

## Product datasheet

### Anti-KDEL antibody [EPR12668] ab176333

Recombinant **RabMAb**

★★★★★ **3 Abreviews** **16 References** [9 Images](#)

#### Overview

<b>Product name</b>	Anti-KDEL antibody [EPR12668]
<b>Description</b>	Rabbit monoclonal [EPR12668] to KDEL
<b>Host species</b>	Rabbit
<b>Tested applications</b>	<b>Suitable for:</b> Flow Cyt (Intra), WB, IHC-P, ICC/IF
<b>Species reactivity</b>	<b>Reacts with:</b> Mouse, Rat, Human
<b>Immunogen</b>	Synthetic peptide. This information is proprietary to Abcam and/or its suppliers.
<b>Positive control</b>	293T, MCF-7, Raji, HepG2, HeLa, Jurkat, and K562 cell lysates. MCF7 and HeLa cells. Paraffin-embedded Human heart and kidney tissue.
<b>General notes</b>	<p>This product is a recombinant monoclonal antibody, which offers several advantages including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- High batch-to-batch consistency and reproducibility</li> <li>- Improved sensitivity and specificity</li> <li>- Long-term security of supply</li> <li>- Animal-free production</li> </ul> <p>For more information <a href="#">see here</a>.</p> <p>Our RabMAb<sup>®</sup> technology is a patented hybridoma-based technology for making rabbit monoclonal antibodies. For details on our patents, please refer to <a href="#">RabMAb<sup>®</sup> patents</a>.</p>

#### Properties

<b>Form</b>	Liquid
<b>Storage instructions</b>	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.
<b>Storage buffer</b>	<p>pH: 7.20</p> <p>Preservative: 0.01% Sodium azide</p> <p>Constituents: 40% Glycerol (glycerin, glycerine), 0.06% BSA, 59% PBS</p>
<b>Purity</b>	Protein A purified
<b>Clonality</b>	Monoclonal
<b>Clone number</b>	EPR12668
<b>Isotype</b>	IgG

## Applications

### The Abpromise guarantee

Our [Abpromise guarantee](#) covers the use of ab176333 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)		1/10 - 1/100. <b>ab172730</b> - Rabbit monoclonal IgG, is suitable for use as an isotype control with this antibody.
WB	★★★★★ (2)	1/1000 - 1/10000. Predicted molecular weight: 25 kDa.
IHC-P		1/50 - 1/350. Perform heat mediated antigen retrieval with Tris/EDTA buffer pH 9.0 before commencing with IHC staining protocol. See <a href="#">IHC antigen retrieval protocols</a> .
ICC/IF	★★★★★ (1)	1/100 - 1/250.

## Target

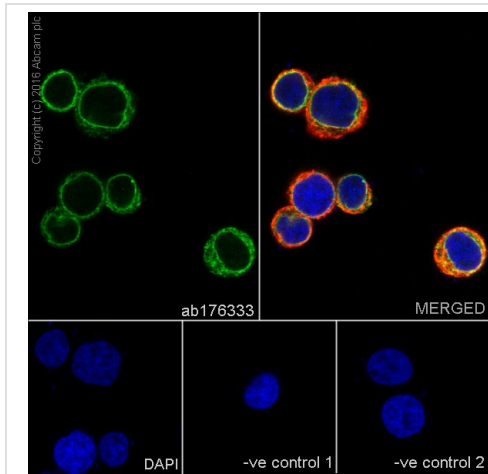
### Relevance

The sequence Lys-Asp-Glu-Leu (KDEL) or a closely related sequence, is present at the carboxy-terminus of soluble endoplasmic reticulum (ER) resident proteins and some membrane proteins. 78 and 94 kDa glucose regulated proteins (GRP 78) and GRP 94 respectively and protein disulfide isomerase (PDI) all share the C-terminal KDEL sequence. The presence of carboxy-terminal KDEL appears to be necessary for ER retention and appears to be sufficient to reduce the secretion of proteins from the ER. This retention is reported to be mediated by a KDEL receptor.

### Cellular localization

Endoplasmic reticulum

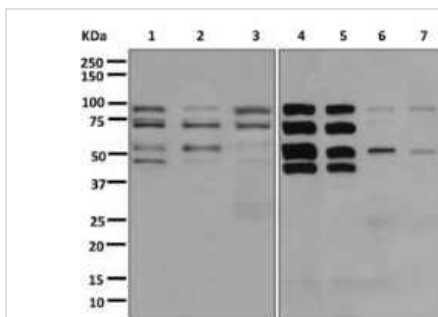
## Images



Immunocytochemistry/ Immunofluorescence - Anti-KDEL antibody [EPR12668] (ab176333)

Immunocytochemistry/Immunofluorescence analysis of Jurkat cells labelling KDEL with purified ab176333 at 1/200. Cells were fixed with 4% Paraformaldehyde and permeabilized using 0.1% Triton X-100. **ab150077**, Alexa Fluor® 488-conjugated goat anti-rabbit IgG (1/1000) was used as the secondary antibody. Cells were co-stained with **ab7291**, a mouse anti-tubulin antibody (1/1000) using **ab150120**, an Alexa Fluor® 594-conjugated goat anti-mouse IgG (1/1000) as the secondary. Nuclei were counterstained with DAPI (blue).

For negative control 1, **ab150120** (Rabbit primary antibody) and anti-mouse secondary antibody were used and for negative control 2, **ab7291** (Mouse primary antibody) and **ab150077** (anti-rabbit secondary antibody) were used.



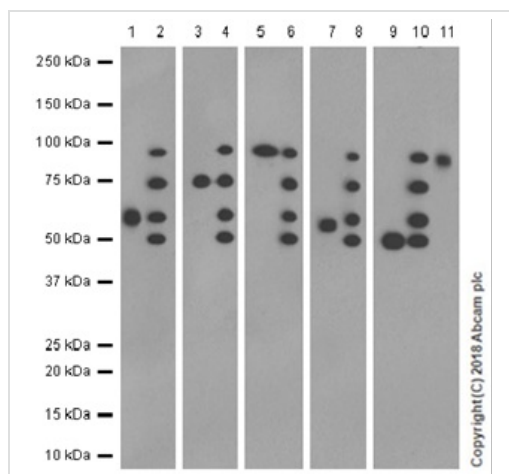
Western blot - Anti-KDEL antibody [EPR12668] (ab176333)

**All lanes** : Anti-KDEL antibody [EPR12668] (ab176333) at 1/1000 dilution

- Lane 1** : 293T cell lysate
- Lane 2** : MCF7 cell lysate
- Lane 3** : Raji cell lysate
- Lane 4** : HepG2 cell lysate
- Lane 5** : HeLa cell lysate
- Lane 6** : Jurkat cell lysate
- Lane 7** : K562 cell lysate

Lysates/proteins at 10 µg per lane.

**Predicted band size:** 25 kDa



Western blot - Anti-KDEL antibody [EPR12668]  
(ab176333)

**Lane 1** : Anti-P4HB antibody [EPR9498] ([ab137119](#)) at 1/5000 dilution

**Lanes 2 & 4 & 6 & 8 & 10** : Anti-KDEL antibody [EPR12668] (ab176333) at 1/5000 dilution

**Lane 3** : Anti-GRP78 BiP antibody [EPR4040(2)] ([ab108613](#)) at 1/5000 dilution

**Lane 5** : Anti-GRP94 antibody [EPR3988] ([ab108606](#)) at 1/5000 dilution

**Lane 7** : Anti-ERp57 antibody [EPR10678(B)] ([ab154191](#)) at 1/5000 dilution

**Lane 9** : Anti-PDIA6 antibody [EPR10132(B)] ([ab154820](#)) at 1/5000 dilution

**Lane 11** : Anti-LEPRE1/P3H1 antibody [EPR10193(B)] ([ab154799](#)) at 1/5000 dilution

**All lanes** : HepG2 (Human hepatocellular carcinoma epithelial cell) whole cell lysate with 5% NFDm/TBST

Lysates/proteins at 20 µg per lane.

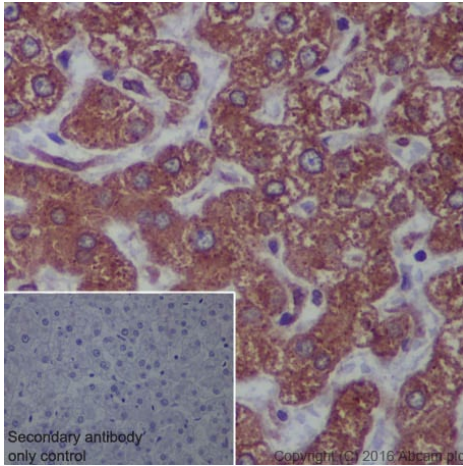
### Secondary

**All lanes** : Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG, (H+L), Peroxidase conjugated at 1/20000 dilution

**Predicted band size:** 25 kDa

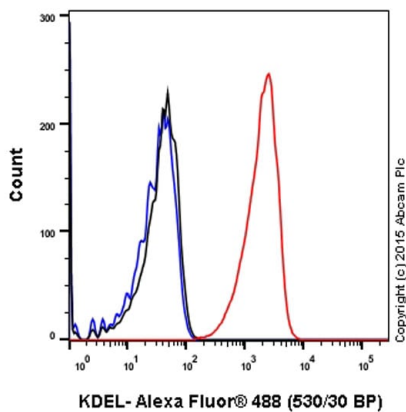
**Exposure time:** 3 minutes

ab176333 detected several bands which have similar MWs with some proteins containing carboxyl terminal KDEL motifs, including P4HB, GRP78 BiP, GRP94, PDIA6 and LEPRE1 (PMID: 25683117, PMID: 19741001, PMID: 22079671, PMID: 28648146, PMID: 22615817). It indicates that ab176333 might recognize these proteins.



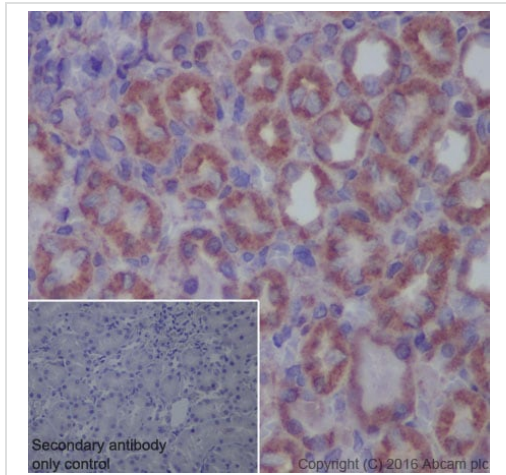
Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffin-embedded sections) - Anti-KDEL antibody [EPR12668] (ab176333)

Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded human liver sections labelling KDEL with purified ab176333 at dilution of 1:350. The secondary antibody used was **ab97051**; a goat anti-rabbit IgG H&L (HRP) at dilution of 1/500. The sample was counterstained with hematoxylin. Antigen retrieval was performed using EDTA Buffer; pH 9.0. PBS was used instead of the primary antibody as the negative control and is shown in the inset.



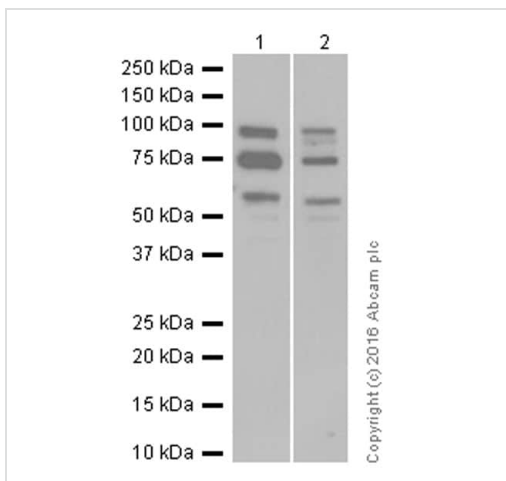
Flow Cytometry (Intracellular) - Anti-KDEL antibody [EPR12668] (ab176333)

Overlay histogram showing 4% paraformaldehyde fixed HeLa cells labelling KDEL (red) with purified ab176333 at dilution of 1/100. The secondary antibody used was Alexa Fluor® 488 goat-anti-rabbit IgG at dilution of 1/2000. A non-specific IgG antibody (rabbit monoclonal) was used as isotype control (black). The blue line shows cells without incubation with primary antibody and secondary antibody.



Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded rat kidney sections labelling KDEL with purified ab176333 at dilution of 1:350. The secondary antibody used was **ab97051**; a goat anti-rabbit IgG H&L (HRP) at dilution of 1/500. The sample was counterstained with hematoxylin. Antigen retrieval was performed using EDTA Buffer; pH 9.0. PBS was used instead of the primary antibody as the negative control and is shown in the inset.

Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffin-embedded sections) - Anti-KDEL antibody [EPR12668] (ab176333)



Western blot - Anti-KDEL antibody [EPR12668] (ab176333)

**All lanes** : Anti-KDEL antibody [EPR12668] (ab176333) at 1/10000 dilution

**Lane 1** : Raw264.7 whole cell lysate

**Lane 2** : C6 whole cell lysate

Lysates/proteins at 20 µg per lane.

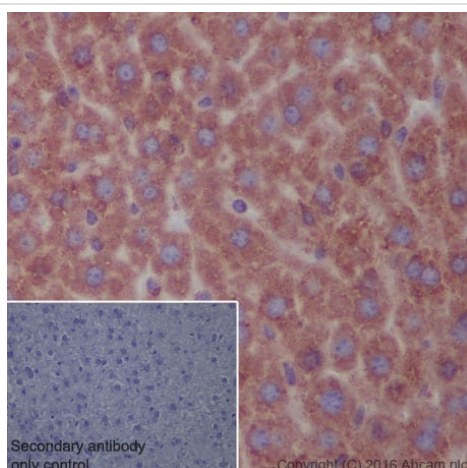
#### Secondary

**All lanes** : Anti-Rabbit IgG (HRP), specific to the non-reduced form of IgG at 1/2000 dilution

**Predicted band size:** 25 kDa

**Observed band size** : 94,78,57,48

Blocking/Diluting buffer 5% NFDM/TBST



Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded mouse liver sections labelling KDEL with purified ab176333 at dilution of 1:350. The secondary antibody used was **ab97051**; a goat anti-rabbit IgG H&L (HRP) at dilution of 1/500. The sample was counterstained with hematoxylin. Antigen retrieval was performed using EDTA Buffer; pH 9.0. PBS was used instead of the primary antibody as the negative control and is shown in the inset.

Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffin-embedded sections) - Anti-KDEL antibody [EPR12668] (ab176333)

#### Why choose a recombinant antibody?



**Research with confidence**  
Consistent and reproducible results



**Long-term and scalable supply**  
Recombinant technology



**Success from the first experiment**  
Confirmed specificity



**Ethical standards compliant**  
Animal-free production

Anti-KDEL antibody [EPR12668] (ab176333)

**Please note:** All products are "FOR RESEARCH USE ONLY. NOT FOR USE IN DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURES"

#### Our Abpromise to you: Quality guaranteed and expert technical support

- Replacement or refund for products not performing as stated on the datasheet
- Valid for 12 months from date of delivery
- Response to your inquiry within 24 hours
- We provide support in Chinese, English, French, German, Japanese and Spanish
- Extensive multi-media technical resources to help you
- We investigate all quality concerns to ensure our products perform to the highest standards

If the product does not perform as described on this datasheet, we will offer a refund or replacement. For full details of the Abpromise, please visit <https://www.abcam.com/abpromise> or contact our technical team.

## Terms and conditions

---

- Guarantee only valid for products bought direct from Abcam or one of our authorized distributors