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This antibody does not have a J-chain and therefore presents as a hexamer, rather than a pentamer.

This reformatted human 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: Human IgM, Kappa

**Clone Number:** CR3018 (03-018)

Alternative Name(s) of Target: NP; NC; Protein N; Nucleocapsid protein; SARS-CoV Protein N; SARS-CoV

Nucleocapsid protein; SARS Coronavirus; SARS-CoV-2; SARS CoV 2; 2019-nCoV

**UniProt Accession Number of Target Protein:** P0DTC9, P59595

Published Application(s): ELISA, IF

Published Species Reactivity: SARS-CoV, SARS-CoV2

**Immunogen:** The original antibody was generated by cloning the variable regions of the scFvs selected from phage display libraries into separate vectors for IgG1 heavy-chain and light-chain expression. The harvested supernatents were then purified on protein A columns. The original immunogen was the whole irradiated virion.

**Specificity:** This antibody binds the amino acid residues between 11-19 of the N protein of the SARS CoV as well as SARS-CoV-2 (COVID-19) nucleocapsid protein.

**Application Notes:** This antibody is recommended for detection of SARS CoV2 protein N (nucleoprotein). This antibody binds both the nucleocapsid protein of the SARS-CoV and SARS CoV-2 (2019-nCoV). Initial characterization of the antibody for binding to 2019-nCoV was done using ELISA. This antibody shows potential to be used for development of diagnostic assays. Various isotype versions of the antibody namely human IgG1, IgG3, IgM, IgA and the less common IgG2 and IgG4 are available for the investigation of their role in response to SARS CoV2. Competitive ELISA of this antibody with CR3009 suggests that both these antibodies bind different epitopes of the N protein of SARS CoV. Thus, a combination of these two antibodies is suggested for virus capture assays. Immunofluorescence staining was used to demonstrate binding of CR3018 to SARS-CoV infected Vero cells. (PMID:15650189)

**Antibody First Published in:** Van Den Brink et al. Molecular and Biological Characterization of Human Monoclonal Antibodies Binding to the Spike and Nucleocapsid Proteins of Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome Coronavirus. Journal of Virology (2005); Vol-79 (3); p. 1635–1644.

## PMID:15650189

**Note on publication:** Describes the generation and characterization of the antibody.

## **Product Form**

**Size:** 500 μg Purified antibody in bulk size.

**Purification:** Affinity Purified using a recombinant lectin column

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.