Synaptic Systems

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CSP

Cat.No. 154 004; Polyclonal Guinea pig antibody, 100 µl antiserum (lyophilized)

Data Sheet

Reconstitution/ Storage	100 µl antiserum, lyophilized. For reconstitution add 100 µl H_2O, then aliquot and store at -20°C until use.
Applications	**WB**: 1 : 1000 (AP staining) **IP**: yes **ICC**: 1 : 500 up to 1 : 1000 **IHC**: 1 : 500 up to 1 : 1000 **IHC-P/FFPE**: not tested yet
Immunogen	Synthetic peptide corresponding to AA 182 to 198 from rat CSP (UniProt Id: P60905)
Reactivity	Reacts with: rat, mouse. Other species not tested yet.
Specificity	Specific for CSP.

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

Cysteine **S**tring **P**roteins **CSP**s are composed of an N-terminal J-domain and a central palmitoylated cysteine string. This post-translational modification shifts the molecular weight of CSP 1 in brain from 23 kDa to 34 kDa and confers membrane targeting of the protein.
CSP has been initially identified as a synaptic vesicle protein which is involved in Ca^{2+} triggered neurotransmitter release. Later CSP was also found on Large Dense Core Vesicles (LDCVs) of pancreatic insulin secretory β-cells, chromaffin cells and adipocytes. It has been shown to interact with SNARE proteins like VAMP 2, VAMP 7 and syntaxin 4.

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