

Anti-Cas9 (RABBIT) Antibody

Cas 9 Antibody Catalog # ASR5539

Specification

Anti-Cas9 (RABBIT) Antibody - Product Information

Host Rabbit

Conjugate
Clonality
Application

Unconjugated
Polyclonal
WB, E, I, LCI

Application Note This affinity purified antibody has been

tested for use in ELISA,

Immunofluorescence, and Western

blotting. Specific conditions for reactivity should be optimized by the end user.

Expect a band ~158 kDa in size

corresponding to Cas-9 protein by western blotting in the appropriate cell lysate or

extract.

Physical State Liquid (sterile filtered)

Buffer 0.02 M Potassium Phosphate, 0.15 M

Sodium Chloride, pH 7.2

Immunogen Cas-9 affinity purified antibody was

prepared from whole rabbit serum

produced by repeated immunizations with a synthetic peptide corresponding to a

region near the C-terminal of

Streptococcus pyogenes Cas-9 protein.

Preservative 0.01% (w/v) Sodium Azide

Anti-Cas9 (RABBIT) Antibody - Additional Information

Other Names 901176

Purity

Anti-Cas9 antibody is directed against Streptococcus pyogenes Cas-9. The product was affinity purified from monospecific antiserum by immunoaffinity chromatography.

Storage Condition

Store vial at -20° C prior to opening. Aliquot contents and freeze at -20° C or below for extended storage. Avoid cycles of freezing and thawing. Centrifuge product if not completely clear after standing at room temperature. This product is stable for several weeks at 4° C as an undiluted liquid. Dilute only prior to immediate use.

Precautions Note

This product is for research use only and is not intended for therapeutic or diagnostic applications.

Anti-Cas9 (RABBIT) Antibody - Protein Information



Name cas9 {ECO:0000255|HAMAP-Rule:MF 01480, ECO:0000303|PubMed:22745249}

Function

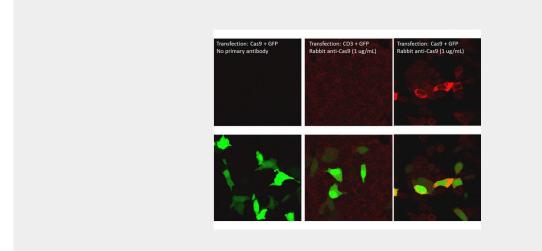
CRISPR (clustered regularly interspaced short palindromic repeat) is an adaptive immune system that provides protection against mobile genetic elements (viruses, transposable elements and conjugative plasmids) (PubMed: 21455174). CRISPR clusters contain spacers, sequences complementary to antecedent mobile elements, and target invading nucleic acids. CRISPR clusters are transcribed and processed into CRISPR RNA (crRNA). In type II CRISPR systems correct processing of pre-crRNA requires a trans-encoded small RNA (tracrRNA), endogenous ribonuclease 3 (rnc) and this protein. The tracrRNA serves as a guide for ribonuclease 3-aided processing of pre-crRNA; Cas9 only stabilizes the pre-crRNA:tracrRNA interaction and has no catalytic function in RNA processing (PubMed:24270795). Subsequently Cas9/crRNA/tracrRNA endonucleolytically cleaves linear or circular dsDNA target complementary to the spacer; Cas9 is inactive in the absence of the 2 guide RNAs (gRNA). The target strand not complementary to crRNA is first cut endonucleolytically, then trimmed 3'-5' exonucleolytically. DNA-binding requires protein and both gRNAs, as does nuclease activity. Cas9 recognizes the protospacer adjacent motif (PAM) in the CRISPR repeat sequences to help distinguish self versus nonself, as targets within the bacterial CRISPR locus do not have PAMs. DNA strand separation and heteroduplex formation starts at PAM sites; PAM recognition is required for catalytic activity (PubMed:24476820). Confers immunity against a plasmid with homology to the appropriate CRISPR spacer sequences (CRISPR interference) (PubMed:21455174).

Anti-Cas9 (RABBIT) Antibody - Protocols

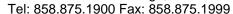
Provided below are standard protocols that you may find useful for product applications.

- Western Blot
- Blocking Peptides
- Dot Blot
- Immunohistochemistry
- Immunofluorescence
- Immunoprecipitation
- Flow Cytomety
- Cell Culture

Anti-Cas9 (RABBIT) Antibody - Images









Immunofluorescence of Rabbit Anti-Cas9 Antibody. Cells: HeLa cells transfected with GFP+Cas9 or GFP+CD-3. Fixation: Formaldehyde fixed, permeabilized Triton X-100. Primary: Anti-Cas9 used at 1 µg/mL. Secondary: Donkey anti-Rabbit at 1 µg/mL, staining seen in red. Bottom images show GFP stain overlay.

Anti-Cas9 (RABBIT) Antibody - Background

The Clustered Regularly Interspaced Short Palindromic Repeats (CRISPR) and CRISPR Associated (Cas) system was discovered in bacteria as a defense against foreign DNA, even being believed to act as a sort of prokaryotic immune system. The Cas9 protein is becoming a useful tool in the field of genomic editing for its ability to induce site-directed double strand breaks in DNA. It can cleave almost any sequence complementary to the guide RNA and has recently been used for modifying the genome of human embryos for the first time.