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# Product datasheet

# Anti-Myelin Basic Protein antibody [EPR10144] ab155995



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#### Overview

Product name Anti-Myelin Basic Protein antibody [EPR10144]

**Description** Rabbit monoclonal [EPR10144] to Myelin Basic Protein

Host species Rabbit

Tested applications Suitable for: WB

Unsuitable for: ICC/IF,IHC-P or IP

Species reactivity Reacts with: Mouse, Rat, Human

Immunogen Recombinant fragment corresponding to Human Myelin Basic Protein.

**Positive control** Mouse brain, rat brain and Human fetal lung lysates;

**General notes**This product is a recombinant monoclonal antibody, which offers several advantages including:

- High batch-to-batch consistency and reproducibility

- Improved sensitivity and specificity

Long-term security of supplyAnimal-free production

For more information see here.

Our RabMAb<sup>®</sup> technology is a patented hybridoma-based technology for making rabbit monoclonal antibodies. For details on our patents, please refer to **RabMAb**<sup>®</sup> **patents**.

#### **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 long

term. Avoid freeze / thaw cycle.

Storage buffer pH: 7.2

Preservative: 0.01% Sodium azide

Constituents: 9% PBS, 40% Glycerol (glycerin, glycerine), 0.05% BSA, 50% Tissue culture

supernatant

Purity Tissue culture supernatant

**Clonality** Monoclonal

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Clone number EPR10144

**Isotype** IgG

#### **Applications**

#### The Abpromise guarantee

Our Abpromise quarantee covers the use of ab155995 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
WB		1/1000 - 1/10000. Predicted molecular weight: 19-33 kDa.

**Application notes** 

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#### **Target**

**Function** 

The classic group of MBP isoforms (isoform 4-isoform 14) are with PLP the most abundant protein components of the myelin membrane in the CNS. They have a role in both its formation and stabilization. The smaller isoforms might have an important role in remyelination of denuded axons in multiple sclerosis. The non-classic group of MBP isoforms (isoform 1-isoform 3/Golli-MBPs) may preferentially have a role in the early developing brain long before myelination, maybe as components of transcriptional complexes, and may also be involved in signaling pathways in T-cells and neural cells. Differential splicing events combined with optional post-translational modifications give a wide spectrum of isomers, with each of them potentially having a specialized function. Induces T-cell proliferation.

**Tissue specificity** 

MBP isoforms are found in both the central and the peripheral nervous system, whereas Golli-MBP isoforms are expressed in fetal thymus, spleen and spinal cord, as well as in cell lines derived from the immune system.

Involvement in disease

Note=The reduction in the surface charge of citrullinated and/or methylated MBP could result in a weakened attachment to the myelin membrane. This mechanism could be operative in demyelinating diseases such as chronical multiple sclerosis (MS), and fulminating MS (Marburg disease).

Sequence similarities

Belongs to the myelin basic protein family.

Developmental stage

Expression begins abruptly in 14-16 week old fetuses. Even smaller isoforms seem to be produced during embryogenesis; some of these persisting in the adult. Isoform 4 expression is more evident at 16 weeks and its relative proportion declines thereafter.

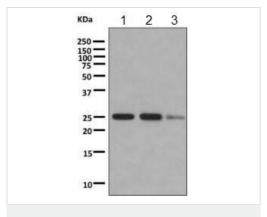
Post-translational modifications

Several charge isomers of MBP; C1 (the most cationic, least modified, and most abundant form), C2, C3, C4, C5, C6, C7, C8-A and C8-B (the least cationic form); are produced as a result of optional PTM, such as phosphorylation, deamidation of glutamine or asparagine, arginine citrullination and methylation. C8-A and C8-B contain each two mass isoforms termed C8-A(H), C8-A(L), C8-B(H) and C8-B(L), (H) standing for higher and (L) for lower molecular weight. C3, C4 and C5 are phosphorylated. The ratio of methylated arginine residues decreases during aging, making the protein more cationic.

The N-terminal alanine is acetylated (isoform 3, isoform 4, isoform 5 and isoform 6). Arg-241 was found to be 6% monomethylated and 60% symmetrically dimethylated.

**Cellular localization** 

Myelin membrane. Cytoplasmic side of myelin.



Western blot - Anti-Myelin Basic Protein antibody [EPR10144] (ab155995)

**All lanes :** Anti-Myelin Basic Protein antibody [EPR10144] (ab155995) at 1/1000 dilution

Lane 1 : Mouse brain lysate

Lane 2: Rat brain lysate

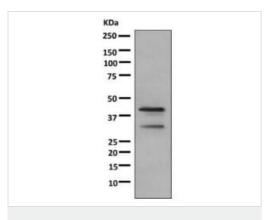
Lane 3: Human fetal lung lysate

Lysates/proteins at 10 µg per lane.

# **Secondary**

All lanes: Goat anti-rabbit HRP at 1/2000 dilution

Predicted band size: 19-33 kDa



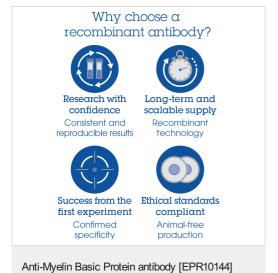
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Anti-Myelin Basic Protein antibody [EPR10144] (ab155995) at 1/1000 dilution + Human GST/HIS-tagged Myelin Basic Protein recombinant protein at 0.01  $\mu g$ 

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