

Product datasheet

Anti-Metallothionein antibody ab36882

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Overview

<b>Product name</b>	Anti-Metallothionein antibody
<b>Description</b>	Rabbit polyclonal to Metallothionein
<b>Host species</b>	Rabbit
<b>Tested applications</b>	<b>Suitable for:</b> ELISA, WB
<b>Species reactivity</b>	Reacts with Atlantic cod ( <i>Gadus morhua</i> ) and with metallothionein from a wide variety of different species including whiting ( <i>Merlangius merlangus</i> ), yellow gurnard ( <i>Trigla lucerna</i> ) and flounder ( <i>Platichthys flesus</i> ) as well as some cypriniform, siluriform, salmoniform, perciform and rajiform species.
<b>Immunogen</b>	Metallothionein purified from liver of Atlantic cod ( <i>Gadus morhua</i> ).
<b>Positive control</b>	WB: Liver S9 fractions.

Properties

<b>Form</b>	Liquid
<b>Storage instructions</b>	Shipped at 4°C. Store at +4°C short term (1-2 weeks). Store at -20°C or -80°C. Avoid freeze / thaw cycle.
<b>Storage buffer</b>	pH: 7.40 Preservative: 0.1% Sodium azide Constituents: 1.64% Sodium phosphate, 1% BSA, 0.87% Sodium chloride
<b>Purity</b>	Protein G purified
<b>Clonality</b>	Polyclonal
<b>Isotype</b>	IgG

Applications

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

Application	Abreviews	Notes
ELISA		1/50 - 1/1000. Not recommended for coating due to the BSA content.

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WB		1/50 - 1/1000. Detects a band of approximately 15 kDa (predicted molecular weight: 6 kDa).

**Target**

**Function**

Metallothioneins have a high content of cysteine residues that bind various heavy metals; these proteins are transcriptionally regulated by both heavy metals and glucocorticoids.

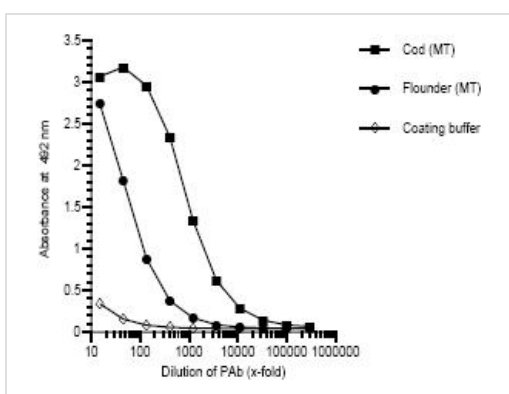
**Sequence similarities**

Belongs to the metallothionein superfamily. Type 1 family.

**Domain**

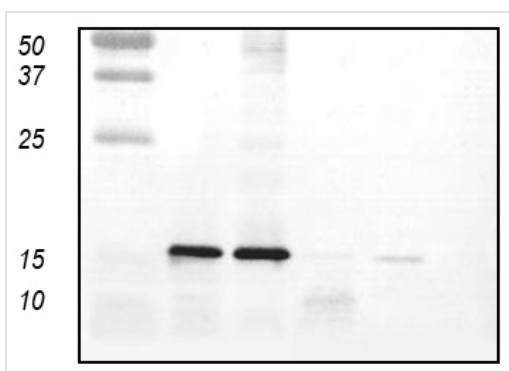
Class I metallothioneins contain 2 metal-binding domains: four divalent ions are chelated within cluster A of the alpha domain and are coordinated via cysteinyl thiolate bridges to 11 cysteine ligands. Cluster B, the corresponding region within the beta domain, can ligate three divalent ions to 9 cysteines.

**Images**



Ab36882, at a concentration of 1 µg/ml, staining Metallothionein by ELISA. Coating buffer was used as a negative control.

ELISA - Anti-Metallothionein antibody (ab36882)



Western blot - Anti-Metallothionein antibody (ab36882)

**All lanes** : Anti-Metallothionein antibody (ab36882) at 1/500 dilution

**Lane 2** : Purified metallothionein from Atlantic cod at 0.25 µg

**Lane 3** : Liver S9 fractions from cadmium treated Atlantic cod at 2.5 µg

**Lane 4** : Liver S9 fractions from cadmium treated Whiting at 2.5 µg

**Lane 5** : Liver S9 fractions from cadmium treated Yellow gurnard at 2.5 µg

**Lane 6** : Liver S9 fractions from cadmium treated Flounder at 2.5 µg

**Predicted band size:** 6 kDa

**Observed band size:** 15 kDa

[why is the actual band size different from the predicted?](#)

Lane 1 represents the molecular weight standard.

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