

BM5050P**Monoclonal Antibody to Vimentin - Purified**

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| Alternate names: | VIM |
| Quantity: | 0.1 mg |
| Concentration: | 1.0 mg/ml |
| Background: | Vimentin (57 kDa) is the intermediate filament protein (IFP) of mesenchymal cells. This IFP, often deviates from the tissue-specific and developmentally regulated pattern of expression. Besides its typical expression in most cultured cells, vimentin is also expressed together with several other IFPs during early stages of development. As differentiation proceeds, vimentin is exchanged for the tissue-specific intermediate filament type. |
| Uniprot ID: | P08670 |
| NCBI: | NP_003371.2 |
| GeneID: | 7431 |
| Host / Isotype: | Mouse / IgG1 |
| Recommended Isotype Controls: | SM10P (for use in human samples), SM20P (for use in rat samples), AM03095PU-N |
| Clone: | V9 |
| Immunogen: | V9 is an antibody derived by fusion of PA1 mouse myeloma cells with spleen cells from a BALB/c mouse immunized with Vimentin isolated from Porcine lens. |
| Format: | State: Liquid purified IgG fraction Buffer System: PBS with 0.09% Sodium Azide as preservative |
| Applications: | Immunoblotting. Flow Cytometry. Immunocytochemistry. Immunohistochemistry on Frozen Sections. Immunohistochemistry on Paraffin-Embedded Sections. <i>Recommended Dilutions:</i> 1/25–1/200 for Flow Cytometry, and for immunohistochemistry with avidin-biotinylated horseradish peroxidase complex (ABC) as detection reagent, and 1/100–1/1000 for immunoblotting applications. Other applications not tested. Optimal dilutions are dependent on conditions and should be determined by the user. |
| Specificity: | The antibody clone V9 reacts exclusively with vimentin, which is expressed in mesenchymal cells and mesenchymal derived tumors e.g. lymphoma, sarcoma and melanoma. |
| Species Reactivity: | Tested: Human, Rat, Chicken, Sheep and Potoroo |
| Storage: | Store undiluted at 2-8°C for one month or (in aliquots) at -20°C for longer. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing. Shelf life: one year from despatch. |

General Readings:

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