


Product datasheet

Anti-GFAP delta antibody ab93251

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Overview

Product name	Anti-GFAP delta antibody
Description	Rabbit polyclonal to GFAP delta
Host species	Rabbit
Tested applications	Suitable for: WB, IHC-P
Species reactivity	Reacts with: Mouse Predicted to work with: Rat 
Immunogen	Synthetic peptide corresponding to Mouse GFAP delta aa 350 to the C-terminus conjugated to keyhole limpet haemocyanin. (Peptide available as ab129227)
Positive control	This antibody gave a positive signal in the following tissue lysates: Mouse Brain; Mouse Cerebellum; Mouse Hippocampus; Mouse Spinal Cord. This antibody gave a positive result in IHC in the following FFPE tissue: Normal mouse adult brain.
General notes	<p>Reproducibility is key to advancing scientific discovery and accelerating scientists' next breakthrough.</p> <p>Abcam is leading the way with our range of recombinant antibodies, knockout-validated antibodies and knockout cell lines, all of which support improved reproducibility.</p> <p>We are also planning to innovate the way in which we present recommended applications and species on our product datasheets, so that only applications & species that have been tested in our own labs, our suppliers or by selected trusted collaborators are covered by our Abpromise™ guarantee.</p> <p>In preparation for this, we have started to update the applications & species that this product is Abpromise guaranteed for.</p> <p>We are also updating the applications & species that this product has been “predicted to work with,” however this information is not covered by our Abpromise guarantee.</p> <p>Applications & species from publications and Abreviews that have not been tested in our own labs or in those of our suppliers are not covered by the Abpromise guarantee.</p> <p>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, as well as customer reviews and Q&As.</p>


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	pH: 7.40 Preservative: 0.02% Sodium azide Constituent: PBS Batches of this product that have a concentration < 1mg/ml may have BSA added as a stabilising agent. If you would like information about the formulation of a specific lot, please contact our scientific support team who will be happy to help.
Purity	Immunogen affinity purified
Clonality	Polyclonal
Isotype	IgG

Applications

Our [Abpromise guarantee](#) covers the use of **ab93251** 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		Use a concentration of 1 µg/ml. Detects a band of approximately 50 kDa (predicted molecular weight: 50 kDa).
IHC-P		Use a concentration of 5 µg/ml.

Target

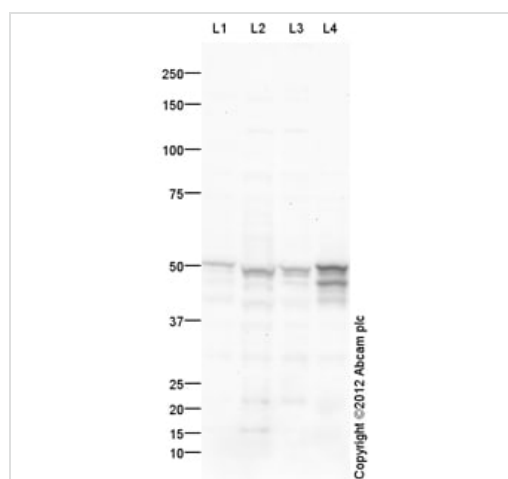
Function	GFAP, a class-III intermediate filament, is a cell-specific marker that, during the development of the central nervous system, distinguishes astrocytes from other glial cells.
Tissue specificity	Expressed in cells lacking fibronectin.
Involvement in disease	Defects in GFAP are a cause of Alexander disease (ALEXD) [MIM:203450]. Alexander disease is a rare disorder of the central nervous system. It is a progressive leukoencephalopathy whose hallmark is the widespread accumulation of Rosenthal fibers which are cytoplasmic inclusions in astrocytes. The most common form affects infants and young children, and is characterized by progressive failure of central myelination, usually leading to death usually within the first decade. Infants with Alexander disease develop a leukoencephalopathy with macrocephaly, seizures, and psychomotor retardation. Patients with juvenile or adult forms typically experience ataxia, bulbar signs and spasticity, and a more slowly progressive course.
Sequence similarities	Belongs to the intermediate filament family.
Post-translational modifications	Phosphorylated by PKN1.
Cellular localization	Cytoplasm. Associated with intermediate filaments.



Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffin-embedded sections) - Anti-GFAP delta antibody (ab93251)

IHC image of GFAP delta staining in normal Mouse brain formalin fixed paraffin embedded tissue section, performed on a Leica Bond™ system using the standard protocol B. The section was pre-treated using heat mediated antigen retrieval with sodium citrate buffer (pH6, epitope retrieval solution 1) for 20 mins. The section was then incubated with ab93251, 5µg/ml, for 15 mins at room temperature. A Goat anti-Rabbit biotinylated secondary antibody was used to detect the primary, and visualized using an HRP conjugated ABC system. DAB was used as the chromogen. The section was then counterstained with haematoxylin and mounted with DPX.

For other IHC staining systems (automated and non-automated) customers should optimize variable parameters such as antigen retrieval conditions, primary antibody concentration and antibody incubation times.



Western blot - Anti-GFAP delta antibody (ab93251)

All lanes : Anti-GFAP delta antibody (ab93251) at 1 µg/ml

Lane 1 : Brain (Mouse) Tissue Lysate

Lane 2 : Cerebellum Mouse Tissue Lysate

Lane 3 : Mouse Hippocampus Tissue Lysate

Lane 4 : Spinal Cord (Mouse) Tissue Lysate

Lysates/proteins at 10 µg per lane.

Secondary

All lanes : Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (HRP) preadsorbed (ab97080) at 1/5000 dilution

Developed using the ECL technique.

Performed under reducing conditions.

Predicted band size: 50 kDa

Observed band size: 50 kDa

Additional bands at: 15 kDa, 47 kDa, 70 kDa. We are unsure as to the identity of these extra bands.

Exposure time: 2 minutes

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