

# CRYGS Antibody (C-term) Blocking peptide

Synthetic peptide Catalog # BP10737b

## **Specification**

# CRYGS Antibody (C-term) Blocking peptide - Product Information

**Primary Accession** 

P22914

# CRYGS Antibody (C-term) Blocking peptide - Additional Information

**Gene ID 1427** 

#### **Other Names**

Beta-crystallin S, Gamma-S-crystallin, Gamma-crystallin S, CRYGS, CRYG8

#### **Format**

Peptides are lyophilized in a solid powder format. Peptides can be reconstituted in solution using the appropriate buffer as needed.

### **Storage**

Maintain refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 6 months. For long term storage store at -20°C.

### **Precautions**

This product is for research use only. Not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

### CRYGS Antibody (C-term) Blocking peptide - Protein Information

**Name CRYGS** 

Synonyms CRYG8

#### **Function**

Crystallins are the dominant structural components of the vertebrate eye lens.

## CRYGS Antibody (C-term) Blocking peptide - Protocols

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

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CRYGS Antibody (C-term) Blocking peptide - Images

# CRYGS Antibody (C-term) Blocking peptide - Background

Crystallins are separated into two classes:taxon-specific, or enzyme, and ubiquitous. The latter classconstitutes the major proteins of vertebrate eye lens and maintainsthe transparency and refractive index of the lens. Since lenscentral fiber cells lose their nuclei during development,







thesecrystallins are made and then retained throughout life, making themextremely stable proteins. Mammalian lens crystallins are divided into alpha, beta, and gamma families; beta and gamma crystallinsare also considered as a superfamily. Alpha and beta families arefurther divided into acidic and basic groups. Seven protein regionsexist in crystallins: four homologous motifs, a connecting peptide, and N- and C-terminal extensions. Gamma-crystallins are ahomogeneous group of highly symmetrical, monomeric proteinstypically lacking connecting peptides and terminal extensions. Theyare differentially regulated after early development. This geneencodes a protein initially considered to be a beta-crystallin butthe encoded protein is monomeric and has greater sequencesimilarity to other gamma-crystallins. This gene encodes the most significant gamma-crystallin in adult eye lens tissue. Whether dueto aging or mutations in specific genes, gamma-crystallins havebeen involved in cataract formation.

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