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## CoraLite® Plus 488-conjugated Alpha-2-Macroglobulin Recombinant monoclonal antibody



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NM 000014.6

GeneID (NCBI): Source: Rabbit

Isotype **UNIPROT ID:** IgG P01023

Immunogen Catalog Number: Full Name:

EG1198 alpha-2-macroglobulin

> Calculated MW: 163kDa Observed MW: 185 kDa

GenBank Accession Number:

**Purification Method:** 

Protein A purification CloneNo.:

241649D2

**Recommended Dilutions:** IF/ICC: 1:50-1:500

Excitation/Emission maxima wavelengths:

493 nm / 522 nm

**Applications** 

**Tested Applications:** 

IF/ICC

Species Specificity:

human

**Positive Controls:** 

IF/ICC: HepG2 cells,

## **Background Information**

Alpha-2-Macroglobulin, also known as a 2-macroglobulin (a 2M or A2M), is a protein abundant in the plasma of vertebrates and several invertebrates. A2M is an evolutionarily conserved arm of the innate immune system. It also mediates the proliferation of T cells and macrophages. A2M acts as a nonspecific protease inhibitor involved in the host defense mechanism that inactivates both endogenous and exogenous proteases, including trypsin, thrombin and collagenase. Even though A2M is produced predominantly by the liver, it may also be expressed in the reproductive tract, heart, and brain, and may have important roles in many physiological processes and medical illnesses including Alzheimer's disease.

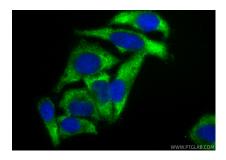
Storage

Store at -20°C. Avoid exposure to light. Stable for one year after shipment.

PBS with 50% glycerol, 0.05% Proclin300, 0.5% BSA, pH7.3

Aliquoting is unnecessary for -20°C storage

## Selected Validation Data



Immunofluorescent analysis of (-20°C Ethanol) fixed HepG2 cells using CoraLite® Plus 488 Alpha-2-Macroglobulin antibody (CL488-84347-5, Clone: 241649D2) at dilution of 1:200.