



Myelin Basic Protein

Data Sheet

Catalog Number: RA34012 Host: Rabbit

Product Type: Polyclonal Species Human, Mouse, Rat

Affinity Purified Antibody Reactivity:

Immunogen Sequence: Recombinant protein of human MBP Format: PBS with 0.02% sodium azide,

50% glycerol, pH7.4. 100 ul aliquot. Concentration: 1 mg/ml

Appliocations: Immunohistochemistry: 1:50-200

Western Blot: 1:500-1:2,000

Dilutions listed as a recommendation. Optimal dilution should be determined by investigator.

Storage: Antibody can also be aliquoted and stored frozen at -20° C in a manual defrost freezer for six

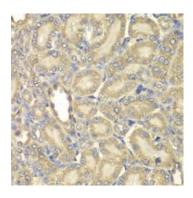
months without detectable loss of activity. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

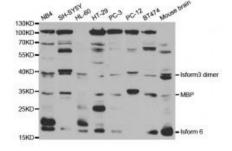
Application Notes

Description/Data:

MBP belongs to the myelin basic protein family. The classic group of MBP isoforms (isoform 4-isoform 14) are the most abundant protein components of the myelin membrane in the CNS. They have a role in both its formation and stabilization. The smaller isoforms might have an important role in remyelination of denuded axons in multiple sclerosis. The non-classic group of MBP isoforms (isoform 1-isoform 3/Golli-MBPs) may preferentially have a role in the early developing brain long before myelination, maybe as components of transcriptional complexes, and may also be involved in signaling pathways in T-cells and neural cells. This is a rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against the full-length of human MBP, and is capable of recognizing multiple isoforms of MBP.

Image (right): Western blot analysis of extracts of various cell lines, using MBP antibody. Below image: Immunohistochemistry of paraffin-embedded rat kidney using MBP antibody at dilution of 1:200 (400x lens).





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