

Product Data Sheet: Calbindin D28K Chicken Polyclonal Antibody

Cat. No: AB-83902

Conjugate: Unconjugated

Size: 100 ug

Clone: POLY

Concentration: 1mg/ml

Host: Chicken

Isotype: IgY

Immunogen: Full-length recombinant human protein expressed in and purified from E. coli.

Reactivity: Hu Rt Ms,Cw, Pg

Applications: Western Blot: 1:5,000 Immunofluorescence: 1,000-1:5,000

Immunocytochemistry: 1:1,000-1:5,000 Immunohistochemistry: 1;10,000

Molecular Weight: 28kDa **Purification:** Purified

Calbindin, also known as calbindin 1 or calbindin-D28k is a member of the large superfamily of cytoplasmic EF hand containing Calcium binding proteins and is expressed in the brain, intestine, kidney and pancreas. It is particularly concentrated in the dendrites and perikarya of cerebellar Purkinje cells, but is also found in many GABAergic interneurons in the cerebral cortex. These

GABAergic interneurons in most cases express only one of three Calcium binding

Background: proteins, namely calbindin or parvalbumin or calretinin. As a result these

important and physiologically distinct inhibitory interneurons can be identified and subclassified based on their content of these three proteins. The Calb

antibody was made against full length recombinant human calbindin expressed in and purified from E. coli. We have shown that the antibody binds calbindin cleanly on western blots and in sections but fails to recognize the related calretinin and

parvalbumin proteins. It is therefore ideally suited for identifying and

subclassifying cortical GABAergic neurons.

Form: Liquid

Buffer: Concentrated IgY preparation plus 0.02% NaN3

Storage: Stable at 4°C for 1 year.