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Product Information

Anti-Melanocortin 4 Receptor

produced in rabbit, affinity Isolated antibody

Catalog Number M9318

Synonym: Anti-MC4R

Product Description

Anti-Melanocortin 4 Receptor (MC4R) is produced in rabbit using as immunogen a synthetic peptide conjugated to KLH. The peptide corresponds to the N-terminal extracellular domain of human Melanocortin 4 Receptor (MC4R). The antibody is affinity-purified using the immunizing peptide immobilized on agarose.

Anti-Melanocortin 4 Receptor specifically recognizes human melanocortin 4 receptor by immunocyto-chemistry and immunohistochemistry (formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded tissues). Not tested for other uses. The immunizing peptide has 94% homology with the rat and mouse gene. Other species reactivity has not been confirmed.

Expression of melanocortin 4 receptor has been reported in brain. Unlike the other melanocortin receptors, MC4R is not expressed in adrenal cortex or melanocytes.

Reagent

Supplied as a solution of 1 mg/ml in phosphate buffered saline, pH 7.7, containing 0.01% sodium azide as a preservative.

Precautions and Disclaimer

This product is for R&D use only, not for drug, household, or other uses. Please consult the Material Safety Data Sheet for information regarding hazards and safe handling practices.

Storage/Stability

For continuous use, store at 2-8 °C for up to one month. For extended storage, freeze in working aliquots. Repeated freezing and thawing, or storage in "frost-free" freezers, is not recommended. If slight turbidity occurs upon prolonged storage, clarify the solution by centrifugation before use. Working dilution samples should be discarded if not used within 12 hours.

Product Profile

 $\frac{Immunohistochemistry\ and\ Immunocytochemistry:}{a\ minimum\ working\ concentration\ of\ 4\ \mu g/ml\ is}$ determined using human brain, caudate.

Note: In order to obtain the best results and assay sensitivity in different techniques and preparations, we recommend determining optimal working dilutions by titration test.

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