

## Anti-erbB-2 (Her-2/neu) [4D5-8 (trastuzumab)] Bulk Size Ab00103-2.0-BT

This chimeric mouse antibody was made using the variable domain sequences of the original Human IgG1 format, for improved compatibility with existing reagents, assays and techniques.

**Isotype and Format:** Mouse IgG2a, Kappa

Clone Number: 4D5-8 (trastuzumab)

**Alternative Name(s) of Target:** CD340; Metastatic lymph node gene 19 protein (MLN 19); Proto-oncogene Neu; Proto-oncogene c-ErbB-2; Tyrosine kinase-type cell surface receptor HER2; p185erbB2;

p185HER2; EGFR

**UniProt Accession Number of Target Protein: P04626** 

Published Application(s): ELISA, FC, IHC Published Species Reactivity: Human

**Immunogen:** A431 cells (human epidermoid carcinoma) (over)expressing EGFR.

**Specificity:** Oncogenic protein Her-2/neu (erbB-2), a member of the family of epidermal growth factor (EGF) receptors, overexpressed in 30% of invasive breast cancers and 70% of ductal carcinomata in situ, in a small percentage of melanomas, and in other malignancies originating from various organs, including ovary, kidney, colon, and bladder.

**Application Notes:** This antibody binds to erbB-2/Her-2/neu has therapeutic indications particularly in the treatment of breast cancer (c.f. Herceptin). It can also be used to detect HER-2 by flow cytometry or IHC (Glazyrin 2007).

**Antibody First Published in:** Carter P, Presta L, Gorman CM, Ridgway JB, Henner D, Wong WL, Rowland AM, Kotts C, Carver ME, Shepard HM. Humanization of an anti-p185HER2 antibody for human cancer therapy. Proc Natl Acad Sci U S A. 1992 May 15;89(10):4285-9. PMID:1350088

**Note on publication:** Describes the humanisation of the antibody (also known as Herceptin), shows it recognised HER2 in a wide variety of immuno-assays.

## **Product Form**

**Size:** 1 mg Purified antibody in bulk size. **Purification:** Protein A affinity purified

Supplied In:

PBS only.

**Storage Recommendation:** Store at 4°C for up to 3 months. Note, this antibody is provided without added preservatives, it is therefore recommed this antibody be handled under sterile conditions. For longer storage, aliquot and store at -20°C.

**Concentration:** 1 mg/ml.

Important note – This product is for research use only. It is not intended for use in therapeutic or diagnostic procedures for humans or animals.