

Aquaporin 0 Antibody

Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody (Pab) Catalog # AP51342

Product Information

Application WB Primary Accession P30301

Reactivity Human, Mouse, Rat

HostRabbitClonalityPolyclonalCalculated MW28122

Additional Information

Gene ID 4284

Other Names Lens fiber major intrinsic protein, Aguaporin-0, MIP26, MP26, MIP, AQP0

Target/Specificity KLH-conjugated synthetic peptide encompassing a sequence within the center

region of human Aquaporin 0. The exact sequence is proprietary.

Dilution WB~~1:1000

Format 0.01M PBS, pH 7.2, 0.09% (W/V) Sodium azide, Glycerol 50%

Storage Store at -20 °C.Stable for 12 months from date of receipt

Protein Information

Name MIP (HGNC:7103)

Synonyms AQP0

Function Aquaporins form homotetrameric transmembrane channels, with each

monomer independently mediating water transport across the plasma

membrane along its osmotic gradient (PubMed: 11001937,

PubMed:<u>24120416</u>). Specifically expressed in lens fiber cells, this aquaporin is crucial for maintaining lens water homeostasis and transparency. Beyond water permeability, it also acts as a cell-to-cell adhesion molecule, forming thin junctions between lens fiber cells that are essential for maintaining the ordered structure and transparency of the lens (PubMed:<u>24120416</u>).

Cellular Location Cell membrane; Multi-pass membrane protein

{ECO:0000250 | UniProtKB:Q6J8I9}. Cell junction

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lens fiber cells. {ECO:0000250 | UniProtKB:Q6J8I9}

Tissue Location

Expressed in the cortex and nucleus of the retina lens (at protein level) (PubMed:30790544). Major component of lens fiber gap junctions (PubMed:24120416).

Background

Water channel. Channel activity is down-regulated by CALM when cytoplasmic Ca(2+) levels are increased. May be responsible for regulating the osmolarity of the lens. Interactions between homotetramers from adjoining membranes may stabilize cell junctions in the eye lens core (By similarity).

References

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