# Anti-GAP43 Antibody ER40201



Product Type:	Rabbit polyclonal IgG, primary antibodies
Species reactivity:	Human, Mouse, Rat
Applications:	WB, IF-Cell, IHC-P, FC
Molecular Wt:	Predicted band size: 25 kDa
Description:	GAP43, is a nervous tissue-specific cytoplasmic protein that can be attached to the membrane via a dual palmitoylation sequence on cysteines 3 and 4. This sequence targets GAP43 to lipid rafts. It is a major protein kinase C (PKC) substrate and is considered to play a key role in neurite formation, regeneration, and plasticity. The role of GAP-43 in CNS development is not limited to effects on axons: It is also a component of the centrosome, and differentiating neurons that do not express GAP-43 show mislocalization of the centrosome and mitotic spindles, particularly in neurogenic cell divisions. As a consequence, in the cerebellum, the neuronal precursor pool fails to expand normally and the cerebellum is significantly smaller.
Immunogen:	Synthetic peptide within mouse GAP43 aa 178-227 / 227.
Positive control:	SH-SY5Y cell lysate, Neuro-2a cell lysate, mouse brain tissue lysate, rat brain tissue lysate, Neuro-2a, rat brain tissue, mouse brain tissue, SH-SY5Y.
Subcellular location:	Cell membrane, Cell projection, Cytoplasm, Membrane, Synapse.
Database links:	SwissProt: P17677 Human   P06837 Mouse   P07936 Rat
Recommended Dilutions: WB IF-Cell IHC-P FC	1:100,000 1:200 1:1,000 1:1,000
Storage Buffer:	1*PBS (pH7.4), 0.2% BSA, 40% Glycerol. Preservative: 0.05% Sodium Azide.
Storage Instruction:	Shipped at 4 $^\circ\!\mathrm{C}$ . Store at +4 $^\circ\!\mathrm{C}$ short term (1-2 weeks). It is recommended to aliquot into single-use upon delivery. Store at -20 $^\circ\!\mathrm{C}$ long term.
Purity:	Immunogen affinity purified.

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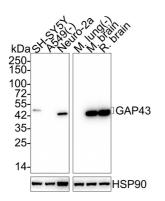
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#### Images



**Fig1:** Western blot analysis of GAP43 on different lysates with Rabbit anti-GAP43 antibody (ER40201) at 1/100,000 dilution.

Lane 1: SH-SY5Y cell lysate Lane 2: A549 cell lysate (negative) Lane 3: Neuro-2a cell lysate Lane 4: Mouse lung tissue lysate (negative) Lane 5: Mouse brain tissue lysate Lane 6: Rat brain tissue lysate

Lysates/proteins at 20 µg/Lane.

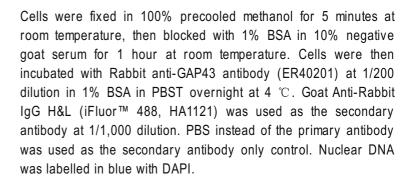
Predicted band size: 25 kDa Observed band size: 43/45 kDa

Exposure time: 3 minutes 20 seconds;

4-20% SDS-PAGE gel.

Proteins were transferred to a PVDF membrane and blocked with 5% NFDM/TBST for 1 hour at room temperature. The primary antibody (ER40201) at 1/100,000 dilution was used in 5% NFDM/TBST at  $4^{\circ}$ C overnight. Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG - HRP Secondary Antibody (HA1001) at 1/50,000 dilution was used for 1 hour at room temperature.

**Fig2:** Immunocytochemistry analysis of Neuro-2a cells labeling GAP43 with Rabbit anti-GAP43 antibody (ER40201) at 1/200 dilution.



Beta tubulin (M1305-2, red) was stained at 1/100 dilution overnight at  $+4^{\circ}$ C. Goat Anti-Mouse IgG H&L (iFluor 1594, HA1126) was used as the secondary antibody at 1/1,000 dilution.

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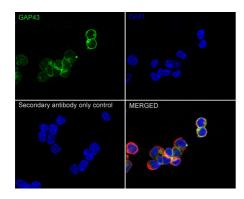
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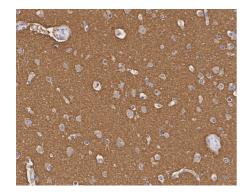
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**Fig3:** Immunocytochemistry analysis of SH-SY5Y cells labeling GAP43 with Rabbit anti-GAP43 antibody (ER40201) at 1/100 dilution.

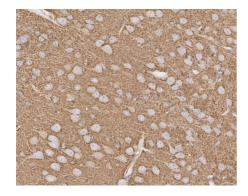
Cells were fixed in 100% precooled methanol for 5 minutes at room temperature, then blocked with 1% BSA in 10% negative goat serum for 1 hour at room temperature. Cells were then incubated with Rabbit anti-GAP43 antibody (ER40201) at 1/100 dilution in 1% BSA in PBST overnight at 4  $^{\circ}$ C. Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (iFluor<sup>TM</sup> 488, HA1121) was used as the secondary antibody at 1/1,000 dilution. PBS instead of the primary antibody was used as the secondary antibody only control. Nuclear DNA was labelled in blue with DAPI.

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**Fig4:** Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded human brain tissue with Rabbit anti-GAP43 antibody (ER40201) at 1/1,000 dilution.

The section was pre-treated using heat mediated antigen retrieval with Tris-EDTA buffer (pH 9.0) for 20 minutes. The tissues were blocked in 1% BSA for 20 minutes at room temperature, washed with ddH<sub>2</sub>O and PBS, and then probed with the primary antibody (ER40201) at 1/1,000 dilution for 1 hour at room temperature. The detection was performed using an HRP conjugated compact polymer system. DAB was used as the chromogen. Tissues were counterstained with hematoxylin and mounted with DPX.



**Fig5:** Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded mouse brain tissue with Rabbit anti-GAP43 antibody (ER40201) at 1/1,000 dilution.

The section was pre-treated using heat mediated antigen retrieval with Tris-EDTA buffer (pH 9.0) for 20 minutes. The tissues were blocked in 1% BSA for 20 minutes at room temperature, washed with ddH<sub>2</sub>O and PBS, and then probed with the primary antibody (ER40201) at 1/1,000 dilution for 1 hour at room temperature. The detection was performed using an HRP conjugated compact polymer system. DAB was used as the chromogen. Tissues were counterstained with hematoxylin and mounted with DPX.

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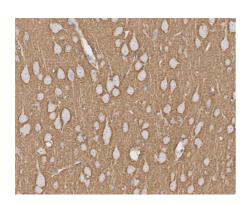
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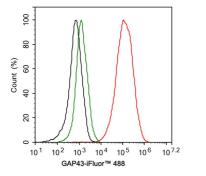


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**Fig6:** Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded rat brain tissue with Rabbit anti-GAP43 antibody (ER40201) at 1/1,000 dilution.

The section was pre-treated using heat mediated antigen retrieval with Tris-EDTA buffer (pH 9.0) for 20 minutes. The tissues were blocked in 1% BSA for 20 minutes at room temperature, washed with ddH<sub>2</sub>O and PBS, and then probed with the primary antibody (ER40201) at 1/1,000 dilution for 1 hour at room temperature. The detection was performed using an HRP conjugated compact polymer system. DAB was used as the chromogen. Tissues were counterstained with hematoxylin and mounted with DPX.



**Fig7:** Intracellular Flow Cytometry analysis of SH-SY5Y labeling GAP43 with purified ER40201 at 1/1,000 dilution (1 µg/ml) (red).

Cells were fixed with 4% PFA and permeabilised with 90% methanol. Rabbit monoclonal IgG (green) was used as the isotype control, cells without incubation with primary antibody and secondary antibody (black) were used as the unlabeled control. A Goat anti-rabbit IgG iFluor<sup>™</sup> 488 (HA1121)(1/1,000 dilution) was used as the secondary antibody.

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#### **Background References**

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