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Anti-MCT8 antibody [EPR26257-174] (BSA and Azide free)

Recombinant | RabMAb

Key facts

Isotype	IgG
Host species	Rabbit
Storage buffer	pH: 7.2 - 7.4 Constituents: PBS
Form	Liquid
Clonality	Monoclonal
Immunogen	The exact immunogen used to generate this antibody is proprietary information.
Carrier free	Yes
Clone number	EPR26257-174
Purification technique	Affinity purification Protein A
Concentration	0.987 mg/mL The concentration of this product may be batch-dependent Batch concentration finder →

Reactivity data

IP

Tested

Species	Rat, Mouse
Dilution info	-

Notes	-

Expected

Species	Human
Dilution info	Use at an assay dependent concentration.
Notes	-

Flow Cyt (Intra)

Tested

Species	Rat, Mouse
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

Expected

Species	Human
Dilution info	Use at an assay dependent concentration.
Notes	-

ICC/IF

Tested

Species	Rat, Mouse
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

Expected

Species	Human
Dilution info	Use at an assay dependent concentration.
Notes	-

IHC-Fr

Tested

Species	Rat, Mouse
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

Expected

Species	Human
Dilution info	Use at an assay dependent concentration.
Notes	-

IHC-P

Tested

Species	Mouse, Rat, Human
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

WB

Tested

Species	Rat, Mouse
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

Not recommended

Species	Human
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

Target data

See full target information SLC16A2

Function	Specific thyroid hormone transmembrane transporter, that mediates both uptake and efflux of thyroid hormones across the cell membrane independently of pH or a Na(+) gradient. Major substrates are the iodothyronines T3 and T4 and to a lesser extent rT3 and 3,3-diiodothyronine (3,3'-T2) (PubMed:16887882, PubMed:18337592, PubMed:20628049, PubMed:23550058, PubMed:26426690, PubMed:27805744, PubMed:31436139). Acts as an important mediator of thyroid hormone transport, especially T3, through the blood-brain barrier (Probable) (PubMed:28526555).

Storage

Shipped at conditions	Blue Ice
Appropriate short-term storage conditions	+4°C
Appropriate long-term storage conditions	+4°C
Storage information	Do Not Freeze

Notes

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This antibody clone is manufactured by Abcam. If you require a custom buffer formulation or conjugation for your experiments, please contact orders@abcam.com

Patented technology
Our RabMAb® technology is a patented hybridoma-based technology for making rabbit monoclonal antibodies. For details on our patents, please refer to RabMAb® patents.

Conjugation ready
Our carrier-free antibodies are typically supplied in a PBS-only formulation, purified and free of BSA, sodium azide and glycerol. This conjugation-ready format is designed for use with fluorochromes, metal isotopes, oligonucleotides, and enzymes, which makes them ideal for antibody labelling, functional and cell-based assays, flow-based assays (e.g. mass cytometry) and Multiplex Imaging applications.

Use our conjugation kits for antibody conjugates that are ready-to-use in as little as 20 minutes with 1 minute hands-on-time and 100% antibody recovery: available for fluorescent dyes, HRP, biotin and gold.

What are the advantages of a recombinant monoclonal antibody?
This product is a recombinant monoclonal antibody, which offers several advantages including:

- High batch-to-batch consistency and reproducibility
- Improved sensitivity and specificity
- Long-term security of supply
- Animal-free batch production

For more information, read more on recombinant antibodies.

Supplementary info

This supplementary information is collated from multiple sources and compiled automatically.

Activity summary	MCT 8 also known as monocarboxylate transporter 8 is a protein important for transporting thyroid hormones across cell membranes. This transporter has a mass of approximately 61 kDa. MCT 8 is widely expressed in various tissues including the brain liver and kidneys with a significant presence in neurons. This transporter plays an important mechanical role in hormone regulation by facilitating the cellular uptake and efflux of triiodothyronine (T3) and thyroxine (T4) critical components for proper cellular function.
Biological function summary	MCT 8 serves a significant role in maintaining normal thyroid hormone levels within cells affecting development and metabolism. It does not act alone but operates as part of a cooperative network with other transporters and receptors to ensure precise hormonal balance. Its activity impacts processes like energy generation and usage as well as nervous system development. MCT 8's ability to mediate hormone access to target tissues highlights its importance in these biological processes.
Pathways	MCT 8 is intricately involved in the thyroid hormone signaling pathway. This pathway influences diverse metabolic and developmental outcomes. MCT 8 works closely with other proteins such as thyroid hormone receptor alpha (THRA) that also bind and respond to thyroid hormones. The synchronization between MCT 8 and these proteins ensures effective communication and function within the hormonal axis impacting metabolic regulation and growth.
Associated diseases and disorders	MCT 8 mutations connect strongly to Allan-Herndon-Dudley syndrome a rare neurodevelopmental disorder. This condition arises from disrupted thyroid hormone transport leading to developmental and cognitive deficiencies. Patients typically exhibit reduced T3 levels in the brain. In this context MCT 8's relationship with proteins like THRA reveals how perturbations in hormone transport can cascade into broader physiological abnormalities.

Product promise

Tested

We have tested this species and application combination and it works. It is covered by our product promise.

Expected

We have not tested this specific species and application combination in-house, but expect it will work. It is covered by our product promise.

Predicted

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Not recommended

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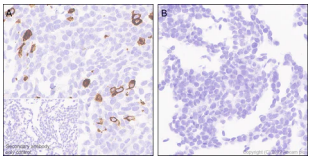
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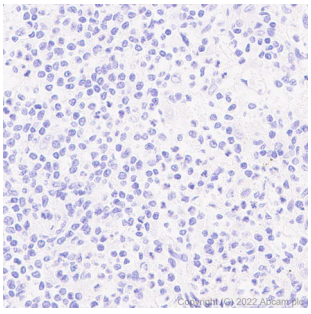
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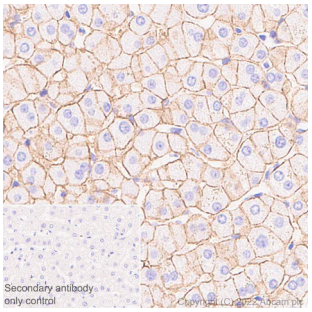


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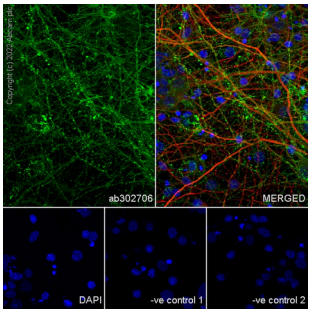
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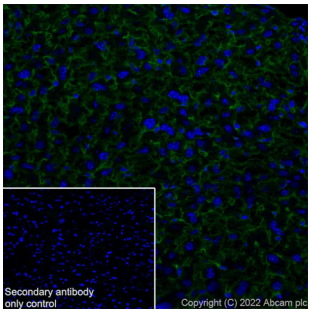
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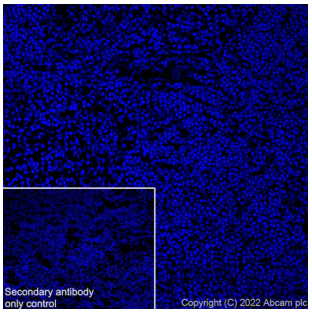
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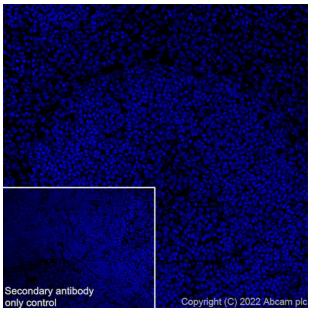


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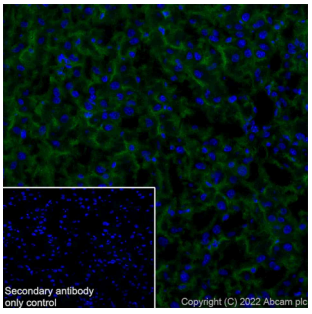
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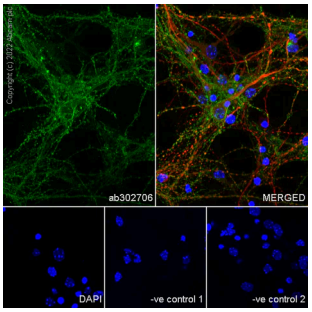
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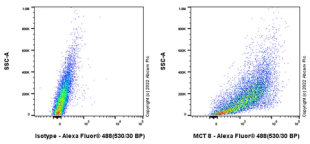
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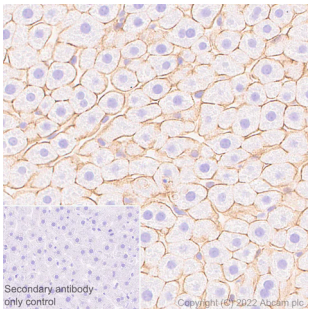
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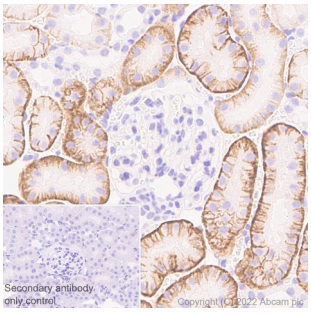
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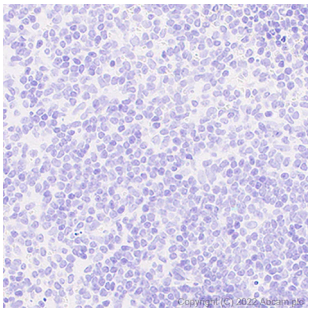
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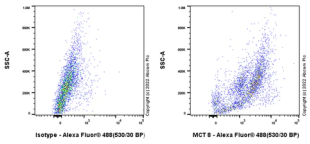


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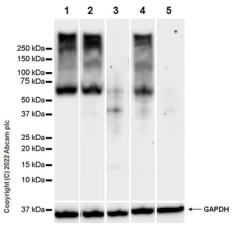
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Western blot - Anti-MCT8 antibody [EPR26257-174] (BSA and Azide free) (ab302707)

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All lanes:
Western blot - Anti-MCT8 antibody [EPR26257-174] (ab302706) at 1/1000 dilution

Lane 1:
Mouse kidney tissue lysate 20 µg

Lane 2:
Mouse liver tissue lysate 20 µg

Lane 3:
Mouse spleen tissue lysate 20 µg

Lane 4:
Rat liver tissue lysate 20 µg

Lane 5:
Rat spleen tissue lysate 20 µg

Secondary

All lanes:
Western blot - Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (HRP) (ab97051) at 1/100000 dilution

Observed band size: 60 kDa

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