




## Product datasheet

### Anti-Alpha B Crystallin antibody ab13497

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#### Overview

<b>Product name</b>	Anti-Alpha B Crystallin antibody
<b>Description</b>	Rabbit polyclonal to Alpha B Crystallin
<b>Host species</b>	Rabbit
<b>Specificity</b>	Does not cross-react with $\alpha$ A-crystallin.
<b>Tested applications</b>	<b>Suitable for:</b> IP, WB, ICC, IHC-Fr, IHC-P, ICC/IF
<b>Species reactivity</b>	<b>Reacts with:</b> Mouse, Rat, Chicken, Cow, Human, Pig <b>Predicted to work with:</b> Rabbit, Hamster 
<b>Immunogen</b>	Synthetic peptide: REEKPAVTAAPKK conjugated to KLH, corresponding to amino acids 163-175 of Human alpha B Crystallin.  <a href="#">Run BLAST with</a>  <a href="#">Run BLAST with</a>
<b>Positive control</b>	ICC: HeLa. (Heat shocked). WB: A431, HCT116, HeLa, HepG2, HEK293, HUVEC, Jurkat, MCF7, PC3, and Rat brain cell lysate.
<b>General notes</b>	For maximum product recovery, after thawing, centrifuge the product vial before removing cap  The Life Science industry has been in the grips of a reproducibility crisis for a number of years. Abcam is leading the way in addressing this with our range of recombinant monoclonal antibodies and knockout edited cell lines for gold-standard validation. Please check that this product meets your needs before purchasing.  If you have any questions, special requirements or concerns, please send us an inquiry and/or contact our Support team ahead of purchase. Recommended alternatives for this product can be found below, along with publications, customer reviews and Q&As

#### Properties

<b>Form</b>	Liquid
<b>Storage instructions</b>	Shipped at 4°C. Store at +4°C short term (1-2 weeks). Upon delivery aliquot. Store at -20°C or -80°C. Avoid freeze / thaw cycle.
<b>Storage buffer</b>	Constituent: Whole serum
<b>Purity</b>	Affinity purified
<b>Clonality</b>	Polyclonal

Isotype

IgG

## Applications

### The Abpromise guarantee

Our **Abpromise guarantee** covers the use of ab13497 in the following tested applications.

The application notes include recommended starting dilutions; optimal dilutions/concentrations should be determined by the end user.

Application	Abreviews	Notes
IP		Use at an assay dependent concentration.
WB	★★★★★ (3)	1/1000 - 1/2000. Detects a band of approximately 22 kDa (predicted molecular weight: 20 kDa).
ICC		Use at an assay dependent concentration.
IHC-Fr		Use at an assay dependent concentration.
IHC-P	★★★★★ (1)	Use at an assay dependent concentration.
ICC/IF		1/120.

## Target

### Function

May contribute to the transparency and refractive index of the lens.

### Tissue specificity

Lens as well as other tissues.

### Involvement in disease

Defects in CRYAB are the cause of myofibrillar alpha-B crystallin-related (MFM-CRYAB) [MIM:608810]. A neuromuscular disorder that results in weakness of the proximal and distal limb muscles, weakness of the neck, velopharynx and trunk muscles, hypertrophic cardiomyopathy, and cataract in a subset of patients.

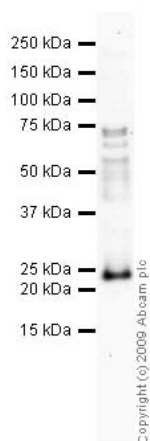
### Sequence similarities

Belongs to the small heat shock protein (HSP20) family.

### Cellular localization

Cytoplasm. Nucleus. Translocates to the nucleus during heat shock and resides in sub-nuclear structures known as SC35 speckles or nuclear splicing speckles.

## Images



Western blot - Anti-Alpha B Crystallin antibody (ab13497)

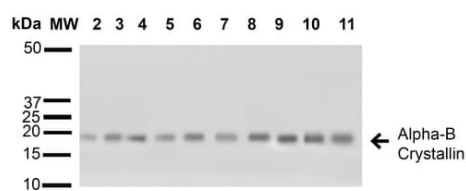
Anti-Alpha B Crystallin antibody (ab13497) at 1/1000 dilution + Human spinal cord tissue lysate - total protein (**ab29188**) at 10 µg

### Secondary

Goat polyclonal to Rabbit IgG - H&L - Pre-Adsorbed (HRP) at 1/3000 dilution

**Predicted band size:** 20 kDa

**Observed band size:** 22 kDa



Western blot - Anti-Alpha B Crystallin antibody (ab13497)

Western blot analysis of Human A431, HCT116, HeLa, HepG2, HEK293, HUVEC, Jurkat, MCF7, PC3 and T98G cell lysates showing detection of ~22 kDa Alpha B Crystallin protein using Rabbit Anti-Alpha B Crystallin Polyclonal Antibody (ab13497).

Lane 1: Molecular Weight Ladder (MW).

Lane 2: A431 cell lysates.

Lane 3: HCT116 cell lysates.

Lane 4: HeLa cell lysates.

Lane 5: HepG2 cell lysates.

Lane 6: HEK293 cell lysates.

Lane 7: HUVEC cell lysates.

Lane 8: Jurkat cell lysates.

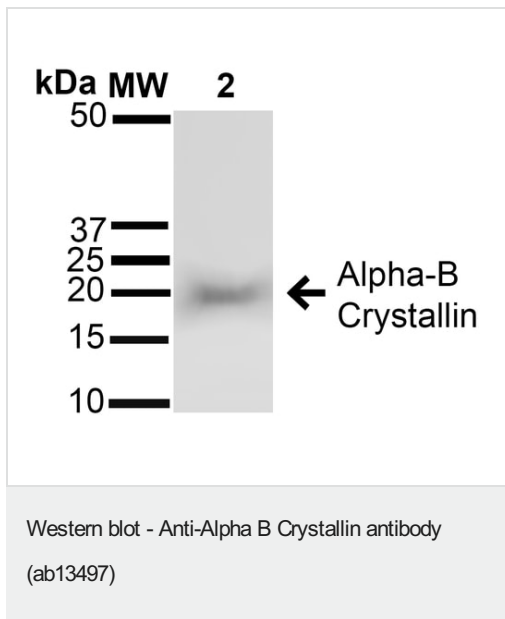
Lane 9: MCF7 cell lysates.

Lane 10: PC3 cell lysates.

Lane 11: T98G cell lysates.

Load: 15 µg. Block: 5% Skim Milk in 1X TBST. Primary Antibody: Rabbit Anti-Alpha B Crystallin Polyclonal Antibody (ab13497) at

1/1000 dilution for 60 min at RT. Secondary Antibody: Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG: HRP at 1/1000 dilution for 60 min at RT. Color Development: ECL solution for 6 min in RT. Predicted/Observed Size: ~22 kDa.

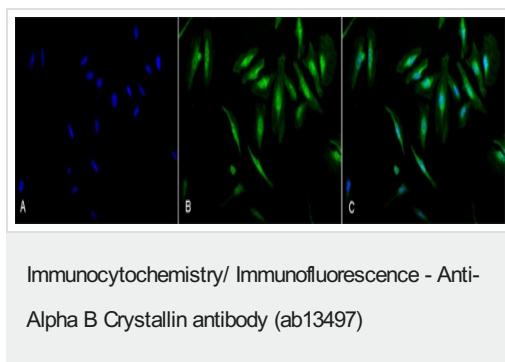


Western blot analysis of Rat Brain cell lysates showing detection of ~22 kDa Alpha B Crystallin protein using Rabbit Anti-Alpha B Crystallin Polyclonal Antibody (ab13497).

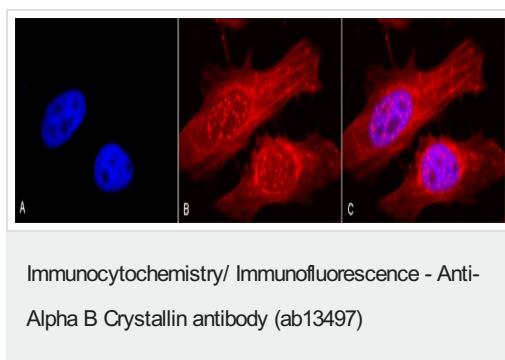
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Immunofluorescent analysis of 2% paraformaldehyde fixed Heat Shocked (at 42°C for 1h) Cervical cancer cell line (HeLa) for 20min at RT, labelling Alpha B Crystallin with ab13497 at 1/120 dilution for 12 hours at 4°C, followed by secondary antibody Goat Anti-Rabbit (FITC) (Green) at 1/200 dilution for 2 hours at RT. Counterstain: DAPI (blue) nuclear stain at 1/40000 dilution for 2 hours at RT. Image showing actin filament bundles, nuclear splicing speckles, and Exosome staining. (A) DAPI (blue) nuclear stain. (B) Anti-Alpha B Crystallin Antibody (green). (C) Composite image.



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