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ab317304

Anti-Neuroligin 2 antibody [EPR28230-122] - 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	EPR28230-122
Purification technique	Affinity purification Protein A
Specificity	Unsuitable for rat ICC
Concentration	0.984 mg/mL The concentration of this product may be batch-dependent Batch concentration finder →

Reactivity data

IHC-P

Tested

Species	Transfected cell line - Mouse, Mouse, Rat

Dilution info	-
Notes	-

Not recommended

Species	Human
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

IP

Tested

Species	Mouse
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

Expected

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

Not recommended

Species	Transfected cell line - Mouse, Human
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

IHC-Fr

Tested

Species	Mouse, Rat
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

Not recommended

Species	Transfected cell line - Mouse, Human
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

ICC/IF

Tested

Species	Mouse
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

Not recommended

Species	Rat, Transfected cell line - Mouse, Human
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

Flow Cyt

Tested

Species	Mouse, Rat
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

Not recommended

Species	Transfected cell line - Mouse, Human
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

WB

Not recommended

Species	Human, Mouse, Rat, Transfected cell line - Mouse
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

Target data

See full target information Nlgn2

Function

Transmembrane scaffolding protein involved in cell-cell interactions via its interactions with neurexin family members. Mediates cell-cell interactions both in neurons and in other types of cells, such as Langerhans beta cells. Mediates cell-cell interactions between Langerhans beta cells and modulates insulin secretion (By similarity). Plays a role in synapse function and synaptic signal transmission, especially via gamma-aminobutyric acid receptors (GABA(A) receptors). Functions by recruiting and clustering synaptic proteins. Promotes clustering of postsynaptic GABRG2 and GPHN. Promotes clustering of postsynaptic LHFPL4 (PubMed:29742426). Modulates signaling by inhibitory synapses, and thereby plays a role in controlling the ratio of signaling by excitatory and inhibitory synapses and information processing. Required for normal signal amplitude from inhibitory synapses, but is not essential for normal signal frequency. May promote the initial formation of synapses, but is not essential for this. In vitro, triggers the de novo formation of presynaptic structures.

Storage

Shipped at conditions	Blue Ice
Appropriate short-term storage conditions	+4°C
Appropriate long-term storage conditions	+4°C

Notes

ab317304 is the carrirer-free version of ab317303.

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.

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.

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.

Compatibility
This product is compatible with the Maxpar® Antibody Labeling Kit from Fluidigm, without the need for antibody preparation. Maxpar® is a trademark of Fluidigm Canada Inc.

Supplementary info

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

Activity summary	Neuroligin 2 also known as NLGN2 is a postsynaptic cell adhesion molecule with a mass of approximately 106 kDa. It plays an important role in forming and maintaining synaptic connections which are essential for communication between neurons. Neuroligin 2 is predominately expressed in the central nervous system and can be found at inhibitory synapses where it interacts with other synaptic proteins to maintain synaptic structure and function.
Biological function summary	This synaptic adhesion protein plays a part in the formation of synapses and the modulation of synaptic strength. Neuroligin 2 forms a trans-synaptic complex with neurexins on the presynaptic side which helps to stabilize synapses by mediating cell-cell interactions. This interaction is important for maintaining balance between excitatory and inhibitory signals in the brain which contributes to normal brain function and neuronal communication.
Pathways	Neuroligin 2 functions as an integral part of synaptic signaling and neural network activity. It is connected to synaptic pathways that govern synapse assembly which involves other proteins like PSD-95. In particular its interaction with neurexins plays a role in the formation of the inhibitory synapses pathway which regulates inhibitory neurotransmission. Through these pathways Neuroligin 2 influences how neurons communicate and process information within neural circuits.
Associated diseases and disorders	This protein associates with certain neurological and psychiatric conditions. Altered Neuroligin 2 function has links to autism spectrum disorders and schizophrenia. In these diseases its interaction with proteins such as neurexin may be disrupted which can impact synaptic balance and lead to deficits in synaptic function. Studying Neuroligin 2 helps to understand these disorders better and potentially develop therapeutic strategies targeting synaptic adhesion molecules.

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

This species and application combination has not been tested, but we predict it will work based on strong homology. However, this combination is not covered by our product promise.

Not recommended

We do not recommend this combination. It is not covered by our product promise.

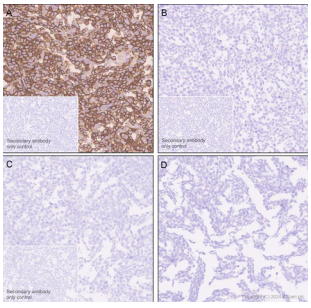
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13 product images



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Neuroligin 2 Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffin-embedded sections) staining using rabbit Anti-Neuroligin 2 antibody

This data was developed using ab317303, the same antibody clone in a different buffer formulation.

Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded (A) HEK-293T (human embryonic kidney epithelial cell) transfected with a mouse NLGN2 expression vector containing a his tag. (B) HEK-293T cells transfected with a mouse NLGN1 expression vector containing a his tag. (C) HEK-293T cells transfected with a mouse NLGN3 expression vector containing a his tag. (D) HEK-293T cells transfected with empty vector containing a his tag. tissue labeling Neuroligin 2 with ab317303 at 1/100 (4.92 ug/ml) dilution, followed by a ready to use LeicaDS9800 (Bond™ Polymer Refine Detection).

Positive staining on (A) HEK-293T cells transfected with a mouse NLGN2 expression vector containing a his tag, no staining on (B) HEK-293T cells transfected with a mouse NLGN1 expression vector containing a his tag, and (C) HEK-293T cells transfected with a mouse NLGN3 expression vector containing a his tag, and (D) HEK-293T cells transfected with empty vector containing a his tag.
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The immunostaining was performed on a Leica Biosystems BOND® RX instrument

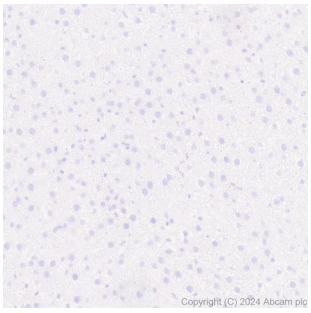
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Counterstained with Hematoxylin.

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Heat mediated antigen retrieval was performed with Tris-EDTA buffer (pH 9.0, Epitope Retrieval Solution2) for 20 mins

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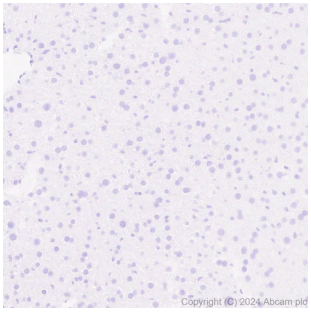
Negative control: no staining on rat liver.
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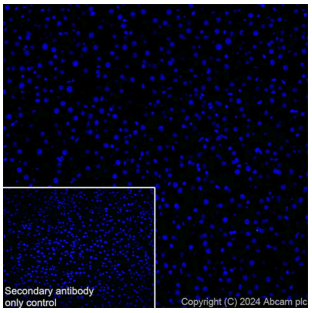
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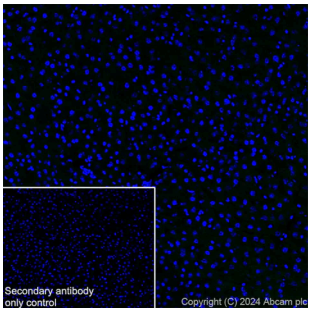
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Negative control: confocal image showing no staining on rat liver. The nuclear counterstain was DAPI (Blue). The section was incubated with ab317303 for 60 mins at room temperature. The section was then mounted using Fluoromount®.The immunostaining was performed on a Leica Biosystems BOND® RX instrument. Image was taken with a confocal microscope (Leica-Microsystems, TCS SP8).

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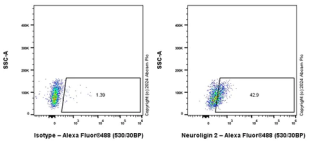
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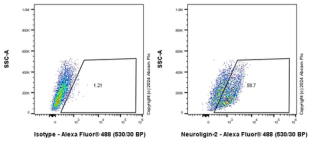
Flow Cytometry - Anti-Neuroligin 2 antibody [EPR28230-122] - BSA and Azide free (ab317304)

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Flow cytometric analysis of Rat primary neuron cells labelling Neuroligin 2 with ab317303 at 1/50 dilution (1 ug)/Right compared with a Rabbit monoclonal IgG (ab172730) / Left isotype control.

Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG (Alexa Fluor® 488, ab150081) at 1/5000 dilution was used as the secondary antibody.

Gated on viable cell.



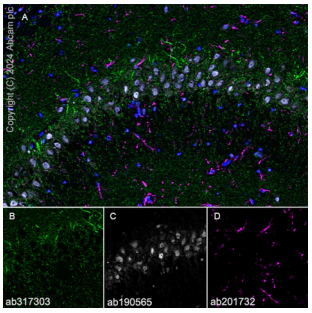
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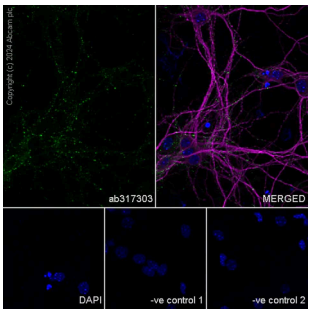


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Panel B: anti-Neuroligin-2 stained on rat hippocampus.
Panel C: anti-NeuN stained in neurons of rat hippocampus.
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Immunocytochemistry/ Immunofluorescence - Anti-Neuroligin 2 antibody [EPR28230-122] - BSA and Azide free (ab317304)

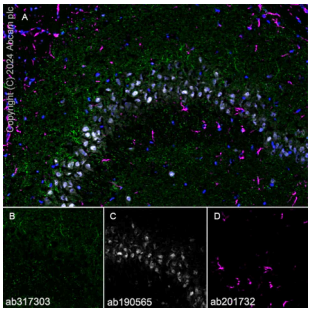
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Immunofluorescent analysis of 4% Paraformaldehyde-fixed, 0.1% TritonX-100 permeabilized mouse primary neuron cells labelling Neuroligin 2 with ab317303 at 1/50 (9.84 ug/ml) dilution, followed by ab150081 Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (Alexa Fluor® 488) preadsorbed antibody at 1/1000 (2 ug/ml) dilution (Green).

Confocal image showing cytoplasmic staining in mouse primary neuron (shown in green). The counterstain was observed in magenta. Nuclear DNA was labeled with DAPI (shown in blue). Confocal scanning Z step was set as 0.3 µm followed by image processing with maximum Z projection.
Image was taken with a confocal microscope (Leica-Microsystems, TCS SP8).

ab11267 Anti-MAP2 mouse monoclonal antibody was used to counterstain at 1/500 (4ug/ml) dilution (Magenta). The Nuclear counterstain was DAPI (Blue).

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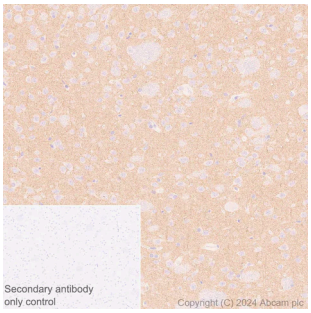


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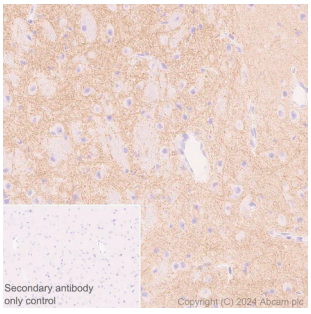
Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded Rat cerebrum tissue labeling Neuroligin 2 with ab317303 at 1/100 (4.92 ug/ml) dilution, followed by a ready to use LeicaDS9800 (Bond™ Polymer Refine Detection).

Positive staining on rat cerebrum (PMID: 16982420).
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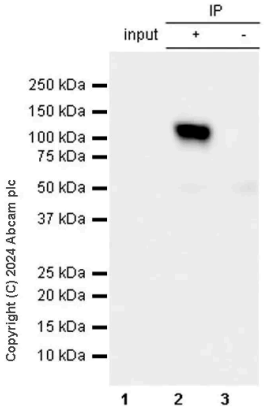
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Positive staining on mouse cerebrum (PMID: 19926856).
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Immunoprecipitation - Anti-Neuroligin 2 antibody [EPR28230-122] - BSA and Azide free (ab317304)

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Neuroligin 2 was immunoprecipitated from 0.35 mg Mouse brain tissue lysate with ab317303 at 1/30 dilution (2ug in 0.35mg lysates). Western blot was performed on the immunoprecipitate using ab317303 at 1/1000 dilution. VeriBlot for IP secondary antibody(HRP)(ab131366) was used at 1/5000 dilution.

Lane 1: Mouse brain tissue lysate
Lane 2: ab317303 IP in Mouse brain tissue lysate
Lane 3: Rabbit monoclonal IgG (ab172730) instead of ab317303 in mouse brain tissue lysate

All lanes:
Immunoprecipitation - Anti-Neuroligin 2 antibody [EPR28230-122] (ab317303) at 1/30 dilution

All lanes:
Mouse brain tissue lysate

Secondary

All lanes:
Immunoprecipitation - VeriBlot for IP Detection Reagent (HRP) (ab131366) at 1/5000 dilution

Exposure time: 8s

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