

## **Product datasheet for BM5043**

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# KRT6A Mouse Monoclonal Antibody [Clone ID: Ks6.KA12]

#### **Product data:**

**Product Type:** Primary Antibodies

Clone Name: Ks6.KA12
Applications: IHC, WB

Recommended Dilution: Immunoblotting (Western blot).

**Immunohistochemistry on Frozen and Paraffin Embedded Sections** after formalin fixation (microwave treatment improves performance). After reconstitution, dilute the

antibody further 1/10 with PBS for Immunohistochemical applications.

Incubation Time: 1h at RT, extended with Paraffin.

Reactivity: Human, Mouse

Host: Mouse Isotype: IgG1

Clonality: Monoclonal

**Immunogen:** Keratin K6 of Human callus cytoskeletal preparation.

**Specificity:** The antibody is suitable for discrimination of keratinizing and non-keratinizing squamous cell

carcinoma versus e. g. poorly differentiated adenocarcinoma.

Clone Ks6.KA12 represents an excellent marker for non-keratinized squamous epithelia and

proliferating cells of epidermis (e.g. within psoriatic lesions).

Reacts with a Mr 56000 polypeptide (keratin K6, formerly also designated cytokeratin 6) of

squamous epithelia.

**Tested Reactivities on Cultured Cell Lines**: A-431, Detroit 562 and SCC-12.

**Formulation:** PBS, pH 7.4

State: Purified

State: Lyophilized purified Ig fraction

Stabilizer: 0.5% BSA

Preservative: 0.09% Sodium Azide

**Reconstitution Method:** Restore in 1 ml distilled water.

**Purification:** Affinity Chromatography on Protein A

**Conjugation:** Unconjugated





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**Storage:** Store lyophilized at 2-8°C for 6 months or at -20°C long term.

After reconstitution store the antibody undiluted at 2-8°C for one month

or (in aliquots) at -20°C long term. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing.

**Stability:** Shelf life: one year from despatch.

Gene Name: keratin 6A

Database Link: Entrez Gene 3853 Human

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**Background:** Keratins 6 and 16 are expressed in keratinocytes, which are undergoing rapid turnover in the

suprabasal region (also known as hyperproliferation related keratins). Keratin 6 is found in hair follicles, neck squamous cell carcinomas, suprabasal cells of a variety of internal

stratified epithelia, in epidermis, in both normal and hyperproliferative situations. Epidermal injury results in activation of keratinocytes which express CK6 and CK16. CK6 is strongly expressed in about 75% of head and neck squamous cell carcinomas. Expression of CK6 is

particularly associated with differentiation.

There are at least six isoforms of human type II keratin 6 (K6), K6A being the most abundant

representing about 77% of all forms found in epithelia.

Synonyms: Cytokeratin 6, KRT-6, K6, KRT6A, KRT6D, KRT6B, KRT6C, KRT6E, KRTL1