

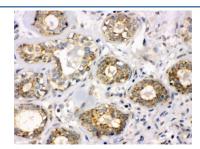
# **B3GNT8** Antibody (R32273)

Catalog No.	Formulation	Size
R32273	0.5mg/ml if reconstituted with 0.2ml sterile DI water	100 ug

	Citations (1)	Bulk quote request	
Availability	1-3 business days		
Species Reactivity	Human		
Format	Antigen affinity purified		
Clonality	Polyclonal (rabbit origin)		
Isotype	Rabbit IgG		
Purity	Antigen affinity		
Buffer	Lyophilized from 1X PBS with 2.5% BSA and 0.025% sodium azide		
UniProt	Q7Z7M8		
Localization	Cytoplasmic		
Applications	Western Blot : 0.1-0.5ug/ml IHC (FFPE) : 0.5-1ug/ml		

kDa 200	Western blot testing of human HeLa cell lysate with B3GNT8 antibody.
116 97	Expected/observed molecular weight ~43 kDa.
66 44	
31	
22	
14	
6	

This B3GNT8 antibody is available for research use only.



Limitations

IHC testing of FFPE human breast cancer tissue with B3GNT8 antibody. HIER: Boil the paraffin sections in pH 6, 10mM citrate buffer for 20 minutes and allow to cool prior to staining.

## **Description**

B3GNT8 is a galactosyltransferase involved in the synthesis of poly-N-acetyllactosamine (polyLacNAc), a linear chain of repeating LacNAc units made up of galactose (Gal) and N-acetylglucosamine (GlcNAc) with the structure (Galbeta-1-4-GlcNAc-beta-1-3)n. By genomic sequence analysis, the B3GNT8 gene is mapped to chromosome 19q13.2. It was showed that a soluble form of B3GNT8 overexpressed by transfected HEK293 cells selectively transferred GlcNAc from UDP-GlcNAc to the nonreducing terminus of Gal-beta-1-4-GlcNAc-alpha-p-nitrophenyl phosphate and to lactoside-alpha-benzoyl. It did not utilize keratan sulfates or polylactosamine oligosaccharide as substrate. B3GNT8 activity required Mn(2+) and showed less efficiency with Co(2+). The pH optimum was between 7 and 7.5. B3GNT8 also transferred GlcNAc onto alpha-1-acid glycoprotein and ovomucoid, which possess tetraantennary complex type and pentaantennary complex type N-glycans. With a tetraantennary N-glycan substrate, B3GNT8 appeared to prefer the beta-1-2 branch over the beta-1-6 branch. When overexpressed in HCT15 human colon cancer cells, B3GNT8 increased cell surface expression of both polyLacNAc and beta-1-6-branched N-glycans.

## **Application Notes**

Optimal dilution of the B3GNT8 antibody should be determined by the researcher.

## **Immunogen**

Amino acids ADRTADHCAFRNLLLVRPLGPQASIRLWKQLQDPRLQC of human B3GNT8 were used as the immunogen for the B3GNT8 antibody.

#### **Storage**

After reconstitution, the B3GNT8 antibody can be stored for up to one month at 4oC. For long-term, aliquot and store at -20oC. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing.