

# PRODUCT DATA SHEET

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# PBR polyclonal antibody

Catalog: BS5840 Host: Rabbit Reactivity: Human, Mouse, Rat

#### **BackGround:**

Mitochondrial peripheral-type benzodiazepine receptor (PBR) is an indispensable element of the steroidogenic machinery, where it mediates the delivery of cholesterol to the inner mitochondrial side chain cleavage cytochrome P-450 upon ligand activation. PBR is composed of three subunits, an isoquinoline binding site, a voltage-dependent anion channel and an adenine nucleotide carrier. PBR is genetically conserved from bacteria to humans and in humans is widely expressed in peripheral organs, whereas in the brain, it is sparse and located mainly in glial cells. Peroxisome proliferator perfluordecanoic acid (PFDA) inhibits the Leydig cell steroidogenesis by affecting PBR mRNA stability, thus inhibiting PBR expression, cholesterol transport into the mitochondria and subsequent steroid formation. A cytoplasmic protein, PRAX-1 ( peripheral benzodiazepine receptor-associated protein 1), is found to specifically interact with PBR.

#### **Product:**

1mg/ml in PBS with 0.1% Sodium Azide, 50% Glycerol.

### **Molecular Weight:**

~ 18, 30, 32 kDa

#### **Swiss-Prot:**

P30536

#### **Purification&Purity:**

The antibody was affinity-purified from rabbit antiserum by affinity-chromatography using epitope-specific immunogen and the purity is > 95% (by SDS-PAGE).

# **Applications:**

WB: 1:500~1:1000

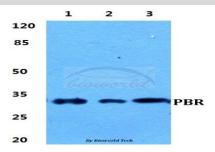
## Storage&Stability:

Store at  $4 \, \mathbb{C}$  short term. Aliquot and store at  $-20 \, \mathbb{C}$  long term. Avoid freeze-thaw cycles.

#### **Specificity:**

PBR polyclonal antibody detects endogenous levels of PBR protein.

#### **DATA:**



Western blot (WB) analysis of PBR polyclonal antibody at 1:500 dilu-

Lane1:HEK293T cell lysate

Lane2:sp2/0 cell lysate

Lane3:PC12 cell lysate

#### Note:

For research use only, not for use in diagnostic procedure.

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