


## Product datasheet

# Anti-alpha Tubulin antibody [GT114] ab184613

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### Overview

<b>Product name</b>	Anti-alpha Tubulin antibody [GT114]
<b>Description</b>	Mouse monoclonal [GT114] to alpha Tubulin
<b>Host species</b>	Mouse
<b>Tested applications</b>	<b>Suitable for:</b> ICC/IF, WB, IHC-P
<b>Species reactivity</b>	<b>Reacts with:</b> Mouse, Rat, Human, Drosophila melanogaster, Zebrafish <b>Predicted to work with:</b> Cow, Pig, Chimpanzee, Rhesus monkey 
<b>Immunogen</b>	Full length protein within Human alpha Tubulin. The exact sequence is proprietary. Database link: <a href="#">P68366</a>
<b>Positive control</b>	Jurkat, Raji, K562, THP1, NCI-H929, 293T, A431, HeLa, HepG2, H1299, HCT116, MCF7, NT2D1, U87-MG, NIH 3T3, mouse brain, PC12, rat brain, drosophila and zebrafish eye whole cell lysates/extracts; Human mesenchymal stem cells, Hela cells and HeLa xenograft.
<b>General notes</b>	Abcam is committed to meeting high standards of ethical manufacturing and as such, we will be discontinuing this product, which has been generated by the ascites method, within the next year. We are sorry for any inconvenience this may cause. If you would like help finding an alternative product, please do not hesitate to contact our scientific support team.

### Properties

<b>Form</b>	Liquid
<b>Storage instructions</b>	Shipped at 4°C. Store at +4°C short term (1-2 weeks). Upon delivery aliquot. Store at -20°C long term. Avoid freeze / thaw cycle.
<b>Purity</b>	Protein G purified
<b>Clonality</b>	Monoclonal
<b>Clone number</b>	GT114
<b>Isotype</b>	IgG2a

### Applications

**The Abpromise guarantee** Our [Abpromise guarantee](#) covers the use of ab184613 in the following tested applications. The application notes include recommended starting dilutions; optimal dilutions/concentrations should be determined by the end user.

Application	Abreviews	Notes
ICC/IF		1/100 - 1/1000.
WB		1/1000 - 1/10000. Predicted molecular weight: 50 kDa.
IHC-P		1/100 - 1/1000.

## Target

### Function

Tubulin is the major constituent of microtubules. It binds two moles of GTP, one at an exchangeable site on the beta chain and one at a non-exchangeable site on the alpha chain.

### Sequence similarities

Belongs to the tubulin family.

### Post-translational modifications

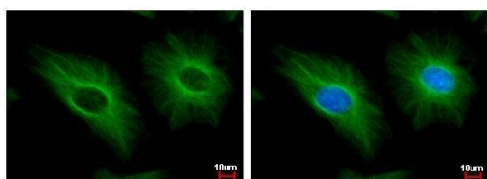
Some glutamate residues at the C-terminus are polyglutamylated. This modification occurs exclusively on glutamate residues and results in polyglutamate chains on the gamma-carboxyl group. Also monoglycylated but not polyglycylated due to the absence of functional TTL10 in human. Monoglycylation is mainly limited to tubulin incorporated into axonemes (cilia and flagella) whereas glutamylation is prevalent in neuronal cells, centrioles, axonemes, and the mitotic spindle. Both modifications can coexist on the same protein on adjacent residues, and lowering glycylation levels increases polyglutamylated, and reciprocally. The precise function of such modifications is still unclear but they regulate the assembly and dynamics of axonemal microtubules.

Acetylation of alpha chains at Lys-40 stabilizes microtubules and affects affinity and processivity of microtubule motors. This modification has a role in multiple cellular functions, ranging from cell motility, cell cycle progression or cell differentiation to intracellular trafficking and signaling.

### Cellular localization

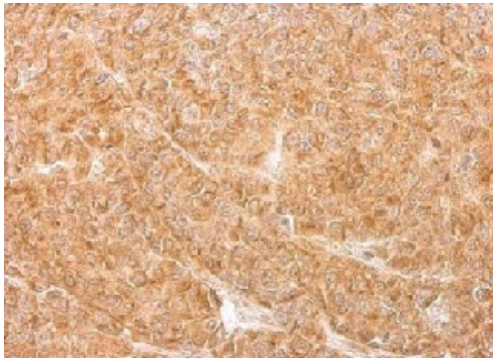
Cytoplasm > cytoskeleton.

## Images



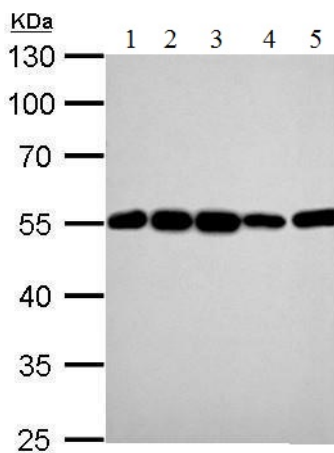
Immunofluorescent analysis of ice-cold MeOH (for 5 min) fixed HeLa cells, labeling alpha Tubulin using ab184613 at a 1/500 dilution (green) and Hoechst 33342 staining (blue).

Immunocytochemistry/ Immunofluorescence - Anti-alpha Tubulin antibody [GT114] (ab184613)



Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffin-embedded sections) - Anti-alpha Tubulin antibody [GT114] (ab184613)

Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded HeLa xenograft, labeling alpha Tubulin using ab184613 at a 1/200 dilution.



Western blot - Anti-alpha Tubulin antibody [GT114] (ab184613)

**All lanes :** Anti-alpha Tubulin antibody [GT114] (ab184613) at 1/5000 dilution

**Lane 1 :** Jurkat whole cell lysate/extract

**Lane 2 :** Raji whole cell lysate/extract

**Lane 3 :** K562 whole cell lysate/extract

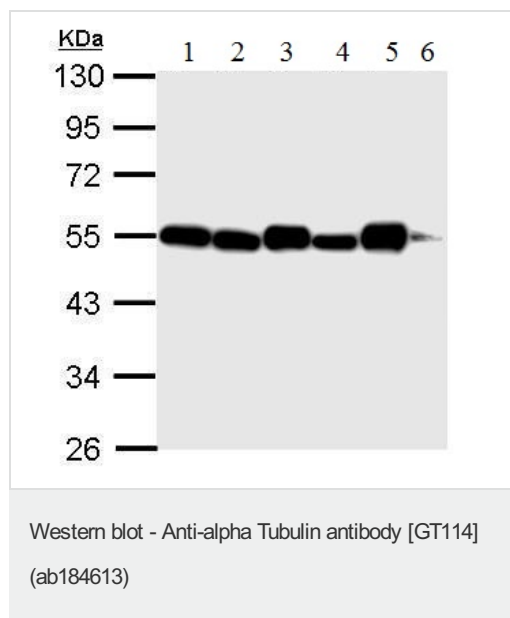
**Lane 4 :** THP1 whole cell lysate/extract

**Lane 5 :** NCI-H929 whole cell lysate/extract

Lysates/proteins at 30 µg per lane.

**Predicted band size:** 50 kDa

10% SDS-PAGE



**All lanes :** Anti-alpha Tubulin antibody [GT114] (ab184613) at 1/5000 dilution

**Lane 1 :** 293T whole cell lysate/extract

**Lane 2 :** NIH 3T3 whole cell lysate/extract

**Lane 3 :** mouse brain whole cell lysate/extract

**Lane 4 :** PC12 whole cell lysate/extract

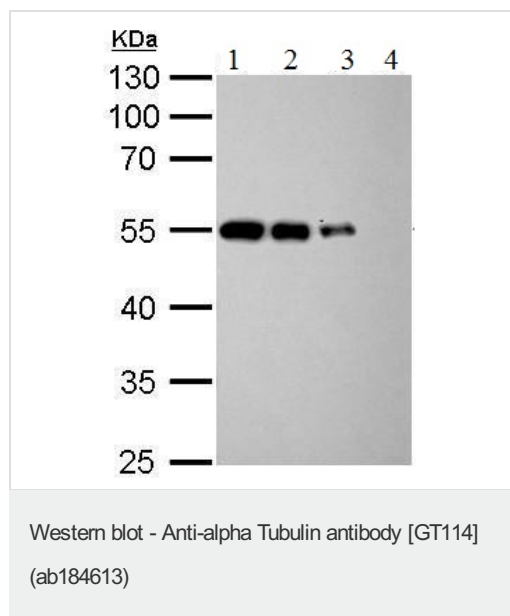
**Lane 5 :** Rat brain whole cell lysate/extract

**Lane 6 :** Drosophila whole cell lysate/extract

Lysates/proteins at 30 µg per lane.

**Predicted band size:** 50 kDa

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**All lanes :** Anti-alpha Tubulin antibody [GT114] (ab184613) at 1/5000 dilution

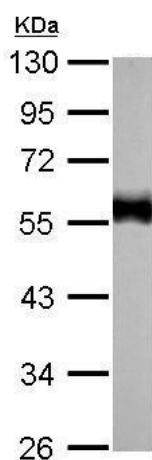
**Lane 1 :** 293T whole cell lysate/extract at 20 µg

**Lane 2 :** 293T whole cell lysate/extract at 10 µg

**Lane 3 :** 293T whole cell lysate/extract at 5 µg

**Lane 4 :** 293T whole cell lysate/extract at 1 µg

**Predicted band size:** 50 kDa

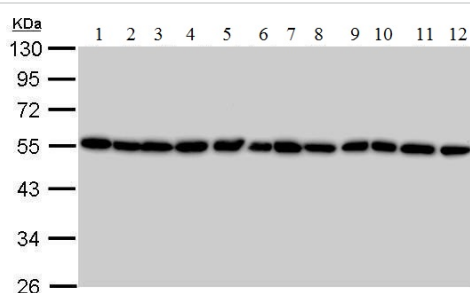


Western blot - Anti-alpha Tubulin antibody [GT114]  
(ab184613)

Anti-alpha Tubulin antibody [GT114] (ab184613) at 1/1000 dilution  
+ zebrafish eye lysate/extract at 30 µg

**Predicted band size:** 50 kDa

10% SDS-PAGE



Western blot - Anti-alpha Tubulin antibody [GT114]  
(ab184613)

**All lanes :** Anti-alpha Tubulin antibody [GT114] (ab184613) at  
1/10000 dilution

**Lane 1 :** Jurkat whole cell lysate/extract

**Lane 2 :** Raji whole cell lysate/extract

**Lane 3 :** 293T whole cell lysate/extract

**Lane 4 :** A431 whole cell lysate/extract

**Lane 5 :** HeLa whole cell lysate/extract

**Lane 6 :** HepG2 whole cell lysate/extract

**Lane 7 :** H1299 whole cell lysate/extract

**Lane 8 :** HCT116 whole cell lysate/extract

**Lane 9 :** MCF7 whole cell lysate/extract

**Lane 10 :** NT2D1 whole cell lysate/extract

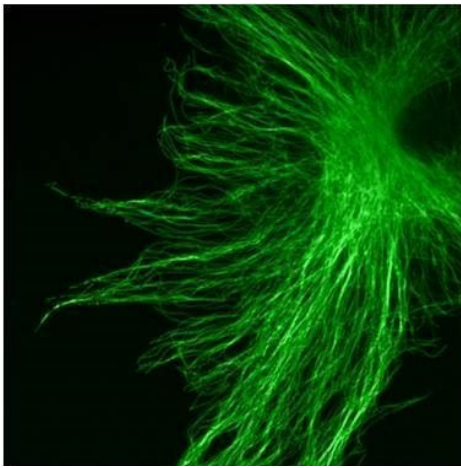
**Lane 11 :** PC3 whole cell lysate/extract

**Lane 12 :** U87-MG whole cell lysate/extract

Lysates/proteins at 30 µg per lane.

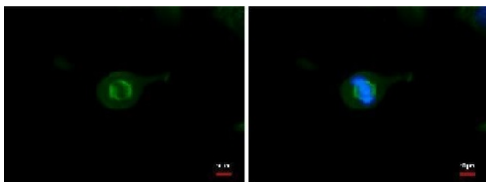
**Predicted band size:** 50 kDa

10% SDS-PAGE



Immunocytochemistry/ Immunofluorescence - Anti-alpha Tubulin antibody [GT114] (ab184613)

Immunofluorescent analysis of 4% paraformaldehyde fixed Human mesenchymal stem cells labeling alpha Tubulin using ab184613 at a 1/50 dilution.



Immunocytochemistry/ Immunofluorescence - Anti-alpha Tubulin antibody [GT114] (ab184613)

Immunofluorescent analysis of -20°C 100% methanol (for 5 min) fixed HeLa cells labeling alpha Tubulin using ab184613 at a 1/500 dilution (green) and Hoechst 33342 staining (blue).

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