

Homer 2

Cat.No. 160 204; Polyclonal Guinea pig antibody, 100 µl antiserum (lyophilized)

Data Sheet

Reconstitution/ Storage	100 µl antiserum, lyophilized. For reconstitution add 100 µl H ₂ O, then aliquot and store at -20°C until use.
Applications	WB: yes limited (see remarks) IP: not tested yet ICC: 1 : 500 IHC: 1 : 500 IHC-P/FFPE: not tested yet
Immunogen	Recombinant protein corresponding to AA 1 to 176 from rat Homer2 (UniProt Id: O88801)
Reactivity	Reacts with: mouse (Q9QWW1), rat (O88801). Other species not tested yet.
Specificity	Specific for Homer 2
Remarks	WB: The rabbit antibody cat. no. 160 203 is more sensitive and recommended.

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

Homer is a scaffolding protein of the post synaptic density (PSD) and enriched at excitatory synapses. The protein binds metabotropic glutamate receptors, TRPC1, proteins of the Shank family and others. By aggregating these proteins into clusters, Homer was suggested to organize distinct signalling domains.

Three isoforms, Homer 1, 2 and 3 have been described. Each of these isoforms is subject to alternative splicing yielding the splice variants a, b, c, d.

Selected General References

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