

# 14-3-3 $\eta$ (D23B7) Rabbit mAb



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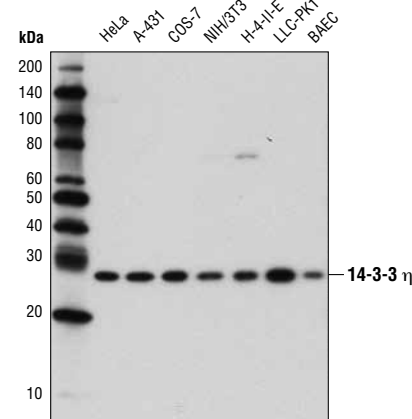
Applications W Endogenous	Species Cross-Reactivity* H, M, R, Mk, B, Pg	Molecular Wt. 27 kDa	Isotype Rabbit **
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**Background:** The 14-3-3 family of proteins plays a key regulatory role in signal transduction, checkpoint control, apoptotic and nutrient-sensing pathways (1,2). 14-3-3 proteins are highly conserved and ubiquitously expressed. There are at least seven isoforms,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$ ,  $\epsilon$ ,  $\sigma$ ,  $\zeta$ ,  $\tau$ , and  $\eta$  that have been identified in mammals. The initially described  $\alpha$  and  $\delta$  isoforms are confirmed to be phosphorylated forms of  $\beta$  and  $\zeta$ , respectively (3). Through their amino-terminal  $\alpha$  helical region, 14-3-3 proteins form homo- or heterodimers that interact with a wide variety of proteins: transcription factors, metabolic enzymes, cytoskeletal proteins, kinases, phosphatases, and other signaling molecules (3,4). The interaction of 14-3-3 proteins with their targets is primarily through a phospho-Ser/Thr motif. However, binding to divergent phospho-Ser/Thr motifs, as well as phosphorylation independent interactions has been observed (4). 14-3-3 binding masks specific sequences of the target protein, and therefore, modulates target protein localization, phosphorylation state, stability, and molecular interactions (1-4). 14-3-3 proteins may also induce target protein conformational changes which modify target protein function (4,5). Distinct temporal and spatial expression patterns of 14-3-3 isoforms have been observed in development and in acute response to extracellular signals and drugs, suggesting that 14-3-3 isoforms may perform different functions despite their sequence similarities (4). Several studies suggest that 14-3-3 isoforms are differentially regulated in cancer and neurological syndromes (2,3).

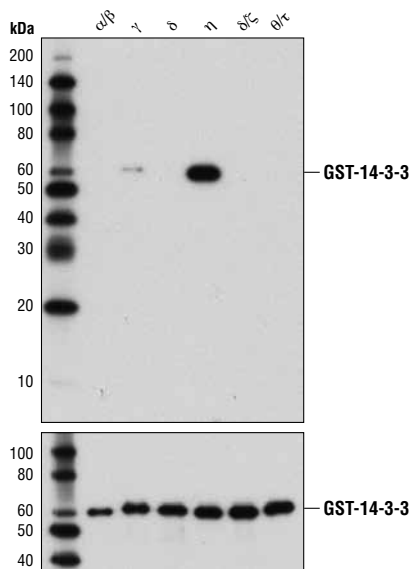
**Specificity/Sensitivity:** 14-3-3  $\eta$  (D23B7) Rabbit mAb recognizes endogenous levels of total 14-3-3  $\eta$ . This antibody shows weak cross-reactivity with 14-3-3  $\gamma$  but does not detect any other 14-3-3 family isoforms.

**Source/Purification:** Monoclonal antibody is produced by immunizing animals with a synthetic peptide corresponding to residues surrounding Leu37 of human 14-3-3  $\eta$  protein.

*Isoform specificity of 14-3-3 $\eta$  (D23B7) Rabbit mAb. Recombinant, purified, GST-tagged 14-3-3 protein isoforms (2  $\mu$ g each) were resolved by SDS-PAGE, transferred to nitrocellulose and blotted with either 14-3-3 $\eta$  (D23B7) Rabbit mAb (upper) or GST (91G1) Rabbit mAb #2625 (lower).*



Western blot analysis of whole cell extracts from various cell lines using 14-3-3 $\eta$  (D23B7) Rabbit mAb.



**IMPORTANT: For western blots, incubate membrane with diluted antibody in 5% w/v nonfat dry milk, 1X TBS, 0.1% Tween-20 at 4°C with gentle shaking, overnight.**

Entrez-Gene ID #7533  
Swiss-Prot Acc. #Q04917

**Storage:** Supplied in 10 mM sodium HEPES (pH 7.5), 150 mM NaCl, 100  $\mu$ g/ml BSA, 50% glycerol and less than 0.02% sodium azide. Store at -20°C. Do not aliquot the antibody.

**\*Species cross-reactivity is determined by western blot.**

**\*\*Anti-rabbit secondary antibodies must be used to detect this antibody.**

**Recommended Antibody Dilutions:**

Western blotting 1:1000

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