

**DCP2 Antibody**  
**Catalog # ASC11553****Specification****DCP2 Antibody - Product Information**

Application	WB, IF, E
Primary Accession	<a href="#">Q8IU60</a>
Other Accession	<a href="#">NP_689837</a> , <a href="#">31542498</a>
Reactivity	Human, Mouse, Rat
Host	Rabbit
Clonality	Polyclonal
Isotype	IgG
Calculated MW	46 kDa KDa
Application Notes	DCP2 antibody can be used for detection of DCP2 by Western blot at 1 µg/mL. For immunofluorescence start at 20 µg/mL.

**DCP2 Antibody - Additional Information**Gene ID **167227****Target/Specificity**

DCP2; Multiple isoforms of DCP2 are known to exist.

**Reconstitution & Storage**

DCP2 antibody can be stored at 4°C for three months and -20°C, stable for up to one year. As with all antibodies care should be taken to avoid repeated freeze thaw cycles. Antibodies should not be exposed to prolonged high temperatures.

**Precautions**

DCP2 Antibody is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

**DCP2 Antibody - Protein Information****Name** DCP2**Synonyms** NUDT20**Function**

Decapping metalloenzyme that catalyzes the cleavage of the cap structure on mRNAs (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/12218187" target="\_blank">12218187</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/12417715" target="\_blank">12417715</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/12923261" target="\_blank">12923261</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/21070968" target="\_blank">21070968</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/28002401" target="\_blank">28002401</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/31875550" target="\_blank">31875550</a>). Removes the 7-methyl guanine cap structure from mRNA molecules, yielding a 5'-phosphorylated mRNA fragment and 7m-GDP (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/12486012" target="\_blank">12486012</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/12923261" target="\_blank">12923261</a>).

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#### **Cellular Location**

Cytoplasm, P-body. Nucleus Note=Predominantly cytoplasmic, in processing bodies (PB) (PubMed:15273322). A minor amount is nuclear (PubMed:15273322)

#### **Tissue Location**

Expressed in brain and testis. Not detected in heart (at protein level).

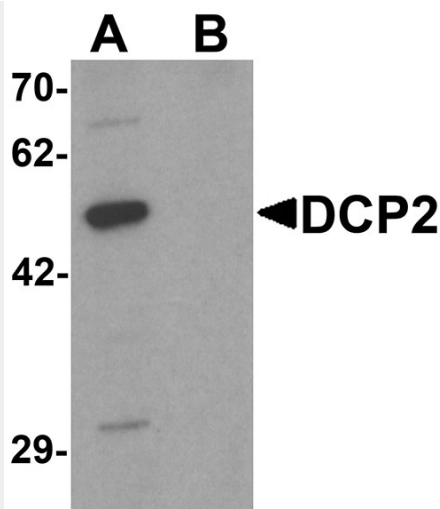
#### **DCP2 Antibody - Protocols**

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

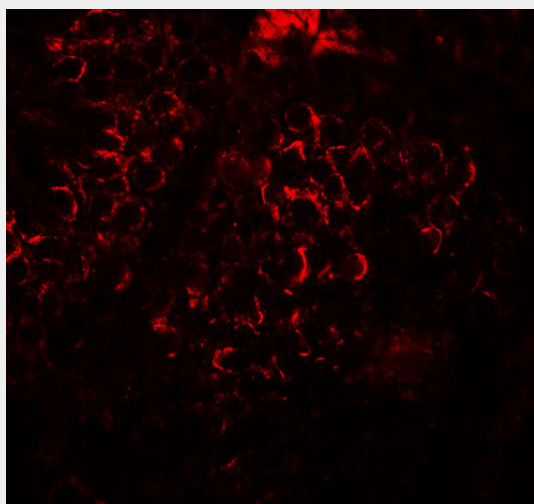
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#### **DCP2 Antibody - Images**





Western blot analysis of DCP2 in 293 cell lysate with DCP2 antibody at 1  $\mu\text{g/mL}$  in (A) the absence and (B) the presence of blocking peptide.



Immunofluorescence of DCP2 in human testis tissue with DCP2 antibody at 20  $\mu\text{g/mL}$ .

#### DCP2 Antibody - Background

DCP2 Antibody: The removal, or decapping, of eukaryotic mRNA is an important step in the degradation of mRNA. Decapping protein 2 (DCP2) is the major mRNA decapping enzyme in cells. It is a member of the Nudix hydrolases superfamily of proteins that predominantly catalyze the hydrolysis of small nucleoside diphosphate substrates linked to another moiety. DCP2 is widely expressed in multiple tissues at varying levels, with highest expression seen in testis and brain.

#### DCP2 Antibody - References

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