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# FABP4 Polyclonal antibody

Catalog Number: 31129-1-AP



## Basic Information

<b>Catalog Number:</b> 31129-1-AP	<b>GenBank Accession Number:</b> NM_001442.3	<b>Purification Method:</b> Antigen affinity purification
<b>Size:</b> 350 µg/ml	<b>GeneID (NCBI):</b> 2167	<b>Recommended Dilutions:</b> WB 1:500-1:3000
<b>Source:</b> Rabbit	<b>UNIPROT ID:</b> P15090	
<b>Isotype:</b> IgG	<b>Full Name:</b> fatty acid binding protein 4, adipocyte	
	<b>Calculated MW:</b> 15 kDa	
	<b>Observed MW:</b> 15 kDa	

## Applications

<b>Tested Applications:</b> WB, ELISA	<b>Positive Controls:</b> WB : mouse skeletal muscle tissue, rat heart tissue, rat skeletal muscle tissue
<b>Species Specificity:</b> Human, mouse, rat	

## Background Information

Fatty acid binding protein (FABP) 4 is a member of the FABP family which abundantly expressed, fatty acid carrier proteins. FABPs are capable of binding a variety of hydrophobic molecules such as long-chain fatty acids and are important for their uptake and intracellular trafficking. It was first identified as an adipocyte-specific protein, important for the maintenance of lipid and glucose metabolism. It is also detected in macrophages, where it participates in regulating inflammation and cholesterol trafficking via NF- $\kappa$ B and PPAR. In more recent studies, FABP4 has been found in a variety of endothelial cells, where it has been identified as a target of VEGF and a regulator of cell proliferation and possibly angiogenesis. Pathologically, FABP4 has been associated with the development of metabolic syndrome, diabetes and cancer and vulnerability of atherosclerotic plaques. FABP4 has been identified as a novel prognostic factor for both adverse cardiovascular events and breast cancer.

## Storage

**Storage:**  
Store at -20°C. Stable for one year after shipment.  
**Storage Buffer:**  
PBS with 0.02% sodium azide and 50% glycerol pH 7.3.  
Aliquoting is unnecessary for -20°C storage

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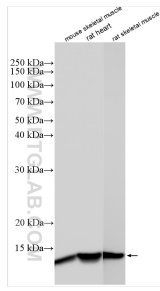
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## Selected Validation Data



Various lysates were subjected to SDS PAGE followed by western blot with 31129-1-AP (FABP4 antibody) at dilution of 1:1500 incubated at room temperature for 1.5 hours.