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# Product datasheet

# Anti-FABP4 antibody ab13979

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#### Overview

Product name Anti-FABP4 antibody

**Description** Rabbit polyclonal to FABP4

Host species Rabbit

Tested applications Suitable for: ⊮C-P

Species reactivity Reacts with: Human

**Immunogen** Recombinant full length protein (Human).

**General notes**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.

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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**

Form Liquid

Storage instructions 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.

Storage buffer Constituents: 0.134% PBS, 0.58% Sodium chloride

Purity Immunogen affinity purified

**Clonality** Polyclonal

**Isotype** IgG

## **Applications**

The Abpromise guarantee Our Abpromise guarantee covers the use of ab13979 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
IHC-P	<b>★★★★</b> <u>(1)</u>	1/200.

### **Target**

Function
Lipid transport protein in adipocytes. Binds both long chain fatty acids and retinoic acid. Delivers long-chain fatty acids and retinoic acid to their cognate receptors in the nucleus.

Sequence similarities
Belongs to the calycin superfamily. Fatty-acid binding protein (FABP) family.

**Domain**Forms a beta-barrel structure that accommodates hydrophobic ligands in its interior.

**Cellular localization**Cytoplasm. Nucleus. Depending on the nature of the ligand, a conformation change exposes a

nuclear localization motif and the protein is transported into the nucleus. Subject to constitutive

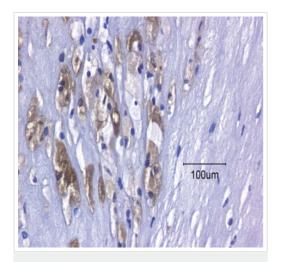
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# **Images**



Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffinembedded sections) - Anti-FABP4 antibody (ab13979)

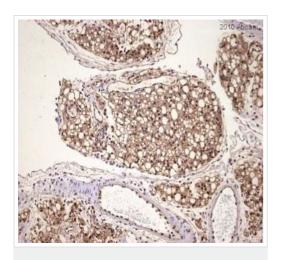
Immunohistochemical analysis of FFPE human adipose tissue, labeling FABP4 with ab13979 (2µg/ml). DAB staining.



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Image from Holm S et al., PLoS One. 2011;6(12):e28785. Epub 2011 Dec 9. Fig 3.; doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0028785; December 9, 2011, PLoS ONE 6(12): e28785. Immunohistochemical analysis of Human carotid atherosclerotic plaques, staining FABP4 with ab13979.

Antigen retrieval was performed by heat mediation in a citrate buffer (pH 6) and blocked with 0.5% BSA. Sections were incubated with primary antibody for 1 hour at room temperature. Staining was detected using DAB.

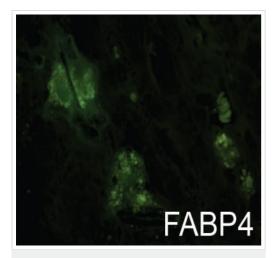


Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffinembedded sections) - Anti-FABP4 antibody (ab13979)

This image is courtesy of an anonymous Abreview.

Immunohistochemical analysis of FFPE mouse pancreatic and peripancreatic fatty tissue, labeling FABP4 with ab13979. Tissue was fixed in 10% neutral buffered formalin, heat mediated antigen retrieval was performed using citrate buffer, and blocking was performed with 10% goat serum and 1% BSA inj TBST for 1 hour at 25°C.

Staining with ab13979 (diluted 1/500) was performed for 12 hours at 4°C. A goat anti-rabbit HRP-conjugated secondary was used, diluted 1/200.



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