

# Beta-2 Microglobulin (Renal Failure & Tumor Marker) Antibody - With BSA and Azide Mouse Monoclonal Antibody [Clone 246-E9.E7; same as HLA.ABC.m2 ] Catalog # AH12123

#### **Specification**

### Beta-2 Microglobulin (Renal Failure & Tumor Marker) Antibody - With BSA and Azide - Product Information

Application IF, FC
Primary Accession P61769
Other Accession 567, 534255
Reactivity Human
Host Mouse
Clonality Monoclonal

Isotype Mouse / IgG2a, kappa

Calculated MW 12kDa KDa

### Beta-2 Microglobulin (Renal Failure & Tumor Marker) Antibody - With BSA and Azide - Additional Information

Gene ID 567

#### **Other Names**

Beta-2-microglobulin, Beta-2-microglobulin form pl 5.3, B2M

#### **Application Note**

<span class ="dilution\_IF">IF $\sim$ 1:50 $\sim$ 200/span><br/>br \><span class ="dilution FC">FC $\sim$ 1:10 $\sim$ 50/span>

#### Storage

Store at 2 to 8°C. Antibody is stable for 24 months.

#### **Precautions**

Beta-2 Microglobulin (Renal Failure & Tumor Marker) Antibody - With BSA and Azide is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

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Name B2M (HGNC:914)

#### **Function**

Component of the class I major histocompatibility complex (MHC). Involved in the presentation of peptide antigens to the immune system. Exogenously applied M.tuberculosis EsxA or EsxA-EsxB (or EsxA expressed in host) binds B2M and decreases its export to the cell surface (total protein levels do not change), probably leading to defects in class I antigen presentation (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/25356553" target="blank">25356553</a>).

#### **Cellular Location**



Secreted. Cell surface. Note=Detected in serum and urine (PubMed:1336137, PubMed:7554280). {ECO:0000269|PubMed:7554280, ECO:0000269|Ref.6}

### Beta-2 Microglobulin (Renal Failure & Tumor Marker) Antibody - With BSA and Azide - Protocols

Provided below are standard protocols that you may find useful for product applications.

- Western Blot
- Blocking Peptides
- Dot Blot
- Immunohistochemistry
- Immunofluorescence
- Immunoprecipitation
- Flow Cytomety
- Cell Culture

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# Beta-2 Microglobulin (Renal Failure & Tumor Marker) Antibody - With BSA and Azide - Background

Recognizes a protein of 12kDa, identified as  $\beta$ -microglobulin.  $\beta$ -microglobulin non-covalently associates with the 44kDa chain to form the HLA Class I antigen complex. Human  $\beta$ -2 microglobulin associated with HLA Class I antigens is expressed on many types of cells including lymphocytes, thymocytes, monocytes, granulocytes, platelets, endothelial cells, and epithelial cells. It is absent on erythrocytes. This MAb is specific to human  $\beta$ -2 microglobulin and does not react with non-human primate cells. This antibody reacts with all cell types excluding erythrocytes. The detection of  $\beta$ -2 microglobulin in body fluids has been used as a tumor marker and for monitoring patients with HIV infection.

## Beta-2 Microglobulin (Renal Failure & Tumor Marker) Antibody - With BSA and Azide - References

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