Novocastra™ Liquid Mouse Monoclonal Antibody bcl-2 Oncoprotein

Product Code: NCL-L-bcl-2

Intended Use
FOR RESEARCH USE ONLY. NOT FOR USE IN DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURES.

Specificity
Human bcl-2 oncoprotein.

Clone
bcl-2/100/D5

Ig Class
IgG1

Antigen Used for Immunizations
Synthetic peptide sequence (GAAPAPGIFSSQPGC-COOH).

Hybridoma Partner
Mouse myeloma (p3-NS1-Ag4-1).

Preparation
Liquid tissue culture supernatant containing sodium azide. Volume as indicated on vial label.

Effective on Frozen Tissue
Yes

Effective on Paraffin Wax Embedded Tissue
Yes

Recommendations on Use
Immunohistochemistry on paraffin sections.


Suggested dilution: 1:100 for 30 minutes at 25 °C. This is provided as a guide and users should determine their own optimal working dilutions.

Visualization: Please follow the instructions for use in the Novolink™ Polymer Detection Systems. For further product information or support, contact your local distributor or regional office of Leica Biosystems, or alternatively, visit the Leica Biosystems web site, www.LeicaBiosystems.com

The performance of this antibody should be validated when utilized with other manual staining systems or automated platforms.

Western Blotting: Typical working dilution 1:25–1:50.

Positive Controls
Immunohistochemistry: Tonsil.
Western Blotting: Bristol 8 cell line.

Staining Pattern
Membrane and/or cytoplasmic.

Storage and Stability
Store at 2–8 °C. Do not freeze. Return to 2–8 °C immediately after use. Do not use after expiration date indicated on the vial label. Storage conditions other than those specified above must be verified by the user.

Warnings and Precautions
This reagent has been prepared from the supernatant of cell culture. As it is a biological product, reasonable care should be taken when handling it. This reagent contains sodium azide. A Material Safety Data Sheet is available upon request or available from www.LeicaBiosystems.com

General Overview
bcl-2 is an inner mitochondrial membrane protein that acts as an inhibitor of apoptosis. Apoptosis forms part of the normal pathway of B cell production. Consequently, bcl-2 expression is inhibited in the B cells of germinal centers unless they have been activated by signals which prevent their entry into apoptosis.
General References