

**AQP4 rabbit pAb****Cat#: orb764564 (Manual)**

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<b>Product Name</b>	AQP4 rabbit pAb
<b>Host species</b>	Rabbit
<b>Applications</b>	WB;IHC;IF;ELISA
<b>Species Cross-Reactivity</b>	Human;Mouse;Rat
<b>Recommended dilutions</b>	Western Blot: 1/500 - 1/2000. Immunohistochemistry: 1/100 - 1/300. ELISA: 1/5000. Not yet tested in other applications.
<b>Immunogen</b>	The antiserum was produced against synthesized peptide derived from human AQP4. AA range:204-253
<b>Specificity</b>	AQP4 Polyclonal Antibody detects endogenous levels of AQP4 protein.
<b>Formulation</b>	Liquid in PBS containing 50% glycerol, 0.5% BSA and 0.02% sodium azide..
<b>Storage</b>	Store at -20°C. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.
<b>Protein Name</b>	Aquaporin-4
<b>Gene Name</b>	AQP4
<b>Cellular localization</b>	Cell membrane ; Multi-pass membrane protein . Basolateral cell membrane ; Multi-pass membrane protein . Endosome membrane . Cell membrane, sarcolemma ; Multi-pass membrane protein . Cell projection . Activation of the vasopressin receptor AVPR1A triggers AQP4 phosphorylation at Ser-180 and promotes its internalization from the cell membrane. Detected on brain astrocyte processes and astrocyte endfeet close to capillaries. .

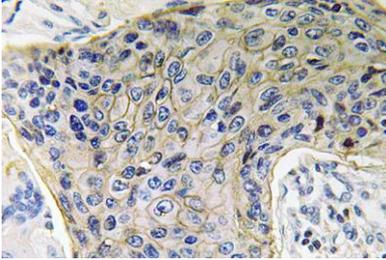
<b>Purification</b>	The antibody was affinity-purified from rabbit antiserum by affinity-chromatography using epitope-specific immunogen.
<b>Clonality</b>	Polyclonal
<b>Concentration</b>	1 mg/ml
<b>Observed band</b>	35kD
<b>Human Gene ID</b>	361
<b>Human Swiss-Prot Number</b>	P55087
<b>Alternative Names</b>	AQP4; Aquaporin-4; AQP-4; Mercurial-insensitive water channel; MIWC; WCH4

**Background**

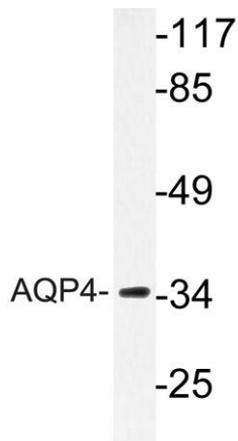
This gene encodes a member of the aquaporin family of intrinsic membrane proteins that function as water-selective channels in the plasma membranes of many cells. This protein is the predominant aquaporin found in brain and has an important role in brain water homeostasis. Alternatively spliced transcript variants encoding different isoforms have been described for this gene. A recent study provided evidence for translational readthrough in this gene and expression of an additional C-terminally extended isoform via the use of an alternative in-frame translation termination codon. [provided by RefSeq, Dec 2015],



**Western Blot analysis of various cells using AQP4 Polyclonal Antibody**



**Immunohistochemistry analysis of AQP4 antibody in paraffin-embedded human lung carcinoma tissue.**



**Western blot analysis of lysate from 293 cells, using AQP4 antibody.**