

# CRYGD Antibody (monoclonal) (M03)

Mouse monoclonal antibody raised against a partial recombinant CRYGD. Catalog # AT1644a

### **Product Information**

**Application** WB, E **Primary Accession** P07320 **Other Accession** NM 006891 Reactivity Human Host mouse Clonality monoclonal Isotype IgG1 Kappa **Clone Names** 4.0E+12 Calculated MW 20738

### **Additional Information**

**Gene ID** 1421

Other Names Gamma-crystallin D, Gamma-D-crystallin, Gamma-crystallin 4, CRYGD, CRYG4

**Target/Specificity** CRYGD (NP\_008822, 75 a.a. ~ 174 a.a) partial recombinant protein with GST

tag. MW of the GST tag alone is 26 KDa.

**Dilution** WB~~1:500~1000 E~~N/A

**Format** Clear, colorless solution in phosphate buffered saline, pH 7.2.

**Storage** Store at -20°C or lower. Aliquot to avoid repeated freezing and thawing.

**Precautions** CRYGD Antibody (monoclonal) (M03) is for research use only and not for use

in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

## **Background**

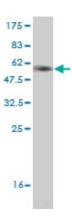
Crystallins are separated into two classes: taxon-specific, or enzyme, and ubiquitous. The latter class constitutes the major proteins of vertebrate eye lens and maintains the transparency and refractive index of the lens. Since lens central fiber cells lose their nuclei during development, these crystallins are made and then retained throughout life, making them extremely stable proteins. Mammalian lens crystallins are divided into alpha, beta, and gamma families; beta and gamma crystallins are also considered as a superfamily. Alpha and beta families are further divided into acidic and basic groups. Seven protein regions exist in crystallins: four homologous motifs, a connecting peptide, and N- and C-terminal extensions. Gamma-crystallins are a homogeneous group of highly symmetrical, monomeric proteins typically lacking connecting peptides and terminal extensions. They are differentially regulated after early development. Four gamma-crystallin genes (gamma-A through gamma-D) and three pseudogenes (gamma-E, gamma-F, gamma-G) are tandemly organized in a genomic segment as a gene cluster. Whether due to aging or

mutations in specific genes, gamma-crystallins have been involved in cataract formation.

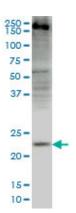
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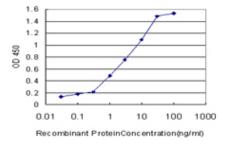
### **Images**



Antibody Reactive Against Recombinant Protein. Western Blot detection against Immunogen (36.74 KDa).



CRYGD monoclonal antibody (M03), clone 4E12 Western Blot analysis of CRYGD expression in HepG2 ( (Cat # AT1644a )



Detection limit for recombinant GST tagged CRYGD is approximately 0.03ng/ml as a capture antibody.

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