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AP05098PU-N Polyclonal Antibody to BACE2 (496-511) - Purified

Alternate names:	AEPLC, ALP56, ASP1, ASP21, Aspartic-like protease 56 kDa, Aspartyl protease 1, Beta- secretase 2, Beta-site APP-cleaving enzyme 2, Beta-site APP-cleaving enzyme 2, Down region aspartic protease, Memapsin-1, Membrane-associated aspartic protease 1
Quantity:	0.1 mg
Concentration:	Lot specific
Background:	Accumulation of the amyloid-b (Ab) plaque in the cerebral cortex is a critical event in the pathogenesis of Alzheimer's disease. Ab peptide is generated by proteolytic cleavage of the b-amyloid protein precursor (APP) at b- and g-sites by proteases. The long-sought b-secretase was recently identified by several groups independently and designated beta-site APP cleaving enzyme (BACE) and aspartyl protease 2 (Asp2)1-4. A BACE homolog was recently cloned and designated BACE2, Asp1, DRAP (for Down region aspartic protease), and memapsin 14 - 9. BACE2 also cleaves APP at b-site and at a different site within Ab8. BACE2 locates on chromosome 21q22.3, the so-called Down critical region, suggesting that BACE2 and Ab may also contribute to the pathogenesis of Down syndrome.
Uniprot ID:	<u>Q9Y5Z0</u>
NCBI:	<u>NP_036237.2</u>
GenelD:	<u>25825</u>
Host / Isotype:	Rabbit / IgG
Immunogen:	Synthetic peptide corresponding to amino acids 496 to 511 of human BACE2
Format:	State: Liquid purified Ig Buffer System: Phosphate buffered saline solution containing 0.02% sodium azide as a preservative
Applications:	Western Blot: 0.5 to 1 µg/ml. Detects an approximately 70 kDa band in human heart tissue lysate. Other applications not tested. Optimal dilutions are dependent on conditions and should be determined by the user.
Specificity:	This antibody reacts to BACE 2 (CT). Species: Human. Other species not tested.
Storage:	The antibody can be shipped at ambient temperature. Store (in aliquots) at -20°C only. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing. Shelf life: one year from despatch
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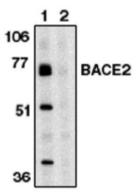
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Pictures: Western blot analysis using BACE2 (CT) antibody on human heart tissue lysate in the absence (1) and presence (2) of blocking peptide



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