

# **CHRNA7 Antibody (N-term)**

Affinity Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody (Pab) Catalog # AP13898a

### **Specification**

# CHRNA7 Antibody (N-term) - Product Information

**Application** WB,E **Primary Accession** P36544 Other Accession NP 000737.1 Reactivity Human Host **Rabbit** Clonality **Polyclonal** Isotype Rabbit IgG Calculated MW 56449 Antigen Region 8-37

### CHRNA7 Antibody (N-term) - Additional Information

Gene ID 1139:89832

#### **Other Names**

Neuronal acetylcholine receptor subunit alpha-7, CHRNA7, NACHRA7

#### Target/Specificity

This CHRNA7 antibody is generated from rabbits immunized with a KLH conjugated synthetic peptide between 8-37 amino acids from the N-terminal region of human CHRNA7.

# **Dilution**

WB~~1:1000

### **Format**

Purified polyclonal antibody supplied in PBS with 0.09% (W/V) sodium azide. This antibody is purified through a protein A column, followed by peptide affinity purification.

#### Storage

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

#### **Precautions**

CHRNA7 Antibody (N-term) is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

## CHRNA7 Antibody (N-term) - Protein Information

Name CHRNA7

**Synonyms NACHRA7** 





**Function** After binding acetylcholine, the AChR responds by an extensive change in conformation that affects all subunits and leads to opening of an ion-conducting channel across the plasma membrane. The channel is blocked by alpha-bungarotoxin.

#### **Cellular Location**

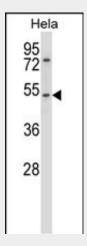
Postsynaptic cell membrane; Multi-pass membrane protein. Cell membrane; Multi-pass membrane protein. Note=TMEM35A/NACHO promotes its trafficking to the cell membrane (PubMed:27789755). RIC3 promotes its trafficking to the cell membrane (By similarity) {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:Q05941, ECO:0000269|PubMed:27789755}

#### CHRNA7 Antibody (N-term) - Protocols

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

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

# CHRNA7 Antibody (N-term) - Images



CHRNA7 Antibody (N-term) (Cat. #AP13898a) western blot analysis in Hela cell line lysates (35ug/lane). This demonstrates the CHRNA7 antibody detected the CHRNA7 protein (arrow).

### CHRNA7 Antibody (N-term) - Background

The nicotinic acetylcholine receptors (nAChRs) are members of a superfamily of ligand-gated ion channels that mediate fast signal transmission at synapses. The nAChRs are thought to be hetero-pentamers composed of homologous subunits. The proposed structure for each subunit is a conserved N-terminal extracellular domain followed by three conserved transmembrane domains, a variable cytoplasmic loop, a fourth conserved transmembrane domain, and a short C-terminal extracellular region. The protein encoded by this gene forms a homo-oligomeric channel, displays marked permeability to calcium ions and is a major component of brain





nicotinic receptors that are blocked by, and highly sensitive to, alpha-bungarotoxin. Once this receptor binds acetylcholine, it undergoes an extensive change in conformation that affects all subunits and leads to opening of an ion-conducting channel across the plasma membrane. This gene is located in a region identified as a major susceptibility locus for juvenile myoclonic epilepsy and a chromosomal location involved in the genetic transmission of schizophrenia. An evolutionarily recent partial duplication event in this region results in a hybrid containing sequence from this gene and a novel FAM7A gene. Alternatively spliced transcript variants encoding different isoforms have been found for this gene.

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