

PCDHGA8 Antibody (monoclonal) (M01)

Mouse monoclonal antibody raised against a partial recombinant PCDHGA8. Catalog # AT3229a

Product Information

Application	WB, E
Primary Accession	<u>Q9Y5G5</u>
Other Accession	<u>NM_032088</u>
Reactivity	Human
Host	mouse
Clonality	monoclonal
Isotype	IgG2a Kappa
Clone Names	1C11
Calculated MW	101480

Additional Information

Gene ID	9708
Other Names	Protocadherin gamma-A8, PCDH-gamma-A8, PCDHGA8, KIAA0327
Target/Specificity	PCDHGA8 (NP_114477, 357 a.a. ~ 444 a.a) partial recombinant protein with GST tag. MW of the GST tag alone is 26 KDa.
Dilution	WB~~1:500~1000 E~~N/A
Format	Clear, colorless solution in phosphate buffered saline, pH 7.2 .
Storage	Store at -20°C or lower. Aliquot to avoid repeated freezing and thawing.
Precautions	PCDHGA8 Antibody (monoclonal) (M01) is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

Background

This gene is a member of the protocadherin gamma gene cluster, one of three related clusters tandemly linked on chromosome five. These gene clusters have an immunoglobulin-like organization, suggesting that a novel mechanism may be involved in their regulation and expression. The gamma gene cluster includes 22 genes divided into 3 subfamilies. Subfamily A contains 12 genes, subfamily B contains 7 genes and 2 pseudogenes, and the more distantly related subfamily C contains 3 genes. The tandem array of 22 large, variable region exons are followed by a constant region, containing 3 exons shared by all genes in the cluster. Each variable region exon encodes the extracellular region, which includes 6 cadherin ectodomains and a transmembrane region. The constant region exons encode the common cytoplasmic region. These neural cadherin-like cell adhesion proteins most likely play a critical role in the establishment and function of specific cell-cell connections in the brain. Alternative splicing has been described for the gamma cluster genes.

References

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Images



Western blot analysis of PCDHGA8 over-expressed 293 cell line, cotransfected with PCDHGA8 Validated Chimera RNAi ((Cat # AT3229a)



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