

## DESCRIPTION

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| <b>Species Reactivity</b> | Mouse                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>Specificity</b>        | Detects endogenous mouse Bad in Western blots. In Western blots, this antibody does not cross-react with human Bad. The antibody also detects a 32 kDa band in Western blots.                                                                                               |
| <b>Source</b>             | Monoclonal Rat IgG <sub>2A</sub> Clone # 64103                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>Purification</b>       | Protein A or G purified from hybridoma culture supernatant                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>Immunogen</b>          | <i>E. coli</i> -derived recombinant mouse Bad                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| <b>Conjugate</b>          | Alexa Fluor 350<br>Excitation Wavelength: 346 nm<br>Emission Wavelength: 442 nm                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>Formulation</b>        | Supplied 0.2mg/ml in 1X PBS with RDF1 and 0.09% Sodium Azide<br><br>*Contains <0.1% Sodium Azide, which is not hazardous at this concentration according to GHS classifications. Refer to the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for additional information and handling instructions. |

## APPLICATIONS

**Please Note:** Optimal dilutions should be determined by each laboratory for each application. [General Protocols](#) are available in the Technical Information section on our website.

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| <b>Western Blot</b>        | Optimal dilution of this antibody should be experimentally determined. |
| <b>Immunocytochemistry</b> | Optimal dilution of this antibody should be experimentally determined. |

## PREPARATION AND STORAGE

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| <b>Shipping</b>                | The product is shipped with polar packs. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended below. |
| <b>Stability &amp; Storage</b> | Protect from light. Do not freeze. 12 months from date of receipt, 2 to 8 °C as supplied                          |

## BACKGROUND

Bcl-2 antagonist of cell death (Bad) is an 18 kDa cytoplasmic protein in the Bcl-2 family. It functions as a pro-apoptotic molecule by dimerizing with and inhibiting the anti-apoptotic proteins Bcl-2 and Bcl-xL. Prosurvival signals trigger the phosphorylation of Bad on Ser75, Ser99, and Ser115, disrupting its interaction with Bcl-2 and Bcl-xL and resulting in protection from apoptosis. Phosphorylation of Ser75 and Ser99 is also required for the ability of Bad to induce cell cycle arrest in G1. Human Bad shares 75 % aa sequence identity with mouse and rat Bad.

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