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## **Basic Information**

Observed MW 32kDa

Calculated MW 33kDa

Category Primary antibody

Applications WB,ELISA

Cross-Reactivity Human, Mouse, Rat

# Background

Mitochondrial uncoupling proteins (UCP) are members of the larger family of mitochondrial anion carrier proteins (MACP). UCPs separate oxidative phosphorylation from ATP synthesis with energy dissipated as heat, also referred to as the mitochondrial proton leak. UCPs facilitate the transfer of anions from the inner to the outer mitochondrial membrane and the return transfer of protons from the outer to the inner mitochondrial membrane. They also reduce the mitochondrial membrane potential in mammalian cells. Tissue specificity occurs for the different UCPs and the exact methods of how UCPs transfer H+/OH- are not known. UCPs contain the three homologous protein domains of MACPs. This gene is expressed in many tissues, with the greatest expression in skeletal muscle. It is thought to play a role in nonshivering thermogenesis, obesity and diabetes. Chromosomal order is 5'-UCP3-UCP2-3'.

## **Recommended Dilutions**

WB	1:500 - 1:1000
ELISA	Recommended starting concentration is 1 µg/mL. Please optimize the concentration based on your specific assay requirements.

# **Immunogen Information**

#### **Gene ID** 7351

Swiss Prot P55851

### Immunogen

Recombinant protein (or fragment). This information is considered to be commercially sensitive.

Synonyms

UCPH; BMIQ4; SLC25A8; UCP2

## Contact

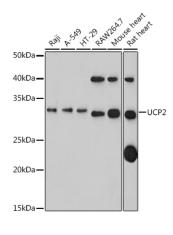
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# **Product Information**

**Source** Rabbit **Isotype** IgG Purification Affinity purification

### Storage

Store at -20°C. Avoid freeze / thaw cycles. Buffer: PBS with 0.09% Sodium azide,50% glycerol,pH7.3.



Western blot analysis of various lysates using UCP2 Rabbit pAb (A4178) at 1:1000 dilution. Secondary antibody: HRP-conjugated Goat anti-Rabbit IgG (H+L) (AS014) at 1:10000 dilution. Lysates/proteins: 25µg per lane. Blocking buffer: 3% nonfat dry milk in TBST. Detection: ECL Basic Kit (RM00020). Exposure time: 180s.