

## **Product Data Sheet**

## Alexa Fluor® 488 anti-PLK-1 Phosphorylated (Thr210)

Catalog # / Size:	628906 / 100 tests
Clone:	2A3
Isotype:	Mouse IgG1, $\kappa$
Immunogen:	Modified peptide
Reactivity:	Human
	The antibody was purified by affinity chromatography, and conjugated with Alexa Fluor® 488 under optimal conditions. The solution is free of unconjugated Alexa Fluor® 488.
Formulation:	Phosphate-buffered solution, pH 7.2, containing 0.09% sodium azide and 0.2% (w/v) BSA (origin USA).
	The antibody solution should be stored undiluted at 4°C and protected from prolonged exposure to light. <b>Do not freeze.</b>

## **Applications:**

Applications: ICFC - Quality tested

Recommended Usage: Each lot of this antibody is quality control tested by immunofluorescent intracellular staining with flow cytometric analysis. Please follow the Cell Fixation and Permeabilization Protocol Using 70% Ethanol. For immunofluorescent staining, the suggested use of this reagent is 5 µl per million cells in 100 µl volume. It is recommended that the reagent be titrated for optimal performance for each application.

> \* Alexa Fluor® 488 has a maximum emission of 519 nm when it is excited at 488 nm.

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Description: PLK-1 (polo-like kinase 1) is a member of te serine/threonine protein kinase family, cdc5/polo subfamily. Highly homologous to polo-like kinase (Drosophila), PLK-1 contains two polo box domains with a predicted molecular weight of 68 kD. This nuclear protein is highly expressed in placenta and colon and has been shown to regulate cdc2/cyclin B through phosphorylation and activation of cdc25c phosphatase. PLK-1 may also be required for cell division; depletion of PLK-1 results in apoptosis. PLK-1 is upregulated by growth stimulating agents and is regulated by cell cycle position (highest in G2/M phase, declining to nearly undetectable levels after mitosis and throughout G1). PLK-1 is modified by phosphorylation (Thr210 is the major phosphorylation site in activated PLK-1 from mitotic cells) and has been shown to interact with nuclear distribution gene C. The 2A3 antibody recognizes human phosphorylated PLK-1 (Thr210) and has been shown to be useful for Western blotting. To increase specificity, it is recommended that the 2A3 antibody be used for Western blotting after immunoprecipitation with the pan-specific PLK-1 3F8 antibody.

Antigen References: 1. Hamanaka R, et al. 1994. Cell Growth Differ. 5:249. 2. Lake RJ, et al. 1993. Mol. Cell. Biol. 13:7793. 3. Holtrich U, et al. 1994. P. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 91:1736. **Related Products: Product** Clone **Fixation Buffer** Permeabilization Wash Buffer (10X) Poly6185

Purified anti-PLK-1 Purified anti-PLK-1 3F8 Alexa Fluor® 488 Mouse IgG1, κ Isotype Ctrl (ICFC) MOPC-21



Nocodazole-treated (37°C, overnight) Hela cells were fixed and permeabilized with 70% cold ethanol, then stained with 2A3 Alexa Fluor® 488 vs. Propidium Iodide (DNA content analysis)



Nocodazole-treated (37°C, overnight) (shaded histogram) or non-treated (open histogram) Hela cells were fixed and permeabilized with 70% cold ethanol and then stained with 2A3 Alexa Fluor® 488

> Application ICC, ICFC ICC, ICFC, IHC WB, IP IF, IP, WB ICFC, IF

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