

Qty: 100 μg/200 μL Mouse anti-ICSBP Catalog No. 39-8800 Lot No.

# Mouse anti-ICSBP

#### FORM

This monoclonal antibody is supplied as a 200 µL aliquot at a concentration of 0.5 mg/mL in PBS, pH 7.4, containing 0.1% sodium azide. This antibody is highly purified from mouse ascites by protein A chromatography.

CLONE: ZI003 ISOTYPE: Mouse IgG1-kappa

#### **IMMUNOGEN**

Synthetic peptide derived from the C-terminal region of the human ICSBP protein, which is 88% homologous to mouse

#### SPECIFICITY

This antibody is specific for the ICSBP (interferon consensus sequence binding protein, ICSBP1, interferon regulatory factor 8 (IRF-8)) protein. On Western blots, it identifies the target band at ~ 48 kDa.

#### REACTIVITY

Reactivity has been confirmed with human Ramos cell lysates and mouse thymus extracts.

Sample	ELISA	Western Blotting
Human	ND	+++
Mouse	ND	+++
Immunogen	+++	ND

(Excellent +++, Good++, Poor +, No reactivity 0, Not applicable N/A, Not Determined ND)

#### USAGE

Working concentrations for specific applications should be determined by the investigator. Appropriate concentrations will be affected by several factors, including secondary antibody affinity, antigen concentration, sensitivity of detection method, temperature and length of incubations, etc. The suitability of this antibody for applications other than those listed below has not been determined. The following concentration ranges are recommended starting points for this product.

**ELISA:** 0.1-1.0 μg/mL Western Blotting: 1 μg/mL

#### STORAGE

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Store at 2-8°C for up to one month. Store at –20°C for long-term storage. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing.

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### BACKGROUND

ICSBP (interferon consensus sequence binding protein, ICSBP1, interferon regulatory factor 8 (IRF8)) is a transcription factor of the interferon (IFN) regulatory factor (IRF) family.<sup>1-2</sup> The IRF family proteins bind to the IFN stimulated response element (ISRE) and regulate expression of genes stimulated by type I IFNs, namely IFN- $\alpha$  and IFN- $\beta$ . IRF family proteins also control expression of IFN- $\alpha$  and IFN- $\beta$  regulated genes that are induced by viral infection.

ICSBP specifically binds to the upstream regulatory region of type I IFN and IFN inducible MHC class I genes (the interferon consensus sequence (ICS)). Unlike IRF3, ICSBP appears to act as a negative regulator of IFN induced genes in most cases, and it mediates activation of NFkB by the toll like receptor 9 (TLR9) after stimulation by unmethylated CpG DNA in dendritic cells. It has been shown that ICSBP decreases bcl-2 expression and thus may play a role in chronic myelogenous leukemia. ICSBP is expressed exclusively in cells of the immune system.<sup>3</sup>

#### REFERENCES

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TRITC	81-6114	81-6514
Су™3	81-6115	81-6515
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AP	81-6122	81-6522
Biotin	81-6140	81-6540

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