

# RGR Antibody (Center)

Affinity Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody (Pab) Catalog # AP9895c

## **Product Information**

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

**Primary Accession** P47804 Human Reactivity Host Rabbit Clonality Polyclonal Isotype Rabbit IgG **Clone Names** RB24687 **Calculated MW** 31874 **Antigen Region** 265-291

## **Additional Information**

**Gene ID** 5995

Other Names RPE-retinal G protein-coupled receptor, RGR

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

conjugated synthetic peptide between 265-291 amino acids from the Central

region of human RGR.

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

concentration.

**Format** Purified polyclonal antibody supplied in PBS with 0.09% (W/V) sodium azide.

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** RGR Antibody (Center) is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or

therapeutic procedures.

#### **Protein Information**

Name RGR

**Function** Receptor for all-trans- and 11-cis-retinal. Binds preferentially to the former

and may catalyze the isomerization of the chromophore by a

retinochrome-like mechanism.

Cellular Location

Membrane; Multi-pass membrane protein.

**Tissue Location** 

Preferentially expressed at high levels in the retinal pigment epithelium (RPE)

and Mueller cells of the neural retina

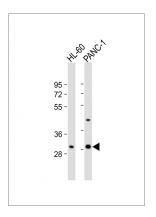
# **Background**

This gene encodes a putative retinal G-protein coupled receptor. The gene is a member of the opsin subfamily of the 7 transmembrane, G-protein coupled receptor 1 family. Like other opsins which bind retinaldehyde, it contains a conserved lysine residue in the seventh transmembrane domain. The protein acts as a photoisomerase to catalyze the conversion of all-trans-retinal to 11-cis-retinal. The reverse isomerization occurs with rhodopsin in retinal photoreceptor cells. The protein is exclusively expressed in tissue adjacent to retinal photoreceptor cells, the retinal pigment epithelium and Mueller cells. This gene may be associated with autosomal recessive and autosomal dominant retinitis pigmentosa (arRP and adRP, respectively).

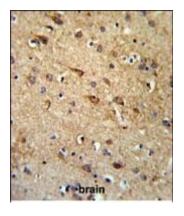
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# **Images**

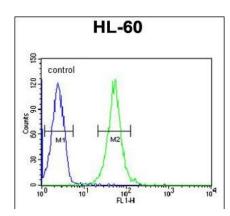


All lanes: Anti-RGR Antibody (Center) at 1:1000 dilution Lane 1: HL-60 whole cell lysate Lane 2: PANC-1 whole cell lysate Lysates/proteins at 20 µg per lane. Secondary Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG, (H+L), Peroxidase conjugated at 1/10000 dilution. Predicted band size: 32 kDa Blocking/Dilution buffer: 5% NFDM/TBST.



RGR Antibody (Center) (Cat. #AP9895c) IHC analysis in formalin fixed and paraffin embedded brain tissue followed by peroxidase conjugation of the secondary antibody and DAB staining. This data demonstrates the use of the RGR Antibody (Center) for immunohistochemistry. Clinical relevance has not been evaluated.

RGR Antibody (Center) (Cat. #AP9895c) flow cytometric analysis of HL-60 cells (right histogram) compared to a negative control cell (left histogram).FITC-conjugated goat-anti-rabbit secondary antibodies were used for the analysis.



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