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Collybistin

Cat.No. 261 111; Monoclonal mouse antibody, 100 µg purified IgG (lyophilized)

Data Sheet

Reconstitution/ Storage	100 μg purified IgG, lyophilized. Azide was added before lyophilization. For reconstitution add 100 μl H_2O to get a 1mg/ml solution in PBS. Then aliquot and store at -20°C until use.
Applications	WB: not recommended IP: yes ICC: 1: 500 IHC: not tested yet IHC-P/FFPE: not tested yet
Clone	197A10
Subtype	IgG2b (κ light chain)
Immunogen	Recombinant protein corresponding to AA 1 to 471 from rat Collybistin (UniProt Id: Q9QX73)
Epitop	Epitop: AA 4 to 229 from rat Collybistin (UniProt Id: Q9QX73)
Reactivity	Reacts with: rat (Q9QX73), mouse (Q3UTH8). Other species not tested yet.
Specificity	Specific for collybistin, immunogen present in all three described splice-variants.

TO BE USED IN VITRO / FOR RESEARCH ONLY NOT TOXIC, NOT HAZARDOUS, NOT INFECTIOUS, NOT CONTAGIOUS

The GDP/GTP-exchange factor **collybistin** is composed of a dbl homology domain (DH) and a pleckstrin homology domain (PH) connected by a linker sequence. Three splice variants with different C-terminal regions have been described, so far.

Collybistin is supposed to be involved in the clustering of gephyrin, a scaffolding protein linking glycine and GABA receptors to microtubuli.

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