GFAP Monoclonal Mouse Antibody (GA-5 + ASTRO/789)



Product Description

This MAb recognizes a protein of ~50 kDa which is identified as Glial Fibrillary Acidic Protein (GFAP). It shows no cross-reaction with other intermediate filament proteins. GFAP is specifically found in astroglia. GFAP is a very popular marker for localizing benign astrocyte and neoplastic cells of glial origin in the central nervous system. Antibody to GFAP is useful in differentiating primary gliomas from metastatic lesions in the brain and for documenting astrocytic differentiation in tumors outside the CNS.

Primary antibodies are available purified, or with a selection of fluorescent CF® dyes and other labels. CF® dyes offer exceptional brightness and photostability. See the CF® Dye Brochure for more information. Note: Conjugates of blue fluorescent dyes like CF®405S and CF®405M are not recommended for detecting low abundance targets, because blue dyes have lower fluorescence and can give higher non-specific background than other dye colors.

Stock status: Because Biotium offers a large number of antibody and conjugation options, primary antibody conjugates may be made to order. Typical lead times are up to one week for CF® dye and biotin conjugates, and up to 2-3 weeks for fluorescent protein and enzyme conjugates. Please email order@biotium.com to inquire about stock status and lead times before placing your order.

Catalog number key for antibody number 0898, Anti-GFAP (GA-5 ASTRO/789)

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Product attributes

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Antibody number	#0898			
Antibody reactivity (target)	GFAP			
Antibody type	Primary			
Host species	Mouse			
Clonality	Monoclonal			
Clone	GA-5 + ASTRO/789			
Isotype	IgG's			
Molecular weight	~50 kDa			
Synonyms	Astrocyte or Intermediate Filament Protein, Glial Fibrillary Acidie Protein (GFAP)			
Human gene symbol	GFAP			
Entrez gene ID	2670			
SwissProt	P14136			
Unigene	514227			
Immunogen	GFAP isolated from pig spinal cord (GA-5); Recombinant GFAP protein (ASTRO/789)			
Verified antibody applications	IHC (FFPE) (verified), WB (verified)			
Antibody target cellular localization	Cytoskeleton			
Species reactivity	Chicken, Cow, Human, Mouse, Pig, Rabbit, Rat			
Antibody application notes	Higher concentration may be required for direct detection using primary antibody conjugates than for indirect detection with secondary antibody, Immunofluorescence: 1-2 ug/mL, Immunohistology formalin-fixed 0.25-0.5 ug/mL, Staining of formalin-fixed tissues requires boiling tissue sections in 10 mM citrate buffer, pH 6.0, for 10-20 min followed by cooling at RT for 20 minutes, Flow Cytometry 0.5-1 ug/ml. optimal diutorn for a specific application should be determined by user			
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Antibody # prefix	Conjugation	Ex/Em (nm)	Laser line	Detection channel	Dye Features
BNC04	CF®405S	404/431	405	DAPI (microscopy), AF405	CF®405S Features
BNC88	CF®488A	490/515	488	GFP, FITC	CF®488A Features
BNC68	CF®568	562/583	532, 561	RFP, TRITC	CF®568 Features
BNC94	CF®594	593/614	561	Texas Red®	CF®594 Features
BNC40	CF®640R	642/662	633-640	Cy®5	CF®640R Features
BNC47	CF®647	650/665	633-640	Cy®5	CF®647 Features
BNC74	CF®740	742/767	633-685	775/50	CF®740 Features
BNCB	Biotin	N/A	N/A	N/A	
BNUB	Purified	N/A	N/A	N/A	
BNUM	Purified, BSA-free	N/A	N/A	N/A	

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