

Rabbit Polyclonal Anti-DISC1 antibody

Catalog Number: DISC-101AP

Lot Number:

General Information

Product	DISC1 Antibody Affinity Purified
Description	Disrupted in Schizophrenia 1 Antibody
Accession #	Uniprot: Q5T409 GenBank: CA117205
Verified Applications	ELISA, IP, WB
Species Cross Reactivity	Human
Host	Rabbit
Immunogen	Synthetic peptide taken within amino acid region 730-750 on DISC1 protein.
Alternative Nomenclature	C1orf136 antibody, DISC1 antibody, Disrupted in schizophrenia 1 antibody, KIAA0457 antibody, RP4-730B13.1 antibody, SCZD9 antibody

Physical Properties

Quantity	100 µg
Volume	200 µl
Form	Affinity Purified Immunoglobulins
Immunoglobulin & Concentration	0.72-0.76 mg/ml IgG in antibody stabilization buffer
Storage	Store at -20°C for long term storage.

Recommended Dilutions

DOT Blot	1:10,000
ELISA	1:10,000
Immunoprecipitation	1:200
Western Blot	1:500

Related Products

Catalog

FITC-Conjugated	DISC-FITC
Antigenic Blocking Peptide	P-DISC
Western Blot Positive Control	PC-DISC

Overview:

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