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# ab243229

# Anti-BST2/Tetherin antibody [EPR20202-169]

Recombinant | RabMAb | 20ul selling size

## Key facts

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| **Isotype** | IgG |
| **Host species** | Rabbit |
| **Storage buffer** | pH: 7.2 - 7.4 Preservative: 0.01% Sodium azide Constituents: PBS, 40% Glycerol (glycerin, glycerine), 0.05% BSA |
| **Form** | Liquid |
| **Clonality** | Monoclonal |
| **Immunogen** | The exact immunogen used to generate this antibody is proprietary information. |
| **Clone number** | EPR20202-169 |
| **Purification technique** | Affinity purification Protein A |
| **Concentration** | 0.537 mg/mL The concentration of this product may be batch-dependent<br>Batch concentration finder → |

## Reactivity data

### IP

#### Tested

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| **Species** | Human |
| **Dilution info** | 1/30 |
| **Notes** | - |

### Flow Cyt

**Tested**

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| **Species** | Human |
| **Dilution info** | 1/500 |
| **Notes** | - |

## WB

**Tested**

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| **Species** | Human |
| **Dilution info** | 1/1000 |
| **Notes** | - |

## IHC-P

**Not recommended**

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| **Species** | Human |
| **Dilution info** | - |
| **Notes** | - |

## ICC/IF

**Tested**

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| **Species** | Human |
| **Dilution info** | 1/100 |
| **Notes** | - |

# Target data

See full target information BST2

**Function** IFN-induced antiviral host restriction factor which efficiently blocks the release of diverse mammalian enveloped viruses by directly tethering nascent virions to the membranes of infected cells. Acts as a direct physical tether, holding virions to the cell membrane and linking virions to each other. The tethered virions can be

internalized by endocytosis and subsequently degraded or they can remain on the cell surface. In either case, their spread as cell-free virions is restricted (PubMed:18200009, PubMed:18342597, PubMed:19036818, PubMed:19879838, PubMed:20019814, PubMed:20399176, PubMed:20419159, PubMed:20940320, PubMed:21529378, PubMed:22520941, PubMed:37922253). Its target viruses belong to diverse families, including retroviridae: human immunodeficiency virus type 1 (HIV-1), human immunodeficiency virus type 2 (HIV-2), simian immunodeficiency viruses (SIVs), equine infectious anemia virus (EIAV), feline immunodeficiency virus (FIV), prototype foamy virus (PFV), Mason-Pfizer monkey virus (MPMV), human T-cell leukemia virus type 1 (HTLV-1), Rous sarcoma virus (RSV) and murine leukemia virus (MLV), flaviviridae: hepatitis C virus (HCV), filoviridae: ebola virus (EBOV) and marburg virus (MARV), arenaviridae: lassa virus (LASV) and machupo virus (MACV), herpesviridae: kaposis sarcoma-associated herpesvirus (KSHV), rhabdoviridae: vesicular stomatitis virus (VSV), orthomyxoviridae: influenza A virus, paramyxoviridae: nipah virus, and coronaviridae: SARS-CoV (PubMed:18200009, PubMed:18342597, PubMed:19179289, PubMed:19879838, PubMed:20399176, PubMed:20419159, PubMed:20686043, PubMed:20943977, PubMed:21529378, PubMed:21621240, PubMed:22520941, PubMed:26378163, PubMed:31199522). Can inhibit cell surface proteolytic activity of MMP14 causing decreased activation of MMP15 which results in inhibition of cell growth and migration (PubMed:22065321). Can stimulate signaling by LILRA4/ILT7 and consequently provide negative feedback to the production of IFN by plasmacytoid dendritic cells in response to viral infection (PubMed:19564354, PubMed:26172439). Plays a role in the organization of the subapical actin cytoskeleton in polarized epithelial cells. Isoform 1 and isoform 2 are both effective viral restriction factors but have differing antiviral and signaling activities (PubMed:23028328, PubMed:26172439). Isoform 2 is resistant to HIV-1 Vpu-mediated degradation and restricts HIV-1 viral budding in the presence of Vpu (PubMed:23028328, PubMed:26172439). Isoform 1 acts as an activator of NF-kappa-B and this activity is inhibited by isoform 2 (PubMed:23028328).

## Storage

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| **Shipped at conditions** | Conditional Ambient |
| **Appropriate short-term storage duration** | 1-2 weeks |
| **Appropriate short-term storage conditions** | +4°C |
| **Appropriate long-term storage conditions** | -20°C |
| **Aliquoting information** | Upon delivery aliquot |
| **Storage information** | Avoid freeze / thaw cycle |

## Notes

**Patented technology**
Our RabMAb® technology is a patented hybridoma-based technology for making rabbit monoclonal antibodies. For details on our patents, please refer to RabMAb® patents.

**What are the advantages of a recombinant monoclonal antibody?**
This product is a recombinant monoclonal antibody, which offers several advantages including:

- High batch-to-batch consistency and reproducibility
- Improved sensitivity and specificity
- Long-term security of supply
- Animal-free batch production

For more information, read more on recombinant antibodies.

## Product promise

**Tested**

We have tested this species and application combination and it works. It is covered by our product promise.

**Expected**

We have not tested this specific species and application combination in-house, but expect it will work. It is covered by our product promise.

**Predicted**

This species and application combination has not been tested, but we predict it will work based on strong homology. However, this combination is not covered by our product promise.

**Not recommended**

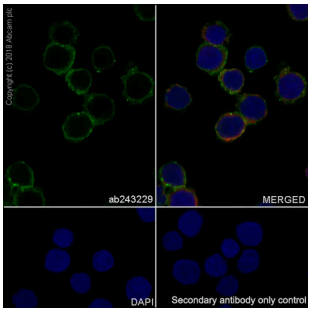
We do not recommend this combination. It is not covered by our product promise.

We are dedicated to supporting your work with high quality reagents and we are here for you every step of the way should you need us.

In the unlikely event of one of our products not working as expected, you are covered by our product promise.

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## 7 product images

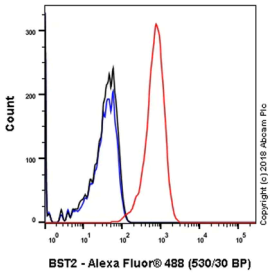



## Immunocytochemistry/ Immunofluorescence - Anti-BST2/Tetherin antibody [EPR20202-169] (ab243229)

BST2/Tetherin Immunocytochemistry/ Immunofluorescence staining using rabbit Anti-BST2/Tetherin antibody

Immunofluorescent analysis of 4% paraformaldehyde-fixed, 0.1% Triton X-100 permeabilized U-937 (human histiocytic lymphoma cell line) cells labeling BST2/Tetherin with ab243229 at 1/100 dilution, followed by Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (Alexa Fluor® 488) (ab150077) secondary antibody at 1/1000 dilution (Green). Confocal image showing cytoplasmic staining in U-937 cells (PMID: 20529266).
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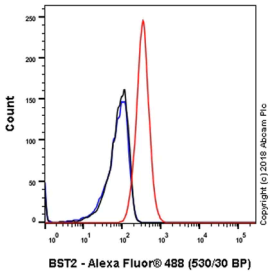
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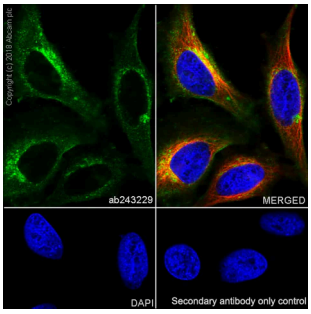
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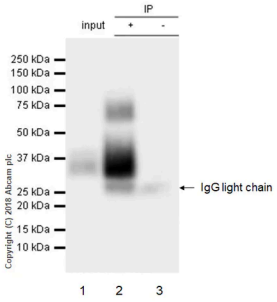



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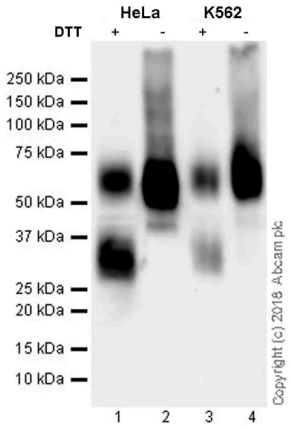

## Immunoprecipitation - Anti-BST2/Tetherin antibody [EPR20202-169] (ab243229)

BST2/Tetherin was immunoprecipitated from 0.35 mg HeLa (human epithelial cell line from cervix adenocarcinoma) whole cell lysate with ab243229 at 1/30 dilution. Western blot was performed on the immunoprecipitate using ab243229 at 1/1000 dilution. VeriBlot for IP Detection Reagent (HRP) (ab131366) was used for detection at 1/5000 dilution.
**Lane 1:** HeLa whole cell lysate 10 µg (input).
**Lane 2:** ab243229 IP in HeLa whole cell lysate.
**Lane 3:** Rabbit monoclonal IgG (ab172730) instead of ab243229 in HeLa whole cell lysate.

Blocking/Diluting buffer and concentration: 5% NFDM/TBST
Exposure time: 3 seconds.

All lanes:
Immunoprecipitation - Anti-BST2/Tetherin antibody [EPR20202-169] (ab243229)

Predicted band size: 20 kDa




## Western blot - Anti-BST2/Tetherin antibody [EPR20202-169] (ab243229)

Blocking/Diluting buffer and concentration: 5% NFDM/TBST
The expression profile/ molecular weight observed is consistent with what has been described in the literature (PMID: 19196977; PMID: 19737401).

BST2/Tetherin is a glycosylated protein, its calculated MW is 20kDa, and the observed MW is 35 kDa, which is consistent to the literature.

Both 35 and 70-kDa bands were detected under the reducing condition, whereas under the non-reducing condition, only the 70-kDa band was detected.

All lanes:
Western blot - Anti-BST2/Tetherin antibody [EPR20202-169] (ab243229) at 1/1000 dilution

Lane 1:
HeLa (human epithelial cell line from cervix adenocarcinom), whole cell lysate, in the loading buffer containing DTT at 20 µg

Lane 2:
HeLa whole cell lysate in the loading buffer without DTT at 20 µg

Lane 3:
K562 (human chronic myelogenous leukemia lymphoblast), whole cell lysate, in the loading buffer containing DTT at 20 µg

Lane 4:
K562 whole cell lysate in the loading buffer without DTT at 20 µg

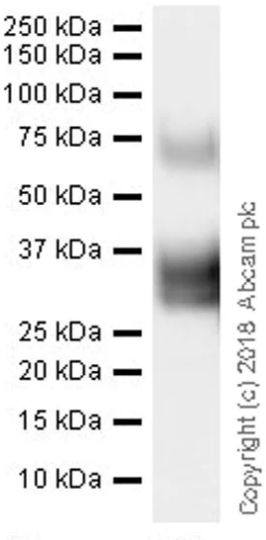
Secondary

All lanes:
Western blot - Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (HRP) (ab97051) at 1/100000 dilution

Predicted band size: 20 kDa

Observed band size: 35 kDa, 70 kDa

Exposure time: 48s




## Western blot - Anti-BST2/Tetherin antibody [EPR20202-169] (ab243229)

BST2/Tetherin Western blot staining of U937 (human histiocytic lymphoma cell line) whole cell lysate using rabbit Anti-BST2/Tetherin antibody

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All lanes:
Western blot - Anti-BST2/Tetherin antibody [EPR20202-169] (ab243229) at 1/1000 dilution

All lanes:
U937 (human histiocytic lymphoma cell line) whole cell lysate at 20 µg

Secondary

All lanes:
Western blot - Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (HRP) (ab97051) at 1/100000 dilution

Predicted band size: 20 kDa

Observed band size: 35 kDa, 70 kDa

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