



## Alpha B Crystallin Rabbit pAb

db1839 Package: 20µL 50µL 100µL

Product Name: Alpha B Crystallin Rabbit pAb

Cat.No.: db1839

Synonyms: MFM2; CRYA2; CTPP2; HSPB5; CMD1II; CTRCT16; HEL-S-101

Application: WB, IHC, ICC/IF, IP

Reactivity: Human, Rat Host species: Rabbit

## **Background**

Mammalian lens crystallins are divided into alpha, beta, and gamma families. Alpha crystallins are composed of two gene products: alpha-A and alpha-B, for acidic and basic, respectively. Alpha crystallins can be induced by heat shock and are members of the small heat shock protein (HSP20) family. They act as molecular chaperones although they do not renature proteins and release them in the fashion of a true chaperone; instead they hold them in large soluble aggregates. Post-translational modifications decrease the ability to chaperone. These heterogeneous aggregates consist of 30-40 subunits; the alpha-A and alpha-B subunits have a 3:1 ratio, respectively. Two additional functions of alpha crystallins are an autokinase activity and participation in the intracellular architecture. The encoded protein has been identified as a moonlighting protein based on its ability to perform mechanistically distinct functions. Alpha-A and alpha-B gene products are differentially expressed; alpha-A is preferentially restricted to the lens and alpha-B is expressed widely in many tissues and organs. Elevated expression of alpha-B crystallin occurs in many neurological diseases; a missense mutation cosegregated in a family with a desmin-related myopathy. Alternative splicing results in multiple transcript variants. [provided by

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Immunogen A synthetic peptide of human Alpha B Crystallin

Gene ID 1410

Swiss Prot P02511

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Recommended dilution WB: 1:1000

IHC: 1:50 ICC/IF: 1:50 IP: 1:50



## For Research Use Only **Product Datasheet**

Calculated MW 20 kDa

Observed MW 22 kDa

Host species Rabbit

**Clonality** Polyclonal

**Isotype** IgG

**Purity** Affinity Purification

**Conjugation** Un-conjugated

Storage Stability Store at -20°C. Supplied in 50mM Tris-Glycine(pH 7.4), 0.15M NaCl, 40% Glycerol, 0.01% sodium

azide and 0.05% BSA. Stable for 12 months from date of receipt.

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