

**β -Catenin (L54E2) Mouse mAb
(Biotinylated)**

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Applications:	Reactivity:	Sensitivity:	Source/Isotype:	UniProt ID:	Entrez-Gene Id:
FC-FP	H	Endogenous	Mouse IgG1	#P35222	1499

Product Usage Information**Application**

Flow Cytometry (Fixed/Permeabilized)

Dilution

1:400

Storage

Supplied in 140 mM NaCl, 3 mM KCl, 10 mM sodium phosphate (pH 7.4) dibasic, 2 mM potassium phosphate monobasic, 2 mg/mL BSA, and 50% glycerol. Store at -20°C . *Do not aliquot the antibody.*

Specificity/Sensitivity

β -Catenin (L54E2) Mouse mAb (Biotinylated) detects endogenous levels of total β -catenin protein.

Species predicted to react based on 100% sequence homology

Mouse, Rat, Pig

Source / Purification

Monoclonal antibody is produced by immunizing animals with a synthetic peptide corresponding to the carboxy terminus of human β -catenin protein.

Description

This Cell Signaling Technology antibody is conjugated to biotin under optimal conditions. The unconjugated β -Catenin (L54E2) Mouse mAb (IF Preferred) #2677 reacts with human β -catenin protein.

Background

β -catenin is a key downstream effector in the Wnt signaling pathway (1). It is implicated in two major biological processes in vertebrates: early embryonic development (2) and tumorigenesis (3). CK1 phosphorylates β -catenin at Ser45. This phosphorylation event primes β -catenin for subsequent phosphorylation by GSK-3 β (4-6). GSK-3 β destabilizes β -catenin by phosphorylating it at Ser33, Ser37, and Thr41 (7). Mutations at these sites result in the stabilization of β -catenin protein levels and have been found in many tumor cell lines (8).

Background References

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Species Reactivity

Species reactivity is determined by testing in at least one approved application (e.g., western blot).

Applications Key

FC-FP: Flow Cytometry (Fixed/Permeabilized)

Cross-Reactivity Key

H: Human

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