# Anti-GAP43 Antibody [SC60-06]

# ET1610-94



Product Type:	Recombinant Rabbit monoclonal IgG, primary antibodies
••	Human, Mouse, Rat, Cynomolgus monkey, Pig
Species reactivity:	
Applications:	WB, IF-Cell, IF-Tissue, IHC-P, FC, IP
Molecular Wt:	Predicted band size: 25 kDa
Clone number:	SC60-06
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. GAP43, the consensus choice for its designation, is a nervous system-specific protein that is attached to the membrane via a dual palmitoylation sequence on cysteines 3 and 4, though it can exist in the non-bound form in the cytoplasm. This dual sequence enables the association of phosphatidylinositol-4,5-bisphosphate [PI(4,5)P2] or PIP2, with actin, facilitating the latter's polymerization thereby regulating neuronal structure. GAP-43 is also a protein kinase C (PKC) substrate. Phosphorylation of serine-41 on GAP-43 by PKC regulates neurite formation, regeneration, and synaptic plasticity.
lmmunogen:	Synthetic peptide within Human GAP43 aa 189-238 / 238.
Positive control:	SH-SY5Y cell lysate, Neuro-2a cell lysate, mouse brain tissue lysate, rat brain tissue lysate, human glioma tissue, Neuro-2a, rat hippocampus tissue lysate, mouse hippocampus tissue lysate, mouse brain tissue, rat brain tissue, rat hippocampus tissue, SH-SY5Y.
Subcellular location:	Cell membrane, growth cone membrane, filopodium membrane, Cytoplasm, synapse, perikaryon, dendrite, axon.
Database links:	SwissProt: P17677 Human   P06837 Mouse   P07936 Rat
Recommended Dilutions: WB IF-Cell IF-Tissue IHC-P FC IP Storage Buffer: Storage Instruction:	1:20,000-1:100,000 1:500 1:500-1:1,000 1:10,000-1:15,000 1:1,000 Use at an assay dependent concentration. 1*TBS (pH7.4), 0.05% BSA, 40% Glycerol. Preservative: 0.05% Sodium Azide. Shipped at 4°C. Store at +4°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:	Protein A affinity purified.

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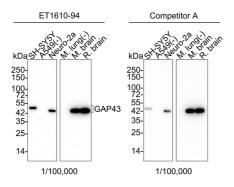
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#### Images



**Fig1:** Western blot analysis of GAP43 on different lysates with Rabbit anti-GAP43 antibody (ET1610-94) at 1/100,000 dilution and competitor's antibody 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

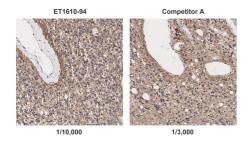
Lysates/proteins at 20 µg/Lane.

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

Exposure time: 3 minutes 20 seconds; ECL: K1801;

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 (ET1610-94) at 1/100,000 dilution and competitor's antibody at 1/100,000 dilution were 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:** Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded human glioma tissue with Rabbit anti-GAP43 antibody (ET1610-94) at 1/10,000 dilution and competitor's antibody at 1/3,000 dilution.

The section was pre-treated using heat mediated antigen retrieval with sodium citrate buffer (pH 6.0) for 2 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 (ET1610-94) at 1/10,000 dilution and competitor's antibody at 1/3,000 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.

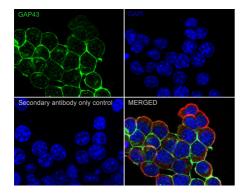
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**Fig3:** Immunocytochemistry analysis of Neuro-2a cells labeling GAP43 with Rabbit anti-GAP43 antibody (ET1610-94) at 1/500 dilution.

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 (ET1610-94) at 1/500 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.

Beta tubulin (M1305-2, red) was stained at 1/100 dilution overnight at  $+4^{\circ}$ C. Goat Anti-Mouse IgG H&L (iFluor 150 594, HA1126) was used as the secondary antibody at 1/1,000 dilution.

**Fig4:** Western blot analysis of GAP43 on different lysates with Rabbit anti-GAP43 antibody (ET1610-94) at 1/20,000 dilution.

Lane 1: SH-SY5Y cell lysate

- Lane 2: Neuro-2a cell lysate
- Lane 3: Mouse brain tissue lysate
- Lane 4: Rat brain tissue lysate
- Lane 5: Rat hippocampus tissue lysate
- Lane 6: Mouse hippocampus tissue lysate

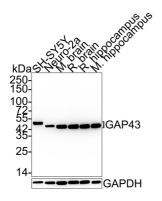
Lysates/proteins at 20 µg/Lane.

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

Exposure time: 24 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 (ET1610-94) at 1/20,000 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.



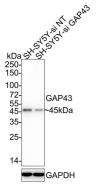
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**Fig5:** Western blot analysis of GAP43 on different lysates with Rabbit anti-GAP43 antibody (ET1610-94) at 1/20,000 dilution.

Lane 1: SH-SY5Y-si NT cell lysate Lane 2: SH-SY5Y-si GAP43 cell lysate

Lysates/proteins at 10 µg/Lane.

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

Exposure time: 30 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 (ET1610-94) at 1/20,000 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.

**Fig6:** Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded mouse brain tissue with Rabbit anti-GAP43 antibody (ET1610-94) at 1/15,000 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 (ET1610-94) at 1/15,000 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:** Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded rat brain tissue with Rabbit anti-GAP43 antibody (ET1610-94) at 1/15,000 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 (ET1610-94) at 1/15,000 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.

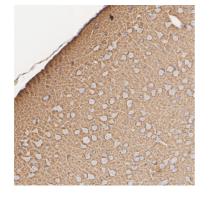
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**Fig8:** Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded rat hippocampus tissue with Rabbit anti-GAP43 antibody (ET1610-94) at 1/15,000 dilution.

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 (ET1610-94) at 1/15,000 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.

**Fig9:** Immunofluorescence analysis of paraffin-embedded mouse brain tissue labeling GAP43 with Rabbit anti-GAP43 antibody (ET1610-94) at 1/200 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 10% negative goat serum for 1 hour at room temperature, washed with PBS, and then probed with the primary antibody (ET1610-94, green) at 1/200 dilution overnight at 4  $^{\circ}$ C, washed with PBS. Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (iFluor M 488, HA1121) was used as the secondary antibody at 1/1,000 dilution. Nuclei were counterstained with DAPI (blue).

Fig10: Intracellular Flow Cytometry analysis of SH-SY5Y labeling GAP43 with purified ET1610-94 at 1/1,000 dilution (1  $\mu$ g/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.

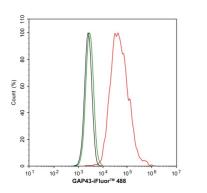


Fig11: Flow cytometric analysis of Neuro-2a cells labeling GAP43.

Cells were fixed and permeabilized. Then stained with the primary antibody (ET1610-94, 1µg/mL) (red) compared with Rabbit IgG Isotype Control (green). After incubation of the primary antibody at +4°C for an hour, the cells were stained with a iFluor<sup>™</sup> 488 conjugate-Goat anti-Rabbit IgG Secondary antibody (HA1121) at 1/1,000 dilution for 30 minutes at +4°C. Unlabelled sample was used as a control (cells without incubation with primary antibody; black).

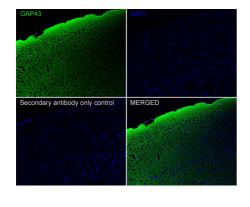
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