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### Product datasheet

## Anti-DNA:RNA hybrid antibody [S9.6] ab234957

Recombinant

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Overview

Product name Anti-DNA:RNA hybrid antibody [S9.6]

**Description** Mouse monoclonal [S9.6] to DNA:RNA hybrid

Host species Mouse

**Specificity** The S9.6 monoclonal recognizes DNA-RNA hybrids (also known as R-loops) and does not bind to

single or double stranded DNA (PubMed IDs: 2422282, 16614443). The antibody has high affinity for DNA-RNA hybrids but also binds RNA-RNA hybrids that are AU-rich (PubMed ID: 23784994). The specificity of the antibody appears to be determined by a combination of sequence and structural dependency since R-loop sequence affects binding affinity (PubMed ID: 28594954). It is important to use controls such as RNase A treatment in light of the cross-reactivity with double stranded RNA. Please see our DNA-RNA-IP (DRIP) protocol for further information. We do not recommend using this antibody for imaging applications such as ICC-IF, IHC or Flow due to the

cross-reactivity with double stranded RNA.

**Tested applications** Suitable for: IP, Dot blot

Unsuitable for: ICC/IF or IHC-P

Species reactivity Reacts with: Species independent

Immunogen Chemical/ Small Molecule. This information is considered to be commercially sensitive.

Positive control DRIP: R-Loop. Dot blot: R-Loop.

General notes The pCALM3 2 vector used to generate R-loops was kindly provided by Prof. Frederic Chedin at

UC Davis. The pCALM3\_2 plasmid carries a 789bp fragment of the human CALM3 region that forms R-loops (PubMed ID: 31053798) cloned between T3 and T7 RNA polymerase promoter sequences. Transcription by T3 RNA polymerase leads to R-loop formation. Transcription by T7

RNA polymerase does not allow R-loop formation.

Our DNA-RNA immunoprecipitation (DRIP) protocol is linked here.

This antibody clone is manufactured by Abcam. If you require a custom buffer formulation or

conjugation for your experiments, please contact orders@abcam.com.

**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

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term. Avoid freeze / thaw cycle.

Storage buffer pH: 7.2

Preservative: 0.01% Sodium azide

Constituents: PBS, 40% Glycerol, 0.05% BSA

Purity Protein A purified

**Clonality** Monoclonal

Clone numberS9.6IsotypeIgG2aLight chain typekappa

#### **Applications**

**The Abpromise guarantee** Our <u>Abpromise guarantee</u> covers the use of ab234957 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                                                                                                                     |
|-------------|-----------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| IP          |           | 1/200. DNA-RNA hybrid Immunoprecipitation. Please find the DNA-RNA immunoprecipitation (DRIP) protocol link <b>here</b> . |
| Dot blot    |           | 1/1000.                                                                                                                   |

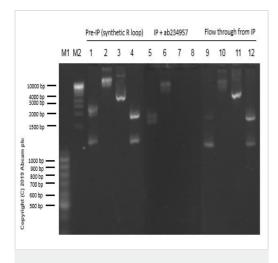
**Application notes** Is unsuitable for ICC/IF or IHC-P.

#### **Target**

**Relevance** DNA-RNA hybrids occur naturally in eukaryotic cells, Particularly at sites of high transcriptional

activity.

#### **Images**



Immunoprecipitation - Anti-DNA:RNA hybrid antibody [S9.6] (ab234957)

DNA-RNA hybrid Immunoprecipitation (DRIP) data using ab234957.

M1: 100bp DNA ladder

M2: High Range DNA Ladder

Lane 1: R-Loop ApaLI (RNase A treated)

Lane 2: R-Loop (RNase A treated)

Lane 3:R-Loop (RNase A+H treated)

Lane 4: R-Loop ApaLI (RNase A+H treated)

Lane 5: ab234957 with R-Loop ApaLI (RNase A treated)

Lane 6: ab234957 with R-Loop(RNase A treated)

Lane 7: ab234957 with R-Loop(RNase A+H treated)

Lane 8: ab234957 with R-Loop ApaLI (RNase A+H treated)

Lane 9-12: Flow through from IP

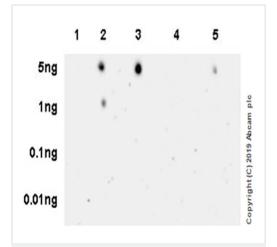
Capture antibody: 5 µg

Blocking buffer and concentration: 7.5 µg ssDNA.

Diluting buffer and concentration: PBS containing 0.1% Triton X-100.

A synthetic vector (pCALM3\_2) was used to generate R-loops. ab234957 immunoprecipitates R-loops in the presence or absence of prior digestion by ApaLI, which does not affect R-loop structure. Prior treatment with RNase A (digests single stranded RNA) does not affect the IP signal whereas prior treatment with RNase H (digests RNA in DNA-RNA hybrids) eliminates the signal.

The pCALM3\_2 vector used to generate R-loops was kindly provided by Prof. Frederic Chedin at UC Davis.



Dot Blot - Anti-DNA:RNA hybrid antibody [S9.6] (ab234957)

Dot blot analysis with ab234957 at 1/1000 dilution.

Lane 1: untranscribed plasmid.

Lane 2: R-Loop.

Lane 3: R-Loop (RNase A treated).

Lane 4: R-Loop (RNase A+H treated).

Lane 5: R-Loop (DNase I treated).

Goat Anti-Mouse IgG (H+L) at 1/10000 dilution was used as secondary antibody.

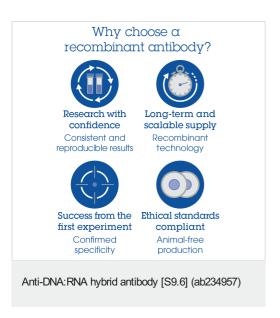
Blocking/Dilution buffer: 5% NFDM/TBST.

Exposure time: 3 minutes.

pCALM3\_2 was cloned in pFC53 in the T7 orientation, but it forms

R-loops transcribed in the reverse direction (that is with T3 promoter). DNase I has been shown to be less effective at digesting DNA in DNA-RNA hybrids compared to double stranded DNA (PubMed ID: 9020884). Prior treatment with DNase I reduced the signal by dot blot but did not eliminate it.

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