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## anti-Nicastrin antibody (AA 168-289)



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Quantity:	50 μg
Target:	Nicastrin (NCSTN)
Binding Specificity:	AA 168-289
Reactivity:	Human, Mouse, Rat, Chicken, Dog
Host:	Mouse
Clonality:	Monoclonal
Conjugate:	This Nicastrin antibody is un-conjugated
Application:	Western Blotting (WB), Immunofluorescence (IF)

#### **Product Details**

Immunogen:	Human Nicastrin aa. 168-289
Clone:	35-Nicastrin
Isotype:	lgG2a
Cross-Reactivity:	Chicken, Dog (Canine), Mouse (Murine), Rat (Rattus)
Characteristics:	1. Since applications vary, each investigator should titrate the reagent to obtain optimal results.
	2. Please refer to us for technical protocols.
	3. Caution: Sodium azide yields highly toxic hydrazoic acid under acidic conditions. Dilute azide
	compounds in running water before discarding to avoid accumulation of potentially explosive
	deposits in plumbing.
	4. Source of all serum proteins is from USDA inspected abattoirs located in the United States.
Purification:	The monoclonal antibody was purified from tissue culture supernatant or ascites by affinity

chromatography.

### Target Details

Target:	Nicastrin (NCSTN)
Alternative Name:	Nicastrin (NCSTN Products)
Background:	Amyloid precursor protein (APP) gene encodes multiple APPs ranging from 695 to 770 amino
	acids. The unprocessed form of APP is a putative cell surface receptor that possesses neurite-
	promoting activity, and is involved in synaptic vesicle recycling. Processing of APP by
	sequential enzymatic activity of beta- and gamma-secretase, and the presenilin proteins PS1
	and PS2, produces APP fragments that may have unique functions. beta-secretase activity
	cleaves the extracellular portion of APP leading to asecreted APP form, while gamma-secretase
	activity produces beta-Amyloid peptide (39-43 amino acids). The Abeta peptide produces
	abnormal plaques in the cerebral cortex and blood vesselwalls during Alzheimer's disease.
	Nicastrin is a PS1 associated transmembrane protein,that contains N-terminal glycosylation
	and myristoylation sites. Nicastrin can bind full length APP and the fragments produced by
	gamma-secretase. In C. elegans, suppression of nicastrin expression produces phenotypes that
	mimic those produced when notch signaling proteins are suppressed. In Drosophila,
	deficiencies in nicastrin prevent cleavage of the intracellular portion of Notch. Thus, nicastrin
	may be a functional component of presenilins and gamma-secretase complexes, which
	process Notch and APP transmembrane receptors.
Molecular Weight:	110 kDa
Pathways:	Notch Signaling, Neurotrophin Signaling Pathway
Application Details	
Comment:	Related Products: ABIN967389, ABIN968553
Restrictions:	For Research Use only
Handling	
Format:	Liquid
Concentration:	250 μg/mL
Buffer:	Aqueous buffered solution containing BSA, glycerol, and ≤0.09 % sodium azide.
Preservative:	Sodium azide

#### Handling

Precaution of Use:	This product contains Sodium azide: a POISONOUS AND HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE which should be handled by trained staff only.
Storage:	-20 °C
Storage Comment:	Store undiluted at -20°C.

#### **Publications**

Product cited in:

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#### **Images**



#### **Western Blotting**

**Image 1.** Western blot analysis of Nicastrin on WI-38 lysate. Lane 1: 1:500, lane 2: 1:1000, lane 3: 1:2000 dilution of Nicastrin.