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## Product datasheet

## Anti-Calnexin antibody [EPR3633(2)] - ER Membrane Marker ab133615





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Overview

**Product name** Anti-Calnexin antibody [EPR3633(2)] - ER Membrane Marker

**Description** Rabbit monoclonal [EPR3633(2)] to Calnexin - ER Membrane Marker

**Host species** Rabbit

Specificity Recognizes ER membrane, mitochondria and cis-Golgi.

**Tested applications** Suitable for: Flow Cyt (Intra), WB, IHC-P

Species reactivity Reacts with: Human

Does not react with: Mouse

**Immunogen** Synthetic peptide within Human Calnexin aa 550 to the C-terminus (C terminal). The exact

> sequence is proprietary. Database link: P27824

Positive control WB: WT HAP1, WT HEK-293T, HepG2, HeLa, A431, SH-SY5Y and THP1 cell lysate. IHC-P:

Human pancreas and kidney tissue. Flow Cyt (intra): HeLa cells.

**General notes** References regarding specificity:

> Horner SM et al. Mitochondrial-associated endoplasmic reticulum membranes (MAM) form innate immune synapses and are targeted by hepatitis C virus. Proc Natl Acad Sci U S A

108:14590-5 (2011). **PubMed: 21844353** 

Myhill N et al. The subcellular distribution of calnexin is mediated by PACS-2. Mol Biol Cell

19:2777-88 (2008). PubMed: 18417615

Yoshimura SI et al. Direct targeting of cis-Golgi matrix proteins to the Golgi apparatus. J Cell Sci

114:4105-15 (2001). PubMed: 11739642

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 supply

- Animal-free production

For more information see here.

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

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#### **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.

Stable for 12 months at -20°C.

Storage buffer pH: 7.20

Preservative: 0.01% Sodium azide

Constituents: 0.05% BSA, 40% Glycerol, PBS

Purity Protein A purified

ClonalityMonoclonalClone numberEPR3633(2)

**Isotype** IgG

## **Applications**

The Abpromise guarantee

Our **Abpromise guarantee** covers the use of ab133615 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
Flow Cyt (Intra)		1/360.  ab172730 - Rabbit monoclonal lgG, is suitable for use as an isotype control with this antibody.
WB		1/1000 - 1/5000. Detects a band of approximately 90 kDa (predicted molecular weight: 68 kDa).
ІНС-Р		1/4000. Perform heat mediated antigen retrieval before commencing with IHC staining protocol.  For unpurified, use 1/100 - 1/250.  See IHC antigen retrieval protocols.

## **Target**

**Function** Calcium-binding protein that interacts with newly synthesized glycoproteins in the endoplasmic

reticulum. It may act in assisting protein assembly and/or in the retention within the ER of

unassembled protein subunits. It seems to play a major role in the quality control apparatus of the

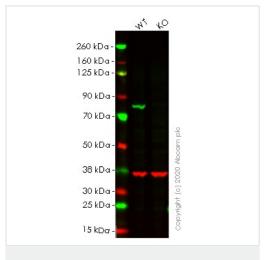
ER by the retention of incorrectly folded proteins.

Sequence similarities Belongs to the calreticulin family.

**Cellular localization** Endoplasmic reticulum membrane. Melanosome. Identified by mass spectrometry in melanosome

fractions from stage I to stage IV.

#### **Images**



Western blot - Anti-Calnexin antibody [EPR3633(2)]
- ER Membrane Marker (ab133615)

**All lanes :** Anti-Calnexin antibody [EPR3633(2)] - ER Membrane Marker (ab133615) at 1/1000 dilution

Lane 1: Wild-type HEK-293T cell lysate

Lane 2: CANX knockout HEK-293T cell lysate

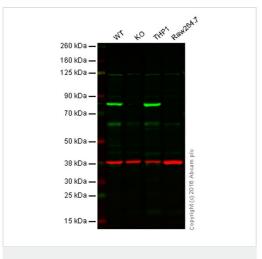
Lysates/proteins at 20 µg per lane.

Performed under reducing conditions.

**Predicted band size:** 68 kDa **Observed band size:** 90 kDa

**Lanes 1-2:** Merged signal (red and green). Green - ab133615 observed at 90 kDa. Red - Anti-GAPDH antibody [6C5] - Loading Control (ab8245) observed at 37 kDa.

ab133615 was shown to react with Calnexin in wild-type HEK-293T cells in western blot. Loss of signal was observed when knockout cell line <a href="mailto:ab255368">ab255368</a> (knockout cell lysate <a href="mailto:ab263805">ab263805</a>) was used. Wild-type HEK-293T and CANX knockout HEK-293T cell lysates were subjected to SDS-PAGE. Membrane was blocked for 1 hour at room temperature in 0.1% TBST with 3% non-fat dried milk. ab133615 and Anti-GAPDH antibody [6C5] - Loading Control (<a href="mailto:ab8245">ab8245</a>) overnight at 4°C at a 1 in 1000 dilution and a 1 in 20000 dilution respectively. Blots were developed with Goat anti-Rabbit lgG H&L (IRDye®800CW) preadsorbed (<a href="mailto:ab216773">ab216773</a>) and Goat anti-Mouse lgG H&L (IRDye®680RD) preadsorbed (<a href="mailto:ab216776">ab216776</a>) secondary antibodies at 1 in 20000 dilution for 1 hour at room temperature before imaging.



Western blot - Anti-Calnexin antibody [EPR3633(2)]

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Lane 1: Wild-type HAP1 cell lysate

Lane 2: Calnexin knockout HAP1 cell lysate

Lane 3: THP1 cell lysate

Lane 4: Raw264.7 (Mouse macrophage cell line transformed with

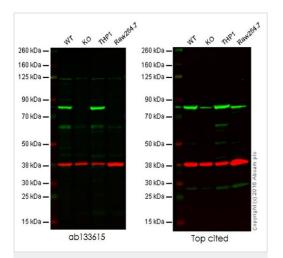
Abelson murine leukemia virus) cell lysate

Lysates/proteins at 20 µg per lane.

Predicted band size: 68 kDa

**Lanes 1 - 4:** Merged signal (red and green). Green - ab133615 observed at 80 kDa. Red - loading control, **ab8245**, observed at 37 kDa.

ab133615 was shown to recognize Calnexin when Calnexin knockout samples were used, along with additional cross-reactive bands. Wild-type and Calnexin knockout samples were subjected to SDS-PAGE. ab133615 and <a href="mailto:ab8245">ab8245</a> (loading control to GAPDH) were diluted 1/1000 and 1/10 000 respectively and incubated overnight at 4°C. Blots were developed with Goat anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (IRDye® 800CW) preadsorbed (<a href="mailto:ab216773">ab216773</a>) and Goat anti-Mouse IgG H&L (IRDye® 680RD) preadsorbed (<a href="mailto:ab216776">ab216776</a>) secondary antibodies at 1/10 000 dilution for 1 h at room temperature before imaging.



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This western blot image is a comparison between ab133615 and a competitor's top cited rabbit polyclonal antibody.

Anti-Calnexin antibody [EPR3633(2)] - ER Membrane Marker (ab133615) at 1/1000 dilution (purified) + HepG2 (Human liver hepatocellular carcinoma cell line) cell lysate at 20  $\mu$ g

#### Secondary

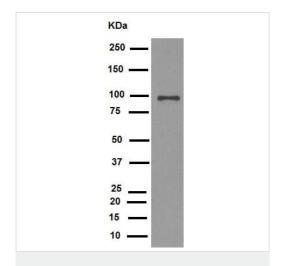
HRP goat anti-rabbit (H+L) at 1/1000 dilution

**Predicted band size:** 68 kDa **Observed band size:** 90 kDa

Blocking buffer: 5% NFDM/TBST

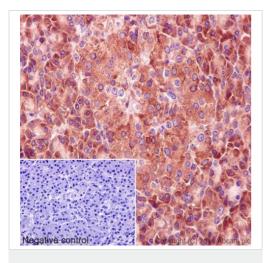
Dilution buffer: 5% NFDM/TBST

Immunohistochemical staining of paraffin embedded human pancreas with purified ab133615 at a working dilution of 1 in 4000. The secondary antibody used is **ab97051**, a HRP goat antirabbit (H+L), at a dilution of 1/500. The sample is counter-stained with hematoxylin. Antigen retrieval was perfomed using Tris-EDTA buffer, pH 9.0. PBS was used instead of the primary antibody as the negative control, and is shown in the inset.



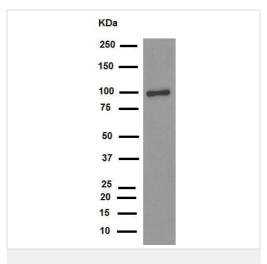
Western blot - Anti-Calnexin antibody [EPR3633(2)]

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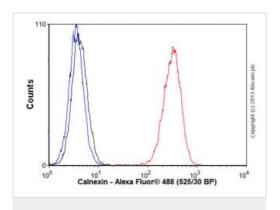
Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffinembedded sections) - Anti-Calnexin antibody

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Flow Cytometry (Intracellular) - Anti-Calnexin antibody [EPR3633(2)] - ER Membrane Marker (ab133615)

Anti-Calnexin antibody [EPR3633(2)] - ER Membrane Marker (ab133615) at 1/5000 dilution (purified) + HeLa (Human epithelial cell line from cervix adenocarcinoma) cell lysate at 20 µg

### **Secondary**

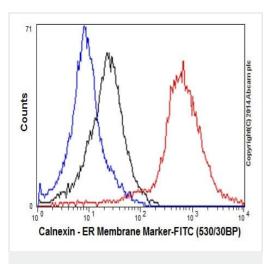
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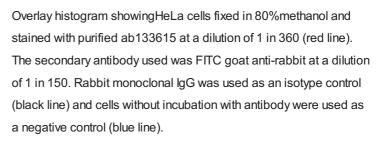
Blocking buffer: 5% NFDM/TBST

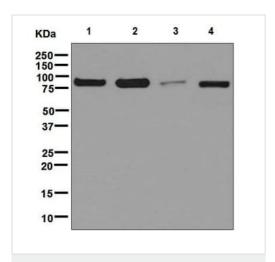
Dilution buffer: 5% NFDM/TBST

Overlay histogram showing HeLa cells stained with unpurified ab133615 (red line). The cells were fixed with 80% methanol (5 min) and then permeabilized with 0.1% PBS-Tween for 20 min. The cells were then incubated in 1x PBS / 10% normal goat serum / 0.3M glycine to block non-specific protein-protein interactions followed by the antibody (unpurified ab133615, 1/1000 dilution) for 30 min at 22°C. The secondary antibody used was Alexa Fluorr® 488 goat anti-rabbit lgG (H&L) (ab150077) at 1/2000 dilution for 30 min at 22°C. Isotype control antibody (black line) was rabbit IgG (monoclonal)  $(0.1 \mu g/1 x 10^6 \text{ cells})$  used under the same conditions. Unlabelled sample (blue line) was also used as a control. Acquisition of >5,000 events were collected using a 20mW Argon ion laser (488nm) and 525/30 bandpass filter. This antibody gave a positive signal in HeLa cells fixed with 4% paraformaldehyde (10 min)/permeabilized with 0.1% PBS-Tween for 20 min used under the same conditions.



Flow Cytometry (Intracellular) - Anti-Calnexin antibody [EPR3633(2)] - ER Membrane Marker (ab133615)





Western blot - Anti-Calnexin antibody [EPR3633(2)] - ER Membrane Marker (ab133615)

**All lanes :** Anti-Calnexin antibody [EPR3633(2)] - ER Membrane Marker (ab133615) at 1/1000 dilution (unpurified)

**Lane 1 :** HepG2 (Human liver hepatocellular carcinoma cell line) cell lysate

Lane 2: A431 (Human epidermoid carcinoma cell line) cell lysate

Lane 3: SH-SY5Y (Human neuroblastoma cell line from bone

marrow) cell lysate

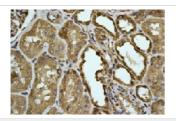
**Lane 4 :** HeLa (Human epithelial cell line from cervix adenocarcinoma) cell lysate

Lysates/proteins at 10 µg per lane.

#### Secondary

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

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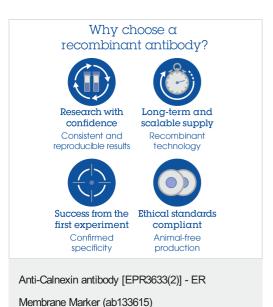


Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffinembedded sections) - Anti-Calnexin antibody

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Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded human kidney tissue labelled with unpurified ab133615 at 1/100 dilution.

Perform heat mediated antigen retrieval before commencing with IHC staining protocol.



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