

DESCRIPTION

Species Reactivity	Human/Mouse
Specificity	Detects mouse Bcl-6 in direct ELISAs. In direct ELISAs, 50-100% cross-reactivity with recombinant mouse (rm) Bcl-6b is observed. No cross-reactivity with rmBcl-2a, rmBcl-x, recombinant human (rh) Bcl-2, -2-L12, -3, -9, 9-2, -10, -11a, -11b, -w, or -xL is observed.
Source	Monoclonal Rat IgG _{2B} Clone # 603406
Purification	Protein A or G purified from hybridoma culture supernatant
Immunogen	<i>E.coli</i> -derived recombinant mouse Bcl-6 Glu522-696 Accession # Q8CB25
Formulation	Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution in PBS with Trehalose. See Certificate of Analysis for details.

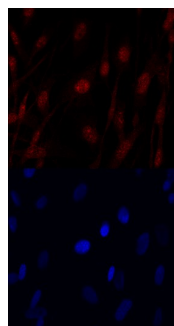
APPLICATIONS

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.

	Recommended Concentration	Sample
Immunocytochemistry	8-25 µg/mL	See Below
Intracellular Staining by Flow Cytometry	2.5 µg/10 ⁶ cells	See Below

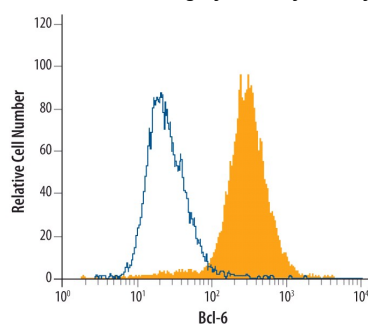
DATA

Immunocytochemistry



Bcl-6 in NIH-3T3 Mouse Cell Line. Bcl-6 was detected in immersion fixed NIH-3T3 mouse embryonic fibroblast cell line using Mouse Bcl-6 Monoclonal Antibody (Catalog # MAB5046) at 10 µg/mL for 3 hours at room temperature. Cells were stained using the NorthernLights™ 557-conjugated Anti-Rat IgG Secondary Antibody (red, upper panel; Catalog # NL013) and counterstained with DAPI (blue, lower panel). Specific staining was localized to nuclei. View our protocol for [Fluorescent ICC Staining of Cells on Coverslips](#).

Intracellular Staining by Flow Cytometry



Detection of Bcl-6 in Raji Human Cell Line by Flow Cytometry. Raji human Burkitt's lymphoma cell line was stained with Mouse Bcl-6 Monoclonal Antibody (Catalog # MAB5046, filled histogram) or isotype control antibody (Catalog # MAB0061, open histogram), followed by Phycoerythrin-conjugated Anti-Rat IgG F(ab')₂ Secondary Antibody (Catalog # F0105B). To facilitate intracellular staining, cells were fixed with paraformaldehyde and permeabilized with saponin.

PREPARATION AND STORAGE

Reconstitution	Sterile PBS to a final concentration of 0.5 mg/mL.
Shipping	The product is shipped at ambient temperature. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended below.
Stability & Storage	Use a manual defrost freezer and avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months from date of receipt, -20 to -70 °C as supplied. • 1 month from date of receipt, 2 to 8 °C, reconstituted. • 6 months from date of receipt, -20 to -70 °C, reconstituted.

BACKGROUND

Bcl-6 (Bcell lymphoma protein 6; also ZFP51, LAZ-3 and Bcl-5) is an 80 kDa member of the Kruppel-like family of zinc finger proteins. It is expressed in germinal center B cells, neutrophils, monocytes, and immature dendritic cells, and serves as a potent transcriptional repressor of genes such as p53. Human Bcl-6 is 706 amino acids (aa) in length and contains an N-terminal BTB/POZ protein interaction domain (aa 32- 99) and a series of six C2H2-type C-terminal zinc finger domains that bind DNA (aa 518-681). Centrally located are three PEST sequences (aa 336-430) that undergo phosphorylation by MAPK. This increases the molecular weight of Bcl-6 to 97 kDa and induces its degradation. Human Bcl-6 is about 99% aa identical to mouse and canine Bcl-6.