

# Product datasheet

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ARG52296 anti-GABAA Receptor beta 2 antibody

Package: 50 μl Store at: -20°C

## Summary

Product Description Rabbit Polyclonal antibody recognizes GABAA Receptor beta 2

Tested Reactivity Rat

Predict Reactivity Hu, Ms, Dog, NHuPrm

Tested Application WB

Host Rabbit

**Clonality** Polyclonal

Isotype IgG

Target Name GABAA Receptor beta 2

Species Rat

Immunogen Fusion protein from the cytoplasmic loop of the beta 2 subunit

Conjugation Un-conjugated

Alternate Names A; Gamma-aminobutyric acid receptor subunit beta-2; GABA

## **Application Instructions**

Application table	Application	Dilution
	WB	1:1,000
Application Note	Specific for the ~55k β2-subunit	of the GABAA receptor in Western blots.

\* The dilutions indicate recommended starting dilutions and the optimal dilutions or concentrations

should be determined by the scientist.

# **Properties**

Form Liquid

Purification Affinity Purified

Buffer 10 mM HEPES (pH 7.5), 150 mM NaCl, 0.1 mg/ml BSA and 50% Glycerol

Stabilizer 0.1 mg/ml BSA, 50% Glycerol

Storage instruction For continuous use, store undiluted antibody at 2-8°C for up to a week. For long-term storage, aliquot

and store at -20°C. Storage in frost free freezers is not recommended. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles. Suggest spin the vial prior to opening. The antibody solution should be gently mixed before use.

Note For laboratory research only, not for drug, diagnostic or other use.

## Bioinformation

Database links <u>GeneID: 25451 Rat</u>
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#### Swiss-port # P63138 Rat

Gene Symbol GABRB2

Gene Full Name gamma-aminobutyric acid (GABA) A receptor, beta 2

Background Gamma-aminobutyric acid (GABA) is the primary inhibitory neurotransmitter in the central nervous

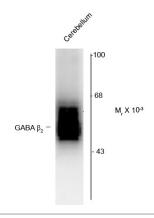
system, causing a hyperpolarization of the membrane through the opening of a Cl– channel associated with the GABAA receptor (GABAA-R) subtype. GABAA-Rs are important therapeutic targets for a range of sedative, anxiolytic, and hypnotic agents and are implicated in several diseases including epilepsy, anxiety, depression, and substance abuse. The GABAA-R is a multimeric subunit complex. To date six  $\alpha$ s, four  $\beta$ s and four  $\gamma$ s, plus alternative splicing variants of some of these subunits, have been identified (Olsen and Tobin, 1990; Whiting et al., 1999; Ogris et al., 2004). Injection in oocytes or mammalian cell lines of cRNA coding for  $\alpha$ - and  $\beta$ -subunits results in the expression of functional GABAA-Rs sensitive to GABA. However, coexpression of a  $\gamma$ -subunit is required for benzodiazepine modulation. The various effects of the benzodiazepines in brain may also be mediated via different  $\alpha$ - subunits of the receptor

(McKernan et al., 2000; Mehta and Ticku, 1998; Ogris et al., 2004; Pöltl et al., 2003).

Research Area Neuroscience antibody

Calculated Mw 59 kDa

### **Images**



#### ARG52296 anti-GABAA Receptor beta 2 antibody WB image

Western Blot: 5-7 ug of rat cerebellum showing specific immunolabeling of the  $^{\sim}55k$  beta 2-subunit of the GABAA-R stained with GABAA Receptor beta 2 antibody (ARG52296).