



Mouse monoclonal antibody to HCV NS5B (clone 8B2)

Catalogue #	A2-423-100
Immunogen:	HCV 1b NS5B
Immunogen Description:	Recombinant Hepatitis C Virus subtype 1b nonstructural protein 5B (NS5B) RNA-dependent RNA polymerase (RdRp) produced in E. coli
Alternative Names:	Genome polyprotein, nonstructural protein 5B
Uniprot ID:	Q9WMX2
Clonality:	Mouse monoclonal
Clone:	8B2
Class:	mIgG1
Reactivity:	Human, HCV subtype 1b NS5B, Epitope mapped to amino acids 1-14 (SMSYTWGTGALITPC)
Application:	ELISA, IP
Protocol:	Optimal conditions for IP should be determined for each particular application

Blocks the RNA-dependent RNA polymerase activity *in vitro*.

Monoclonal antibody working titer has to be established practically for each particular antigen and assay format.

ELISA:	0.95 µg/ml
IF:	-
Purification:	Protein G affinity chromatography
Buffer:	PBS pH 7.4, with 0.1% sodium azide
Shipping:	Shipping in ambient conditions.
Storage:	Store at -20 °C to -70 °C. Avoid multiple freeze-thaw cycles.
Background:	Non-structural protein 5B (NS5B) represents the

RNA-dependent RNA polymerase (RdRp) of Hepatitis C Virus, which is a small positive strand RNA virus in the family Flaviviridae. HCV is a major causative agent of acute and chronic hepatitis, hepatocellular carcinoma and liver cirrhosis. The single subunit RNA-dependent RNA polymerase is absolutely essential for the viral replication.

References

Nikonov A, Juronen E, Ustav M (2008). Functional characterization of fingers subdomain-specific monoclonal antibodies inhibiting the hepatitis C virus RNA-dependent RNA polymerase. *J. Biol Chem.* 283(35):24089-102.

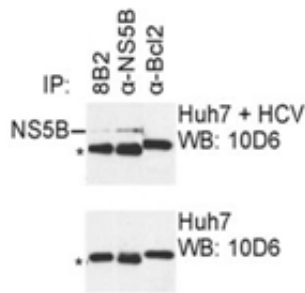


Figure 1. IP was carried out with NS5B specific mAb 8B2 using the lysates of Huh7 cells harboring selectable subgenomic HCV RNA replicon (upper panel) or plain Huh7 cells (lower panel). NS5B polyclonal antibodies (α-NS5B) and α-Bcl2 mAb, directed against cellular protein, were used as positive and negative controls respectively. Asterisk indicates immunoglobulin heavy chain; protein blots were probed with NS5B specific mAb 10D6.