

### DATA SHEET

# **Keratin 14 Ab-1 (Clone LL002)**

Mouse Monoclonal Antibody

Cat. #DLN-06597, DLN-06598, or DLN-06596 (0.1ml, 0.5ml, or 1.0ml at 200µg/ml) (Purified Ab with BSA and Azide)

Cat. #DLN-06599 or DLN-06600 (0.1ml or 0.2ml at 1.0mg/ml) (Purified Ab without BSA and Azide)

Cat. #DLN-06594, DLN-06595, or DLN-06593 (0.1ml, 0.5ml, or 1.0ml at  $200\mu g/ml$ ) (Biotin-Labeled Ab with BSA and Azide)

Cat. #DLN-06601 (7.0ml) (Ready-to-Use for Immunohistochemical Staining)

**Description:** keratin 14 belongs to the type A (acidic) subfamily of low molecular weight keratins and exists in combination with keratin 5. Keratin 14 has been studied as a prognostic marker in breast cancer.

**Comments:** Ab-1 distinguishes stratified epithelial cells from simple epithelial cells and has been reported useful in the identification of squamous cell carcinomas.

Mol. Wt. of Antigen: 50kDa

**Epitope:** C-terminal

Species Reactivity: Human and Rat. Others-not known.

Clone Designation: LL002

Ig Isotype: IgG3

**Immunogen:** A synthetic peptide of 15 amino acid residues from the C-terminus of human keratin 14.

## Applications and Suggested Dilutions:

- Western Blotting (Ab 1-2µg/ml for 2hrs at RT)
- Immunohistology (Formalin/paraffin) (Ab 1-2μg/ml for 30 min at RT)
- \* [Staining of formalin-fixed tissues REQUIRES boiling tissue sections in 10mM citrate buffer, pH 6.0, for 10-20 min followed by cooling at RT for 20 min.]

The optimal dilution for a specific application should be determined by the investigator.

**Positive Control:** A431 cells. Skin or Squamous cell carcinoma

Cellular Localization: Cytoplasmic



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#### Supplied As:

 $200\mu g/ml$  antibody purified from the ascites fluid by Protein G chromatography. Prepared in 10mM PBS, pH 7.4, with 0.2% BSA and 0.09% sodium azide. Also available without BSA and azide at 1mg/ml.

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Prediluted antibody which is ready-to-use for staining of formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded tissues.

#### Storage and Stability:

Ab with sodium azide is stable for 24 months when stored at 2-8°C. Antibody WITHOUT sodium azide is stable for 36 months when stored at below 0°C.

#### **Kev References:**

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