

## Product datasheet for AP06132PU-M

## Galectin 3 (LGALS3) Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody

**Product data:** 

**Product Type:** Primary Antibodies

**Applications:** IF, IHC, WB

Recommended Dilution: Western blot: 1/500-1/1000.

Immunofluorescence: 1/50-1/200.

Immunohistochemistry on Paraffin Sections: 1/50-1/200.

Reactivity: Human, Mouse, Rat

**Host:** Rabbit

Clonality: Polyclonal

**Immunogen:** Synthetic peptide, corresponding to amino acids 140-190 of Human Galectin-3.

**Specificity:** This antibody detects endogenous levels of Galectin 3 / CBP35 protein.

(region surrounding asn174)

**Formulation:** PBS, pH~7.2 with 0.02% Sodium Azide, 50% Glycerol.

State: Aff - Purified

State: Liquid purified Ig fraction (> 95% pure by SDS-PAGE)

**Concentration:** 1.0 mg/ml

**Purification:** Affinity Chromatography using epitope-specific immunogen

Conjugation: Unconjugated

Storage: Store undiluted at 2-8°C for one month or (in aliquots) at -20°C for longer.

Avoid repeated freezing and thawing.

**Stability:** Shelf life: one year from despatch.

Predicted Protein Size: ~ 30 kDa

**Gene Name:** lectin, galactoside binding soluble 3

Database Link: Entrez Gene 3958 Human

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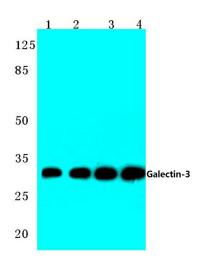
## Background:

The galectin-3 protein, also known as Mac-2, hMac-2, GALBP, CBP35 or LGALS3, contains a single carbohydrate binding domain, which binds galactose-containing glycoconjugates. galectin-3 is expressed in colonic and intestinal epithelium, inflammatory macrophages, papillary and follicular carcinomas, neoplastic astrocytes and some B and T lymphocytes. Upregulated expression of galectin-3 is involved in cancer progression and metastasis. galectin-3 mediates the endocytosis of  $\beta$ -1 Integrins in a lactose-dependant manner and is associated with thyroid malignancy and Crohn's disease. It may also be used as a marker for diagnosing cases involving Hurthle cell adenomas and carcinomas.

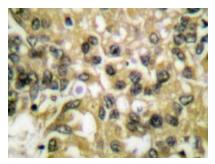
Synonyms:

Mac-2, Lgals3, GAL3, GALBP, CBP35, L-31

## **Product images:**



Western blot analysis of Galectin-3 antibody. at 1/500 dilution: Lane 1: Hela whole cell lysate. Lane 2: Mouse liver tissue lysate. Lane 3: Raw264.7 whole cell lysate. Lane 4: Rat liver tissue lysate.



Immunohistochemistry analysis with Galectin-3 antibody in paraffin-embedded human lung carcinoma tissue.