

**Aquaporin-4 (AQP4) polyclonal antibody**

Catalog: BS80422

Host: Rabbit

Reactivity: Human, Mouse, Rat

**BackGround:**

This gene encodes a member of the aquaporin family of intrinsic membrane proteins that function as water-selective channels in the plasma membranes of many cells. This protein is the predominant aquaporin found in brain and has an important role in brain water homeostasis. Alternatively spliced transcript variants encoding different isoforms have been described for this gene. A recent study provided evidence for translational readthrough in this gene and expression of an additional C-terminally extended isoform via the use of an alternative in-frame translation termination codon.

**Product:**

1mg/ml in PBS with 0.02% sodium azide, 50% glycerol, pH7.2

**Molecular Weight:**

35KDa

**Swiss-Prot:**

P55087

**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 - 1:2000 | IHC, 1:50 - 1:200 | IF/ICC, 1:50 - 1:200

**Storage&Stability:**

Store at 4 °C short term. Aliquot and store at -20 °C long term. Avoid freeze-thaw cycles.

**Modification:**

Unmodification

**DATA:**

Western blot analysis of extracts of SKOV3 cells, using Aquaporin-4 antibody at 1:500 dilution. Secondary antibody: HRP Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG at 1:10000 dilution. Lysates/proteins: 25ug per lane. Blocking buffer: 3% nonfat dry milk in TBST. Detection: ECL Basic Kit. Exposure time: 60s.

Immunohistochemistry of paraffin-embedded mouse kidney using Aquaporin-4 Rabbit pAb at dilution of 1:100. Perform high pressure antigen retrieval with 10 mM citrate buffer pH 6.0 before commencing with IHC staining protocol.

Immunohistochemistry of paraffin-embedded rat brain using Aquaporin-4 Rabbit pAb at dilution of 1:100. Perform high pressure antigen retrieval with 10 mM citrate buffer pH 6.0 before commencing with IHC staining protocol.

Immunofluorescence analysis of rat brain cells using Aquaporin-4 Rabbit pAb at dilution of 1:50. Blue: DAPI for nuclear staining.

**Note:**

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

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