

# **HSP20 Polyclonal Antibody**

Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody (Pab) Catalog # AP56455

#### **Product Information**

**Application** IHC-P, IHC-F, IF, E

Primary Accession <u>014558</u>

**Reactivity** Rat, Dog, Bovine

Host Rabbit
Clonality Polyclonal
Calculated MW 17136
Physical State Liquid

Immunogen KLH conjugated synthetic peptide derived from human HSPB6

Homodimer (By similarity). The N-terminus is blocked.

**Epitope Specificity** 6-80/160 **Isotype** IgG

**Purity** affinity purified by Protein A

Buffer

SUBCELLULAR LOCATION

SIMILARITY

SUBUNIT Post-translational

modifications

Important Note

This product as supplied is intended for research use only, not for use in

human, therapeutic or diagnostic applications.

Belongs to the small heat shock protein (HSP20) family.

**Background Descriptions** Hsp20 is a small heat shock protein related to Hsp25, Hsp27 and may form

different hetercomplexes with these proteins. The specific physiological function of Hsp20 is not yet known. It is distributed ubiquitously in tissues, but is found in higher levels in skeletal, smooth and heart muscle. Under normal conditions, Hsp20 is diffusely distributed in the cytosol, but under heat stress conditions, it translocates to the nucleus. Unlike other heat shock proteins the amount of Hsp20 does not increase after heat shock. The Hsp20 was demonstrated to constitute up to 1.3% of the total cellular protein in vertebrate tissues, especially in muscle, and its expression is related to muscle contraction, specifically in slow-twitch muscle. Hsp20 may form different heterocomplexes with other Hsp's, such as alpha-crystalline and Hsp25. Phosphorylated form of Hsp20 is proposed to interact with monomeric actin whereas dephosphorylated form binds polymeric actin filaments. In normal conditions Hsp20 is diffusely disturbed in cytosol but

under the heat stress it undergoes translocation to membrane fraction.

0.01M TBS (pH7.4) with 1% BSA, 0.02% Proclin300 and 50% Glycerol.

Cytoplasm. Nucleus. Note=Translocates to nuclear foci during heat shock.

### **Additional Information**

**Gene ID** 126393

Other Names Heat shock protein beta-6, HspB6, Heat shock 20 kDa-like protein p20, HSPB6

**Dilution** IHC-P=1:100-500,IHC-F=1:100-500,IF=1:100-500,ELISA=1:5000-10000

Format 0.01M TBS(pH7.4) with 1% BSA, 0.09% (W/V) sodium azide and 50% Glyce

**Storage** Store at -20 °C for one year. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles. When

reconstituted in sterile pH 7.4 0.01M PBS or diluent of antibody the antibody

is stable for at least two weeks at 2-4 °C.

#### **Protein Information**

Name HSPB6

**Function** Small heat shock protein which functions as a molecular chaperone

probably maintaining denatured proteins in a folding- competent state. Seems to have versatile functions in various biological processes. Plays a role in regulating muscle function such as smooth muscle vasorelaxation and cardiac myocyte contractility. May regulate myocardial angiogenesis

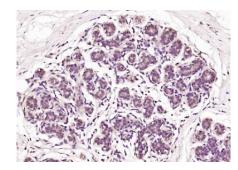
implicating KDR. Overexpression mediates cardioprotection and angiogenesis after induced damage. Stabilizes monomeric YWHAZ thereby supporting

YWHAZ chaperone-like activity.

**Cellular Location** Cytoplasm. Nucleus. Secreted Note=Translocates to nuclear foci during heat

shock

## **Images**



Paraformaldehyde-fixed, paraffin embedded (human breast); Antigen retrieval by boiling in sodium citrate buffer (pH6.0) for 15min; Block endogenous peroxidase by 3% hydrogen peroxide for 20 minutes; Blocking buffer (normal goat serum) at 37°C for 30min; Antibody incubation with (HSP20) Polyclonal Antibody, Unconjugated (AP56455) at 1:200 overnight at 4°C, followed by operating according to SP Kit(Rabbit) (sp-0023) instructions and DAB staining.

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