# **Anti-ERK2 Antibody [B10-8]**

### EM1901-53



**Product Type:** Mouse monoclonal IgG1, primary antibodies

Species reactivity: Human, Mouse
Applications: WB, IHC-P, FC

Molecular Wt: Predicted band size: 41 kDa

Clone number: B10-8

**Description:** Mitogen-activated protein kinase (MAPK) signaling pathways involve two closely related

MAP kinases, known as extracellular-signal-related kinase 1 (ERK 1, p44) and 2 (ERK 2, p42). Growth factors, steroid hormones, G protein-coupled receptor ligands, and neurotransmitters can initiate MAPK signaling pathways. Activation of ERK1 and ERK2 requires phosphorylation by upstream kinases such as MAP kinase kinase (MEK), MEK kinase and Raf-1. ERK1 and ERK2 phosphorylation can occur at specific tyrosine and threonine sites mapping within consensus motifs that include the Threonine-Glutamate-Tyrosine motif. ERK activation leads to dimerization with other ERKs and subsequent localization to the nucleus. Active ERK dimers phosphorylate serine and threonine residues on nuclear proteins and influence a host of responses that include proliferation, differentiation, transcription regulation and development. The human ERK2 gene maps to

chromosome 22q11.21 and encodes a 360-amino acid protein.

**Immunogen:** Recombinant protein within human ERK2 aa 200-360.

Positive control: Hela cell lysate, 293T cell lysate, NIH/3T3 cell lysate, K562 cell lysate, human skin tissue,

human breast carcinoma tissue, mouse testis tissue, mouse colon tissue, mouse ovary tissue,

K562.

**Subcellular location:** Nucleus, spindle, centrosome, cytoplasm, caveola.

Database links: SwissProt: P28482 Human | P63085 Mouse

**Recommended Dilutions:** 

WB 1:500-1:2,000
IHC-P 1:50-1:200
FC 1:50-1:100

**Storage Buffer:** 1\*PBS (pH7.4), 0.2% BSA, 50% Glycerol. Preservative: 0.05% Sodium Azide.

Storage Instruction: Store at +4 °C after thawing. Aliquot store at -20 °C. Avoid repeated freeze / thaw cycles.

**Purity:** Protein A affinity purified.

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#### **Images**

 **Fig1:** Western blot analysis of ERK2 on different lysates with Mouse anti-ERK2 antibody (EM1901-53) at 1/2,000 dilution.

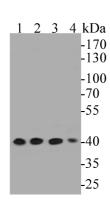
Lane 1: A549-si NT cell lysate Lane 2: A549-si ERK2 cell lysate

Lysates/proteins at 10 µg/Lane.

Predicted band size: 41 kDa Observed band size: 41 kDa

Exposure time: 30 seconds; ECL: K1802;

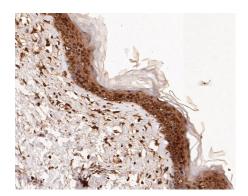
4-20% SDS-PAGE gel.



**Fig2:** Western blot analysis of ERK2 on different lysates. Proteins were transferred to a PVDF membrane and blocked with 5% BSA in PBS for 1 hour at room temperature. The primary antibody (EM1901-53, 1/500) was used in 5% BSA at room temperature for 2 hours. Goat Anti-Mouse IgG - HRP Secondary Antibody (HA1006) at 1:5,000 dilution was used for 1 hour at room temperature.

#### Positive control:

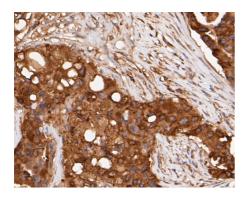
Lane 1: Hela cell lysate Lane 2: 293T cell lysate Lane 3: NIH/3T3 cell lysate Lane 4: K562 cell lysate



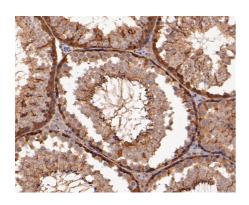
**Fig3:** Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded human skin tissue using anti-ERK2 antibody. The section was pre-treated using heat mediated antigen retrieval with sodium citrate buffer (pH 6.0) for 20 minutes. The tissues were blocked in 5% BSA for 30 minutes at room temperature, washed with ddH<sub>2</sub>O and PBS, and then probed with the primary antibody (EM1901-53, 1/100) for 30 minutes at room temperature. The detection was performed using an HRP conjugated compact polymer system. DAB was used as the chromogen. Tissues were counterstained with hematoxylin and mounted with DPX.

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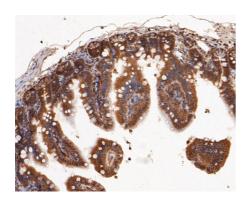
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**Fig4:** Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded human breast carcinoma tissue using anti-ERK2 antibody. The section was pre-treated using heat mediated antigen retrieval with sodium citrate buffer (pH 6.0) for 20 minutes. The tissues were blocked in 5% BSA for 30 minutes at room temperature, washed with ddH<sub>2</sub>O and PBS, and then probed with the primary antibody (EM1901-53, 1/100) for 30 minutes at room temperature. The detection was performed using an HRP conjugated compact polymer system. DAB was used as the chromogen. Tissues were counterstained with hematoxylin and mounted with DPX.



**Fig5:** Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded mouse testis tissue using anti-ERK2 antibody. The section was pretreated using heat mediated antigen retrieval with sodium citrate buffer (pH 6.0) for 20 minutes. The tissues were blocked in 5% BSA for 30 minutes at room temperature, washed with ddH<sub>2</sub>O and PBS, and then probed with the primary antibody (EM1901-53, 1/100) for 30 minutes at room temperature. The detection was performed using an HRP conjugated compact polymer system. DAB was used as the chromogen. Tissues were counterstained with hematoxylin and mounted with DPX.



**Fig6:** Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded mouse colon tissue using anti-ERK2 antibody. The section was pretreated using heat mediated antigen retrieval with sodium citrate buffer (pH 6.0) for 20 minutes. The tissues were blocked in 5% BSA for 30 minutes at room temperature, washed with ddH $_2$ O and PBS, and then probed with the primary antibody (EM1901-53, 1/100) for 30 minutes at room temperature. The detection was performed using an HRP conjugated compact polymer system. DAB was used as the chromogen. Tissues were counterstained with hematoxylin and mounted with DPX.

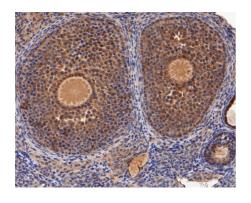
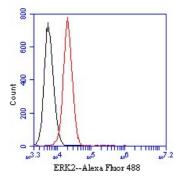


Fig7: Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded mouse ovary tissue using anti-ERK2 antibody. The section was pretreated using heat mediated antigen retrieval with sodium citrate buffer (pH 6.0) for 20 minutes. The tissues were blocked in 5% BSA for 30 minutes at room temperature, washed with ddH $_2$ O and PBS, and then probed with the primary antibody (EM1901-53, 1/100) for 30 minutes at room temperature. The detection was performed using an HRP conjugated compact polymer system. DAB was used as the chromogen. Tissues were counterstained with hematoxylin and mounted with DPX.

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**Fig8:** Flow cytometric analysis of ERK2 was done on K562 cells. The cells were fixed, permeabilized and stained with the primary antibody (EM1901-53, 1/50) (red). After incubation of the primary antibody at room temperature for an hour, the cells were stained with a Alexa Fluor 488-conjugated Goat anti-Mouse IgG Secondary antibody at 1/1000 dilution for 30 minutes. Unlabelled sample was used as a control (cells without incubation with primary antibody; black).

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#### **Background References**

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