

# KIR2.1 Polyclonal Antibody

Catalog # AP70656

## Product Information

Application	WB, IHC-P
Primary Accession	<a href="#">P63252</a>
Reactivity	Human, Rat
Host	Rabbit
Clonality	Polyclonal
Calculated MW	48288

## Additional Information

Gene ID	3759
Other Names	KCNJ2; IRK1; Inward rectifier potassium channel 2; Cardiac inward rectifier potassium channel; Inward rectifier K(+) channel Kir2.1; IRK-1; hIRK1; Potassium channel; inwardly rectifying subfamily J member 2
Dilution	WB~~Western Blot: 1/500 - 1/2000. Immunohistochemistry: 1/100 - 1/300. ELISA: 1/10000. Not yet tested in other applications. IHC-P~~N/A
Format	Liquid in PBS containing 50% glycerol, 0.5% BSA and 0.09% (W/V) sodium azide.
Storage Conditions	-20°C

## Protein Information

Name	KCNJ2
Synonyms	IRK1
Function	Inward rectifier potassium channels are characterized by a greater tendency to allow potassium to flow into the cell rather than out of it (PubMed: <a href="#">36149965</a> , PubMed: <a href="#">7590287</a> , PubMed: <a href="#">9490857</a> ). Their voltage dependence is regulated by the concentration of extracellular potassium; as external potassium is raised, the voltage range of the channel opening shifts to more positive voltages (PubMed: <a href="#">7590287</a> , PubMed: <a href="#">7696590</a> ). The inward rectification is mainly due to the blockage of outward current by internal magnesium (PubMed: <a href="#">9490857</a> ). Can be blocked by extracellular barium or cesium (PubMed: <a href="#">7590287</a> , PubMed: <a href="#">7696590</a> ). Probably participates in establishing action potential waveform and excitability of neuronal and muscle tissues (PubMed: <a href="#">7590287</a> , PubMed: <a href="#">7696590</a> , PubMed: <a href="#">7840300</a> ).
Cellular Location	Cell membrane; Multi-pass membrane protein Cell membrane, sarcolemma, T-tubule {ECO:0000250 UniProtKB:Q64273}

**Tissue Location**

Heart, brain, placenta, lung, skeletal muscle, and kidney. Diffusely distributed throughout the brain

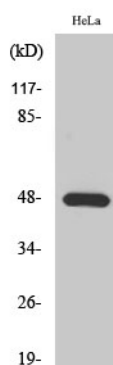
**Background**

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**Images**

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Western Blot analysis of various cells using KIR2.1  
Polyclonal Antibody diluted at 1 : 500

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