## **PRODUCT** INFORMATION



β-Actin (N-Term) Rabbit Monoclonal Antibody (RM112) Item No. 32127

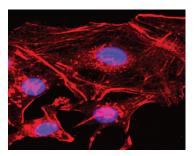
### **Overview and Properties**

Contents: Synonyms: Immunogen:	This vial contains 100 μl of protein A-affinity purified monoclonal antibody. Actin β, Actin, Cytoplasmic 1, β-Cytoskeletal Actin Peptide from the N-terminal region of β-actin
Species Reactivity:	(+) Species independent
Form:	Liquid
Storage:	-20°C (as supplied)
Stability:	≥1 year
Storage Buffer:	PBS with 50% glycerol, 1% BSA, and 0.09% sodium azide
Clone:	RM112
Host:	Rabbit
Isotype:	lgG
Applications:	chromatin IP (ChIP), immunocytochemistry (ICC), immunohistochemistry (IHC), immunoprecipitation (IP), and Western Blot (WB); the recommended starting dilution is 1:200 for ChIP, ICC, and IP, 1:200-1:1,000 for IHC, and 1:1,000 for WB. Other applications were not tested, therefore optimal working concentration/dilution should be determined empirically.

Images



Immunohistochemical staining of formalinfixed and paraffin-embedded human tonsil tissue using  $\beta$ -Actin (N-Term) Rabbit Monoclonal Antibody (RM112) at a 1:1,000 dilution.



Immunofluorescent labeling of HeLa cells, using β-Actin (N-Term) Rabbit Monoclonal Antibody (RM112) at 1:200 dilution (red). Nuclei have been labeled with DAPI (blue).

WARNING THIS PRODUCT IS FOR RESEARCH ONLY - NOT FOR HUMAN OR VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC USE.

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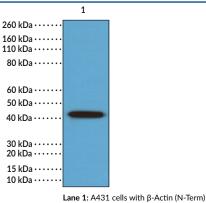
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Rabbit Monoclonal Antibody (RM112)

WB of A431 cells, using  $\beta$ -Actin (N-Term) Rabbit Monoclonal Antibody (RM112) at a 1:1.000 dilution.

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#### Description

β-Actin is a cytoskeletal protein with roles in cell division, migration, and homeostasis that is encoded by *ACTB* in humans.<sup>1,2</sup> It is ubiquitously expressed, localized to the cytosol, and conserved from birds to mammals. β-Actin is enriched at the leading edge of migrating cells and *Actb<sup>-/-</sup>* mouse embryonic fibroblasts (MEFs) exhibit decreased migration velocity, increased apoptosis, and decreased proliferation.<sup>1</sup> *Actb* knockout is early embryonic lethal in mice, indicating that β-actin is essential for embryonic development. *ACTB<sup>R183W</sup>* and *ACTB<sup>E346K</sup>* gain-of-function mutations have been found in patients with deafness, developmental mutations, and juvenile-onset dystonia and neutrophil dysfunction, respectively.<sup>3</sup> Cayman's β-Actin (N-Term) Rabbit Monoclonal Antibody (RM112) can be used for chromatin immunoprecipitation (ChIP), immunocytochemistry (ICC), immunohistochemistry (IHC), immunoprecipitation (IP), and Western blot (WB) applications.

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