (human cervix adenocarcinoma epithelial cell) cells labeling beta Actin with purified <a href="mailto:ab115777">ab115777</a> at 1/200 dilution (0.57 µg/ml) - Red. Cells were fixed with 4% paraformaldehyde . A Goat anti rabbit lgG (Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 488, <a href="mailto:ab150081">ab150081</a>) secondary antibody was used at 1/2000 dilution. Isotype control - Rabbit monoclonal lgG (<a href="mailto:ab172730">ab172730</a>) - Black. Unlabeled control - Blue. This data was developed using the same antibody clone in a different buffer formulation containing PBS, BSA, glycerol, and sodium azide (ab242387)



Flow Cytometry (Intracellular) - Anti-beta Actin antibody [SP124] - BSA and Azide free (ab242387)

Intracellular flow cytometric analysis of rabbit anti-beta Actin (SP124) antibody <u>ab115777</u> (1/100) in HeLa cells (green) compared to negative control of rabbit lgG (blue)

This data was developed using the same antibody clone in a different buffer formulation containing PBS, BSA, and sodium azide (ab115777).



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