



Product Information Sheet

Monoclonal Anti-Filensin

Catalogue No. MA1041 Immunogen

Human and bovine lens filament enriched fraction (plasma

Lot No. 08A12 membrane-cytoskeleton complex).

Purification

Clone: FIL-27 Purified by the goat anti-mouse IgG affinity chromatography.

Application

Ig type: mouse IgG1 Western blot

At 1-2µg/ml with the appropriate system to detect filensin in cells

Size: 100µg/vial and tissues.

Immunohistochemistry(F)

Specificity At 2-4µg/ml to detect filensin in formalin or acetone fixed tissues.

Human. Other applications have not been tested.

No cross reactivity with other Optimal dilutions should be determined by end user.

proteins.

Formulation

Lyophilized from 1.2% sodium acetate, with 2mg BSA and 0.01mg

NaN₃ as preservative.

Recommended application
Western blot

Immunohistochemistry(F)

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Reconstitution

1.2% sodium acetate or neutral PBS. If 1ml of PBS is used, the

antibody concentration will be 100µg/ml.

Storage

At -20 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ for one year. After reconstitution, at 4 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ for one month. It

can also be aliquotted and stored frozen at -20°C for longer time.

BACKGROUND

Filensin, also known as beaded filament structure protein 1, have two major component BFSP1 and BESP2. Filensin gene is mapped at 20p12.1-p11.23. The sequence of the predicted 665-amino acid human protein is 62% and 50% identical to those of bovine and chicken filensin, respectively. However, it has less than 26% identity to other members of the intermediate filament (IF) family.

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