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## 36-1641: Monoclonal Antibody to Bcl-2 (Apoptosis & Follicular Lymphoma Marker)(Clone: 8C8)

Clonality: Monoclonal

Clone Name: 8C8

**Application:** FACS,IF,WB,IHC

Reactivity: Human
Gene: BCL2
Gene ID: 596
Uniprot ID: P10415
Format: Purified
Alternative Name: BCL2

**Isotype:** Mouse IgG1, kappa

Immunogen Information: A synthetic peptide, aa41-54 (GAAPAPGIFSSQPG-Cys) of human Bcl-2 protein.

## **Description**

This antibody recognizes a protein of 25-26kDa, identified as the bcl-2  $\alpha$  oncoprotein. It shows no cross-reaction with Bcl-x or Bax protein. Expression of bcl-2  $\alpha$  oncoprotein inhibits the programmed cell death (apoptosis). In most follicular lymphomas, neoplastic germinal centers express high levels of bcl-2  $\alpha$  protein, whereas the normal or hyperplastic germinal centers are negative. Consequently, this antibody is valuable when distinguishing between reactive and neoplastic follicular proliferation in lymph node biopsies. It may also be used in distinguishing between those follicular lymphomas that express bcl-2 protein and the small number in which the neoplastic cells are bcl-2 negative.

## **Product Info**

**Amount :** 100 μg

**Purification:** Affinity Chromatography

**Content:** 100 μg in 500 μl PBS containing 0.05% BSA and 0.05% sodium azide. Sodium azide is highly

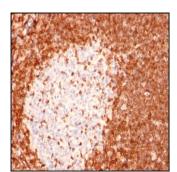
toxic.

**Storage condition :** Store the antibody at 4°C; stable for 6 months. For long-term storage; store at -20°C. Avoid

repeated freeze and thaw cycles.

## **Application Note**

Flow Cytometry (1-2ug/million cells); ,Immunofluorescence (1-2ug/ml); Western Blot (1-2ug/ml); ,Immunohistochemistry (Formalin-fixed) (1-2ug/ml for 30 minutes at RT),(Staining of formalin-fixed tissues requires heating tissue sections in 10mM Tris with 1mM EDTA, pH 9.0, for 45 min at 95 &degC followed by cooling at RT for 20 minutes),

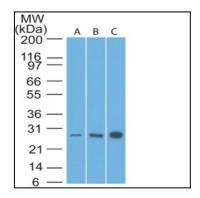


Formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded human tonsil stained with Bcl-2 Monoclonal Antibody (8C8). Note cell membrane and cytoplasmic staining.



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Western Blot of Bcl-2 in human A) HeLa, B) A549 and C) MCF7 Lysate using Bcl-2 Monoclonal Antibody (8C8).