

Anti-Cytokeratin 18 antibody [SPM510] ab233914

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Overview

Product name	Anti-Cytokeratin 18 antibody [SPM510]
Description	Mouse monoclonal [SPM510] to Cytokeratin 18
Host species	Mouse
Tested applications	Suitable for: IHC-P
Species reactivity	Reacts with: Human Does not react with: Mouse, Rat, Sheep, Hamster, Cow, Dog, Pig
Immunogen	Tissue, cells or virus corresponding to Human Cytokeratin 18. (Human breast cancer PMC 42 cells).
Positive control	IHC-P: Human breast carcinoma tissue.
General notes	<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 your needs before purchasing.</p> <p>If you have any questions, special requirements or concerns, please send us an inquiry and/or contact our Support team ahead of purchase. Recommended alternatives for this product can be found below, along with publications, customer reviews and Q&As</p>

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 long term. Avoid freeze / thaw cycle.
Storage buffer	pH: 7.2 Preservative: 0.05% Sodium azide Constituents: PBS, 0.05% BSA
Purity	Protein A/G purified
Purification notes	Purified from Bioreactor Concentrate by Protein A/G.
Clonality	Monoclonal
Clone number	SPM510
Isotype	IgG1

Applications

The Abpromise guarantee

Our **Abpromise guarantee** covers the use of ab233914 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
IHC-P		Use a concentration of 0.5 - 1 µg/ml. Perform heat mediated antigen retrieval with citrate buffer pH 6 before commencing with IHC staining protocol. Primary incubation for 30 minutes at RT.

Target

Function

Involved in the uptake of thrombin-antithrombin complexes by hepatic cells (By similarity). When phosphorylated, plays a role in filament reorganization. Involved in the delivery of mutated CFTR to the plasma membrane. Together with KRT8, is involved in interleukin-6 (IL-6)-mediated barrier protection.

Tissue specificity

Expressed in colon, placenta, liver and very weakly in exocervix. Increased expression observed in lymph nodes of breast carcinoma.

Involvement in disease

Defects in KRT18 are a cause of cirrhosis (CIRRH) [MIM:215600].

Sequence similarities

Belongs to the intermediate filament family.

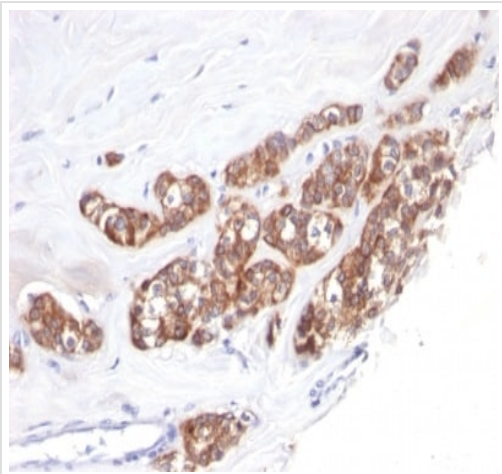
Post-translational modifications

Phosphorylation at Ser-34 increases during mitosis. Hyperphosphorylated at Ser-53 in diseased cirrhosis liver. Phosphorylation increases by IL-6.
Proteolytically cleaved by caspases during epithelial cell apoptosis. Cleavage occurs at Asp-238 by either caspase-3, caspase-6 or caspase-7.
O-glycosylated at multiple sites; glycans consist of single N-acetylglucosamine residues.

Cellular localization

Cytoplasm > perinuclear region.

Images



Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffin-embedded sections) - Anti-Cytokeratin 18 antibody [SPM510] (ab233914)

Formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded human breast carcinoma tissue stained for Cytokeratin 18 using ab233914 at 1 µg/ml in immunohistochemical analysis.

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