

# DDC Antibody (N-term)

Affinity Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody (Pab) Catalog # AP5536a

#### **Product Information**

**Application** WB, IF, IHC-P, FC, E

Primary Accession P20711
Other Accession NP\_000781.1
Reactivity Human, Mouse

HostRabbitClonalityPolyclonalIsotypeRabbit IgGClone NamesRB21702Calculated MW53926Antigen Region32-61

### **Additional Information**

**Gene ID** 1644

Other Names Aromatic-L-amino-acid decarboxylase, AADC, DOPA decarboxylase, DDC, DDC,

AADC

**Target/Specificity** This DDC antibody is generated from rabbits immunized with a KLH

conjugated synthetic peptide between 32-61 amino acids from the N-terminal

region of human DDC.

**Dilution** WB~~1:1000 IF~~1:10~50 IHC-P~~1:100~500 FC~~1:10~50 E~~Use at an assay

dependent concentration.

**Format** Purified polyclonal antibody supplied in PBS with 0.05% (V/V) Proclin 300. This

antibody is purified through a protein A column, followed by peptide affinity

purification.

**Storage** Maintain refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 2 weeks. For long term storage store

at -20°C in small aliquots to prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

**Precautions** DDC Antibody (N-term) is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic

or therapeutic procedures.

#### **Protein Information**

Name DDC {ECO:0000303|PubMed:15532536, ECO:0000312|HGNC:HGNC:2719}

**Function** Catalyzes the decarboxylation of L-3,4-dihydroxyphenylalanine (DOPA) to

dopamine and L-5-hydroxytryptophan to serotonin.

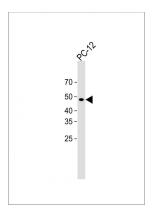
# **Background**

This protein catalyzes the decarboxylation of L-3,4-dihydroxyphenylalanine (DOPA) to dopamine, L-5-hydroxytryptophan to serotonin and L-tryptophan to tryptamine. Defects in this gene are the cause of aromatic L-amino-acid decarboxylase deficiency (AADCD). AADCD deficiency is an inborn error in neurotransmitter metabolism that leads to combined serotonin and catecholamine deficiency.

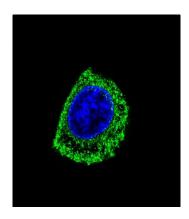
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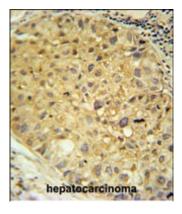
# **Images**



All lanes: Anti-DDC Antibody (N-term) at 1:2000 dilution + PC-12 whole cell lysate Lysates/proteins at 20 µg per lane. Secondary: Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG, (H+L), Peroxidase conjugated (ASP1615) at 1/15000 dilution. Observed band size: 48 KDa Blocking/Dilution buffer: 5% NFDM/TBST.

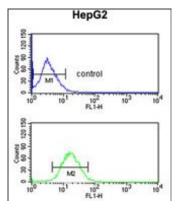


Confocal immunofluorescent analysis of DDC Antibody (N-term)(Cat#AP5536a) with HepG2 cell followed by Alexa Fluor® 488-conjugated goat anti-rabbit IgG (green). DAPI was used to stain the cell nuclear (blue).



DDC Antibody (N-term) (Cat. #AP5536a) immunohistochemistry analysis in formalin fixed and paraffin embedded human hepatocarcinoma followed by peroxidase conjugation of the secondary antibody and DAB staining. This data demonstrates the use of the DDC Antibody (N-term) for immunohistochemistry. Clinical relevance has not been evaluated.

DDC Antibody (N-term) (Cat. #AP5536a) flow cytometric analysis of HepG2 cells (bottom histogram) compared to



a negative control cell (top histogram).FITC-conjugated goat-anti-rabbit secondary antibodies were used for the analysis.

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