

**CRYAB Antibody (Center)**  
**Affinity Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody (Pab)**  
 Catalog # AP13697c

**Specification**

**CRYAB Antibody (Center) - Product Information**

Application	<b>WB, IHC-P,E</b>
Primary Accession	<a href="#">P02511</a>
Other Accession	<a href="#">P23928</a> , <a href="#">P41316</a> , <a href="#">Q7M2W6</a> , <a href="#">P23927</a> , <a href="#">Q60HG8</a> , <a href="#">P02510</a> , <a href="#">NP_001876.1</a> , <a href="#">Q5ENY9</a>
Reactivity Predicted	<b>Human, Mouse Bovine, Monkey, Pig, Rabbit, Rat, Sheep</b>
Host	<b>Rabbit</b>
Clonality	<b>Polyclonal</b>
Isotype	<b>Rabbit Ig</b>
Calculated MW	<b>20159</b>
Antigen Region	<b>84-112</b>

**CRYAB Antibody (Center) - Additional Information**

**Gene ID 1410**

**Other Names**

Alpha-crystallin B chain, Alpha(B)-crystallin,  
 Heat shock protein beta-5, HspB5, Renal  
 carcinoma antigen NY-REN-27, Rosenthal  
 fiber component, CRYAB, CRYA2

**Target/Specificity**

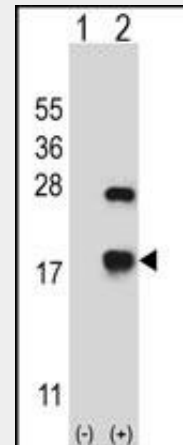
This CRYAB antibody is generated from  
 rabbits immunized with a KLH conjugated  
 synthetic peptide between 84-112 amino  
 acids from the Central region of human  
 CRYAB.

**Dilution**

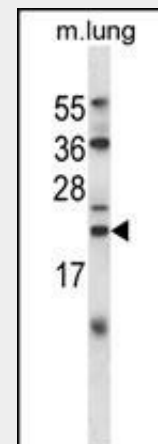
WB~~1:1000  
 IHC-P~~1:10~50

**Format**

Purified polyclonal antibody supplied in PBS  
 with 0.09% (W/V) sodium azide. This  
 antibody is purified through a protein A  
 column, followed by peptide affinity  
 purification.



Western blot analysis of CRYAB (arrow) using rabbit polyclonal CRYAB Antibody (Center) (Cat. #AP13697c). 293 cell lysates (2 ug/lane) either nontransfected (Lane 1) or transiently transfected (Lane 2) with the CRYAB gene.



CRYAB Antibody (Center) (Cat. #AP13697c) western blot analysis in mouse lung tissue lysates (35ug/lane). This demonstrates the CRYAB antibody detected the CRYAB protein (arrow).

### Storage

Maintain refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 2 weeks. For long term storage store at -20°C in small aliquots to prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

### Precautions

CRYAB Antibody (Center) is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

### CRYAB Antibody (Center) - Protein Information

**Name** CRYAB ([HGNC:2389](#))

**Synonyms** CRYA2, HSPB5

### Function

May contribute to the transparency and refractive index of the lens. Has chaperone-like activity, preventing aggregation of various proteins under a wide range of stress conditions.

### Cellular Location

Cytoplasm. Nucleus Secreted.  
Note=Translocates to the nucleus during heat shock and resides in sub-nuclear structures known as SC35 speckles or nuclear splicing speckles (PubMed:19464326) Localizes at the Z-bands and the intercalated disk in cardiomyocytes (PubMed:28493373). Can be secreted; the secretion is dependent on protein unfolding and facilitated by the cargo receptor TMED10; it results in protein translocation from the cytoplasm into the ERGIC (endoplasmic reticulum-Golgi intermediate compartment) followed by vesicle entry and secretion (PubMed:32272059)

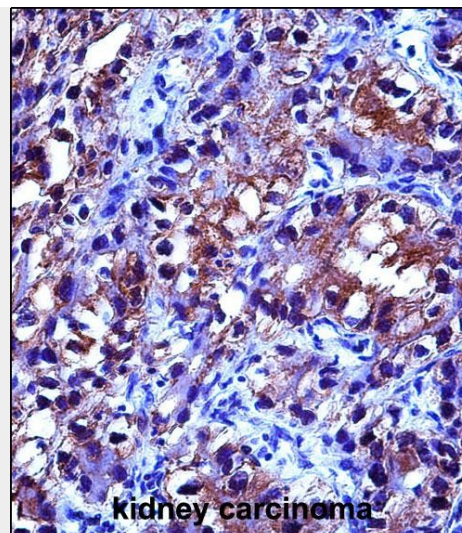
### Tissue Location

Lens as well as other tissues (PubMed:838078, PubMed:2387586). Expressed in myocardial tissue (PubMed:28493373)

### CRYAB Antibody (Center) - Protocols

Provided below are standard protocols that you may find useful for product applications.

- [Western Blot](#)



CRYA Antibody (Center) (Cat. #AP13697c) immunohistochemistry analysis in formalin fixed and paraffin embedded human kidney carcinoma followed by peroxidase conjugation of the secondary antibody and DAB staining. This data demonstrates the use of CRYA Antibody (Center) for immunohistochemistry. Clinical relevance has not been evaluated.

### CRYAB Antibody (Center) - Background

Crystallins are separated into two classes: taxon-specific, or enzyme, and ubiquitous. The latter class constitutes the major proteins of vertebrate eye lens and maintains the transparency and refractive index of the lens. Since lens central fiber cells lose their nuclei during development, these crystallins are made and then retained throughout life, making them extremely stable proteins. Mammalian lens crystallins are divided into alpha, beta, and gamma families; beta and gamma crystallins are also considered as a superfamily. Alpha and beta families are further divided into acidic and basic groups. Seven protein regions exist in crystallins: four homologous motifs, a connecting peptide, and N- and C-terminal extensions. Alpha crystallins are composed of two gene products: alpha-A and alpha-B, for acidic and basic,

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- [Immunofluorescence](#)
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- [Cell Culture](#)

respectively. Alpha crystallins can be induced by heat shock and are members of the small heat shock protein (sHSP also known as the HSP20) family. They act as molecular chaperones although they do not renature proteins and release them in the fashion of a true chaperone; instead they hold them in large soluble aggregates. Post-translational modifications decrease the ability to chaperone. These heterogeneous aggregates consist of 30-40 subunits; the alpha-A and alpha-B subunits have a 3:1 ratio, respectively. Two additional functions of alpha crystallins are an autokinase activity and participation in the intracellular architecture. Alpha-A and alpha-B gene products are differentially expressed; alpha-A is preferentially restricted to the lens and alpha-B is expressed widely in many tissues and organs. Elevated expression of alpha-B crystallin occurs in many neurological diseases; a missense mutation cosegregated in a family with a desmin-related myopathy.

#### **CRYAB Antibody (Center) - References**

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