

NEUROMICS



proDynorphin (guinea pig)

Datasheet

Catalog Number:	GP10109	Host:	Guinea pig
Product Type:	Polyclonal antiserum	Species Reactivity:	Guinea Pig
Immunogen Sequence:	QEDPNAYSEFFDV Corresponding to residues 232-245 of guinea pig proDynorphin	Format:	Whole Serum (with 0.05% sodium azide) Sent in liquid form
Applications:	Immunohistochemistry 1:500 Dilutions listed only as a recommendation. Optimal dilution should be determined by investigator.		
Storage:	Store frozen. Aliquot as undiluted serum and immediately place at -20°C. Serum may have become trapped in top of vial during shipping. Centrifugation of vial is recommended before opening. Stable for at least 6 months at -20°C. Repeated freeze/thaw cycles compromise the integrity of the antiserum.		
References:	Yuferov, V.P., Laforge, K. S., Spangler, R., Maggos, C. E., and Kreek, M. J. (1996). <i>Guinea pig preprodynorphin mRNA: primary structure and regional quantitation in the brain</i> . DNA Cell Biol 15, 1105-12.		

Application Notes

Immunohistochemistry: Antiserum was used on perfusion fixed tissue. Perfusion: 1) calcium-free Tyrode's solution, 2) fixative, and 3) 10% sucrose in PBS as a cryo-protectant. Desired tissues were dissected and stored overnight in 10% sucrose in PBS.

Slide-mounted tissue sections were processed for indirect immunofluorescence. Slides were incubated with blocking buffer for 1 hour at room temperature. Primary antiserum was diluted with blocking buffer to the appropriate working concentration. Blocking buffer was removed and slides were incubated for 18-24 hours at 4°C with primary antiserum. Slides were rinsed 3 times and then incubated with secondary antibodies for 1 hour at room temperature. Slides were again rinsed 3 times and coverslipped. Staining was examined using fluorescence microscopy.

Note: Sodium azide (NaN₃) interferes with peroxidase reactions and should not be used with peroxidase methodologies. If sodium azide is present in any steps of the staining procedure, the tissue should thoroughly be rinsed with sodium azide-free buffer before performing the peroxidase reaction.

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