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# Product datasheet

# Anti-CLASP2 antibody [KT68] ab95373

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Overview

Product name Anti-CLASP2 antibody [KT68]

**Description** Rat monoclonal [KT68] to CLASP2

Host species Rat

Tested applications Suitable for: IHC-P

Species reactivity Reacts with: Mouse

Immunogen Recombinant fragment corresponding to Human CLASP2 aa 50-900 (N terminal).

Database link: 075122

**Positive control**This antibody gave a positive result in IHC in the following FFPE tissue: Mouse Brain.

**General notes**The Life Science industry has been in the grips of a reproducibility crisis for a number of years.

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**Properties** 

Form Liquid

**Storage instructions** Shipped at 4°C. Upon delivery aliquot and store at -20°C. Avoid freeze / thaw cycles.

**Storage buffer** Preservative: 0.09% Sodium azide

Constituent: PBS

Purity Protein G purified

**Clonality** Monoclonal

Clone number KT68
Isotype IgG2b

**Applications** 

The Abpromise guarantee Our Abpromise guarantee covers the use of ab95373 in the following tested 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
IHC-P		Use a concentration of 1 µg/ml. Perform heat mediated antigen retrieval with citrate buffer pH 6 before commencing with IHC staining protocol.

#### **Target**

#### **Function**

Microtubule plus-end tracking protein that promotes the stabilization of dynamic microtubules (PubMed:26003921). Involved in the nucleation of noncentrosomal microtubules originating from the trans-Golgi network (TGN). Required for the polarization of the cytoplasmic microtubule arrays in migrating cells towards the leading edge of the cell. May act at the cell cortex to enhance the frequency of rescue of depolymerizing microtubules by attaching their plus-ends to cortical platforms composed of ERC1 and PHLDB2 (PubMed:16824950). This cortical microtubule stabilizing activity is regulated at least in part by phosphatidylinositol 3-kinase signaling. Also performs a similar stabilizing function at the kinetochore which is essential for the bipolar alignment of chromosomes on the mitotic spindle (PubMed:16866869, PubMed:16914514). Acts as a mediator of ERBB2-dependent stabilization of microtubules at the cell cortex.

### Tissue specificity

### Sequence similarities

#### Domain

# Post-translational modifications

# **Cellular localization**

Brain-specific.

Belongs to the CLASP family. Contains 8 HEAT repeats.

The two SXIP sequence motifs mediate interaction with MAPRE1; this is necessary for targeting

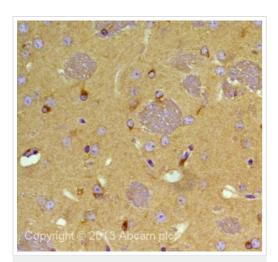
to growing microtubule plus ends.

Two TOG regions display structural characteristics similar to HEAT repeat domains and mediate interaction with microtubules.

Phosphorylated by GSK3B. Phosphorylation reduces MAPRE1 binding (PubMed:26003921). Phosphorylation by GSK3B may negatively regulate binding to microtubule lattices in lamella.

Cytoplasm, cytoskeleton. Cytoplasm, cytoskeleton, microtubule organizing center, centrosome. Chromosome, centromere, kinetochore. Cytoplasm, cytoskeleton, spindle. Golgi apparatus. Golgi apparatus, trans-Golgi network. Cell membrane. Cell projection, ruffle membrane. Localizes to microtubule plus ends (PubMed:15631994). Localizes to centrosomes, kinetochores and the mitotic spindle from prometaphase. Subsequently localizes to the spindle midzone from anaphase and to the midbody from telophase (PubMed:16866869, PubMed:16914514). In migrating cells localizes to the plus ends of microtubules within the cell body and to the entire microtubule lattice within the lamella. Localizes to the cell cortex and this requires ERC1 and PHLDB2 (PubMed:16824950). The MEMO1-RHOA-DIAPH1 signaling pathway controls localization of the phosophorylated form to the cell membrane.

#### **Images**



Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffinembedded sections) - Anti-CLASP2 antibody [KT68] (ab95373)

IHC image of CLASP2 staining in Mouse Brain formalin fixed paraffin embedded tissue section, performed on a Leica Bond™ system using the standard protocol F. 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 ab95373, 1 µg/ml, for 15 mins at room temperature and detected using an HRP conjugated compact polymer 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.

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