Pdx1 Antibody



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Applications: W	Reactivity: M R	Sensitivity: Endogenous	MW (kDa): 42	Source/Isotype: Rabbit	UniProt ID: #P52945	Entrez-Gene Id: 3651
Product Usage Information		Application Western Blotting			Dilution 1:1000	
Storage	Supplied in 10 mM sodium HEPES (pH 7.5), 150 mM NaCl, 100 μg/ml BSA and 50% glycerol. Store 20°C. Do not aliquot the antibody.					
Specificity/Sensitivity		Pdx1 Antibody detects endogenous levels of total Pdx1 protein.				
Species predicte based on 100% homology		Human				
Source / Purification		Polyclonal antibodies are produced by immunizing animals with a synthetic peptide corresponding to human Pdx1. Antibodies are purified by protein A and peptide affinity chromatography.				
Background		The pancreatic duodenal homeobox gene-1 (Pdx1) is a transcription factor that contributes to pancreas development, pancreatic β -cell differentiation, and mature β -cell function (1,2). It plays an essential role in the commitment of endoderm to a pancreatic and later β -cell phenotype (2,3). In the mature pancreas, Pdx1 expression is more restricted to the pancreatic β -cells (3), where it promotes the expression of genes important for β -cell functions such as insulin, glucokinase, and Glut2 (4-6). Mutations of the corresponding Pdx1 gene may be associated with diabetes and cases of pancreatic insufficiency (7).				
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Species Reactivity Species reactivity is determined by testing in at least one approved application (e.g., western blot).

Western Blot Buffer IMPORTANT: For western blots, incubate membrane with diluted primary antibody in 5% w/v BSA, 1X

TBS, 0.1% Tween® 20 at 4°C with gentle shaking, overnight.

Applications Key W: Western Blotting

Cross-Reactivity Key M: Mouse R: Rat

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