

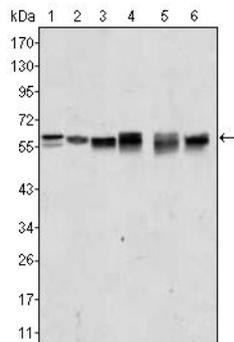
**AKT2****Mouse monoclonal Antibody****#54002****Catalog Number:** 54002**Amount:** 100µg/100µl**Swiss-Prot No. :** P31751**Form of Antibody:** Purified mouse monoclonal in buffer containing 0.1M Tris-Glycine (pH 7.4, 150 mM NaCl) with 0.2% sodium azide, 50% glycerol**Storage/Stability:** Store at -20°C/1 year**Immunogen:** Purified recombinant human AKT2 protein fragments expressed in E.coli**Purification:** affinity-chromatography**Specificity/Sensitivity:** This antibody detects endogenous levels of AKT2 and does not cross-react with related proteins**Reactivity:** Human, Rat, Monkey**Applications:** Predicted MW: 60kd WB: 1:500-2000 IHC/ICC: 1:200-1000

Figure 1: Western blot analysis using AKT2 mouse mAb against A431 (1), Jurkat (2), HEK293 (3), A549 (4), MCF-7 (5) and PC-12 (6) cell lysate.

Background:

Akt2 (also designated protein kinase B beta or v-akt murine thymoma viral oncogene homolog 2), with 481-amino acid protein (about 53kDa), belongs to the AKT serine/threonine protein kinase family, which also includes Akt1 and Akt3. They are involved in a wide variety of biological processes including cell proliferation, differentiation, apoptosis, tumorigenesis, as well as glycogen synthesis and glucose uptake. Among the members of AKT family, Akt2 is associated with the development of human cancers. Akt2 inhibits cisplatin-induced JNK/p38 and Bax activation through phosphorylation of ASK1 and thus, plays an important role in chemoresistance. Further, Akt2 plays a specific role in muscle differentiation.