

# AFP Monoclonal Antibody

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**Note:** Centrifuge before opening to ensure complete recovery of vial contents.

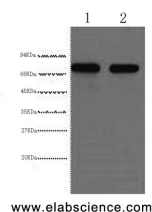
## Description

<b>Reactivity</b>	Human
<b>Immunogen</b>	Synthetic Peptide
<b>Host</b>	Mouse
<b>Isotype</b>	IgG
<b>Clone</b>	Clone:2L6
<b>Purification</b>	Protein A purification
<b>Conjugation</b>	Unconjugated
<b>Formulation</b>	PBS with 0.02% sodium azide and 50% glycerol pH 7.4.

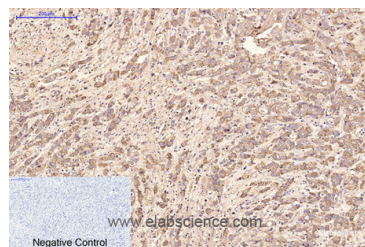
## Applications Recommended Dilution

<b>WB</b>	1:500-1:3000
<b>IHC</b>	1:50-1:300
<b>IF</b>	1:100-1:300

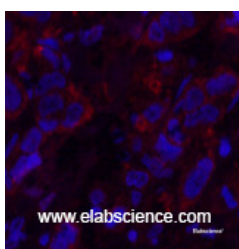
## Data



Western Blot analysis of HepG2 cells using AFP Monoclonal Antibody at dilution of 1:2000.  
**Observed Mw:70kDa**



Immunohistochemistry of paraffin-embedded Human breast cancer tissue using AFP Monoclonal Antibody at dilution of 1:200.



Immunofluorescence analysis of Human breast cancer tissue using AFP Monoclonal Antibody at dilution of 1:200.

## Preparation & Storage

**Storage** Store at -20°C. Avoid freeze / thaw cycles.

## Background

This gene encodes alpha-fetoprotein, a major plasma protein produced by the yolk sac and the liver during fetal life.

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Alpha-fetoprotein expression in adults is often associated with hepatoma or teratoma. However, hereditary persistence of alpha-fetoprotein may also be found in individuals with no obvious pathology. The protein is thought to be the fetal counterpart of serum albumin, and the alpha-fetoprotein and albumin genes are present in tandem in the same transcriptional orientation on chromosome 4. Alpha-fetoprotein is found in monomeric as well as dimeric and trimeric forms, and binds copper, nickel, fatty acids and bilirubin. The level of alpha-fetoprotein in amniotic fluid is used to measure renal loss of protein to screen for spina bifida and anencephaly.

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