

## **Goat Anti-COMT (N Terminus) Antibody**

Peptide-affinity purified goat antibody Catalog # AF1265b

### **Specification**

## Goat Anti-COMT (N Terminus) Antibody - Product Information

Application WB, FC, Pep-ELISA

Primary Accession P21964

Other Accession NP\_009294, 1312

Reactivity Human

Predicted Mouse, Rat, Dog

Host Goat
Clonality Polyclonal
Concentration 100ug/200ul

Isotype IgG
Calculated MW 30037

## Goat Anti-COMT (N Terminus) Antibody - Additional Information

**Gene ID 1312** 

## **Other Names**

Catechol O-methyltransferase, 2.1.1.6, COMT

#### **Dilution**

WB~~1:1000 FC~~1:10~50 Pep-ELISA~~N/A

## **Format**

0.5 mg lgG/ml in Tris saline (20mM Tris pH7.3, 150mM NaCl), 0.02% sodium azide, with 0.5% bovine serum albumin

#### Storage

Maintain refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 6 months. For long term storage store at -20°C in small aliquots to prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

## **Precautions**

Goat Anti-COMT (N Terminus) Antibody is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

## Goat Anti-COMT (N Terminus) Antibody - Protein Information

#### Name COMT (HGNC:2228)

#### **Function**

Catalyzes the O-methylation, and thereby the inactivation, of catecholamine neurotransmitters



and catechol hormones. Also shortens the biological half-lives of certain neuroactive drugs, like L-DOPA, alpha-methyl DOPA and isoproterenol.

**Cellular Location** 

[Isoform Soluble]: Cytoplasm

**Tissue Location** 

Brain, liver, placenta, lymphocytes and erythrocytes

## Goat Anti-COMT (N Terminus) Antibody - Protocols

Provided below are standard protocols that you may find useful for product applications.

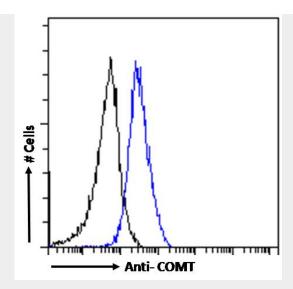
- Western Blot
- Blocking Peptides
- Dot Blot
- <u>Immunohistochemistry</u>
- Immunofluorescence
- <u>Immunoprecipitation</u>
- Flow Cytomety
- Cell Culture

### Goat Anti-COMT (N Terminus) Antibody - Images



EB06595 (0.5ug/ml) staining of MCF7 (A), (1ug/ml) U251 cell lysate 1 (B) and U251 cell lysate 2 (C) (35μg protein in RIPA buffer) Detected by chemiluminescence.





EB06595 Flow cytometric analysis of paraformaldehyde fixed A431 cells (blue line), permeabilized with 0.5% Triton. Primary incubation 1hr (10ug/ml) followed by Alexa Fluor 488 secondary antibody (1ug/ml). IgG control: Unimmunized goat IgG (black line) fol

## Goat Anti-COMT (N Terminus) Antibody - Background

Catechol-O-methyltransferase catalyzes the transfer of a methyl group from S-adenosylmethionine to catecholamines, including the neurotransmitters dopamine, epinephrine, and norepinephrine. This O-methylation results in one of the major degradative pathways of the catecholamine transmitters. In addition to its role in the metabolism of endogenous substances, COMT is important in the metabolism of catechol drugs used in the treatment of hypertension, asthma, and Parkinson disease. COMT is found in two forms in tissues, a soluble form (S-COMT) and a membrane-bound form (MB-COMT). The differences between S-COMT and MB-COMT reside within the N-termini. Several transcript variants are formed through the use of alternative translation initiation sites and promoters.

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