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## Datasheet for ABIN7215736 anti-OPN4 antibody (AA 400-480)





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OVERVIEW		
Quantity:	100 μL	
Target:	OPN4	
Binding Specificity:	AA 400-480	
Reactivity:	Human	
Host:	Rabbit	
Clonality:	Polyclonal	
Conjugate:	This OPN4 antibody is un-conjugated	
Application:	Western Blotting (WB), ELISA, Immunofluorescence (IF)	
Product Details		
Purpose:	Melanopsin Polyclonal Antibody	
Immunogen:	Synthesized peptide derived from the C-terminal region of human Melanopsin at AA range: 400-480	
Isotype:	IgG	
Specificity:	Melanopsin Polyclonal Antibody detects endogenous levels of Melanopsin protein.	
Purification:	The antibody was affinity-purified from rabbit antiserum by affinity-chromatography using epitope-specific immunogen	
Target Details		
Target:	OPN4	

## **Target Details**

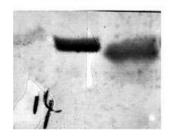
Alternative Name:	Melanopsin (OPN4 Products)			
Background:	Rabbit Anti-Melanopsin Polyclonal Antibody, OPN4, MOP, Melanopsin, Opsin-4, Opsins are			
	members of the guanine nucleotide-binding protein (G protein)-coupled receptor superfamily.			
	OPN4 encodes a photoreceptive opsin protein melanopsin that is expressed within the ganglion			
	and amacrine cell layers of the retina. In mouse, retinal ganglion cell axons expressing this gene			
	projected to the suprachiasmatic nucleus and other brain nuclei involved in circadian			
	photoentrainment. In mouse, this protein is coupled to a transient receptor potential (TRP) ion			
	channel through a G protein signaling pathway and produces a physiologic light response via			
	membrane depolarization and increased intracellular calcium. Melanopsin functions as a			
	sensory photopigment and may also have photoisomerase activity. Experiments with knockout			
	mice indicate that this gene attenuates, but does not abolish, photoentrainment. Alternative			
	splicing results in multiple transcript variants encoding different isoforms.,Melanopsin			
Molecular Weight:	observerd band 55kDa			
Gene ID:	94233			
UniProt:	Q9UHM6			
Application Details				
Application Notes:	Optimal working dilutions should be determined experimentally by the investigator. Suggested			
	starting dilutions are as follows: WB (1:500-1:2000), IF (1:200-1:1000), ELISA (1:5000). Not yet			
	tested in other applications.			
Comment:	Primary Antibody			
Restrictions:	For Research Use only			
Handling				
Format:	Liquid			
Concentration:	1 mg/mL			
Buffer:	PBS containing 50 % Glycerol, 0.5 % BSA and 0.02 % Sodium Azide.			
Preservative:	Sodium azide			
Precaution of Use:	This product contains Sodium azide: a POISONOUS AND HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE which			
	should be handled by trained staff only.			

Storage Comment:

Stable for one year at -20°C from date of shipment. For maximum recovery of product, centrifuge the original vial after thawing and prior to removing the cap. Aliquot to avoid repeated freezing and thawing.

## **Images**

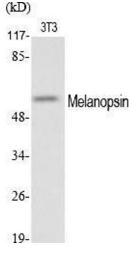
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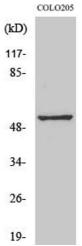


## Melanopsin ~55KD

## **Western Blotting**

**Image 1.** Western blot analysis of various lysates using Melanopsin Polyclonal Antibody. Secondary antibody (ABIN7205155) was diluted at 1:20000.





#### **Western Blotting**

**Image 2.** Western Blot analysis of various cells using Melanopsin Polyclonal Antibody.

## **Western Blotting**

**Image 3.** Western Blot analysis of COLO205 cells using Melanopsin Polyclonal Antibody.