

Product datasheet for **AP20792PU-M**

PAH Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody

Product data:

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| Product Type: | Primary Antibodies |
| Applications: | IHC, WB |
| Recommended Dilution: | Western blot: 1/500 - 1/1000. Immunohistochemistry on paraffin sections 1/50 - 1/200. |
| Reactivity: | Human, Mouse, Rat |
| Host: | Rabbit |
| Clonality: | Polyclonal |
| Specificity: | This antibody detects endogenous levels of PAH protein. (region surrounding Arg400) |
| Formulation: | Phosphate buffered saline (PBS), pH 7.2. State: Aff - Purified State: Liquid purified Ig fraction Preservative: 0.05% sodium azide |
| Concentration: | 1.0 mg/ml |
| Purification: | Affinity chromatography (> 95% (by SDS-PAGE) |
| 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: | ~ 55 kDa |
| Gene Name: | phenylalanine hydroxylase |
| Database Link: | <u>Entrez Gene 18478 Mouse</u> <u>Entrez Gene 24616 Rat</u> <u>Entrez Gene 5053 Human</u> <u>P00439</u> |



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Background:

The PAH gene encodes the enzyme phenylalanine hydroxylase (PAH), which converts phenylalanine to tyrosine and is the rate-limiting enzyme in phenylalanine catabolism. Mammalian PAH is a soluble, homotetrameric protein which is abundantly expressed in human liver. Deficiency of PAH activity results in the autosomal recessive disorder phenylketonuria (PKU), which is characterized by mental retardation unless a low phenylalanine diet is introduced early in life. The PAH gene, which maps to human chromosome 12q23.2, contains all the genetic information necessary to code for functional PAH, demonstrating that a single gene is involved in the classic disease phenotype. Numerous mutations can impair the PAH gene, which result in decreased enzyme activity and give rise to varying degrees of PKU. Multiple isozymes of PAH have been reported to exist, but these are most likely allelic variants of PAH that produce protein subunits with slightly different charge and electrophoretic migration.

Synonyms:

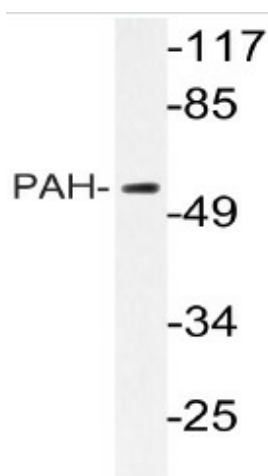
Phenylalanine Hydroxylase, PH, PKU1, PKU

Protein Families:

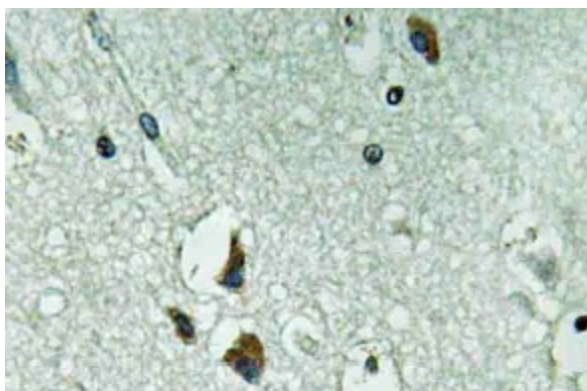
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Protein Pathways:

Metabolic pathways, Phenylalanine, tyrosine and tryptophan biosynthesis, Phenylalanine metabolism

Product images:


Western blot (WB) analyzes of PAH antibody (Cat.-No.: [AP20792PU-N]) in extracts from HepG2 cells.



Immunohistochemistry (IHC) analyzes of PAH antibody (Cat.-No.: [AP20792PU-N]) in paraffin-embedded human brain tissue.