## TPH-1 (D10C10) Rabbit mAb

✓ 100 µl (10 western blots)



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Applications Species Cross-Reactivity\* Molecular Wt. Isotype
W, IP M, (H) 51 kDa Rabbit IgG\*\*
Endogenous

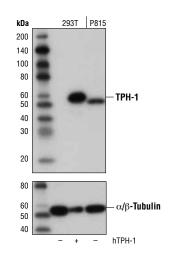
**Background:** Tryptophan hydroxylase (TPH) is the rate-limiting enzyme in the biosynthesis of serotonin (1) by converting tryptophan to 5-hydroxy-L-tryptophan (2). Two isoforms of TPH exist: TPH-1 is mainly expressed in the periphery, whereas the expression of TPH-2 is restricted to neuronal cells and the central nervous system (3). Most of the serotonin found throughout the body is synthesized by TPH-1 in enterochromaffin cells of the gastrointestinal tract. Targeted disruption of the *tph1* gene results in low levels of circulating and tissue serotonin (4).

**Specificity/Sensitivity:** TPH-1 (D10C10) Rabbit mAb recognizes endogenous levels of total TPH-1 protein.

**Source/Purification:** Monoclonal antibody is produced by immunizing animals with a synthetic peptide corresponding to residues near the carboxy terminus of human TPH-1 protein.

## **Background References:**

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Western blot analysis of extracts from 293T cells, mock transfected (-) or transfected with a construct expressing full-length human TPH-1 (hTPH-1; +), and P815 cells using TPH-1 (D10C10) Rabbit mAb (upper) and  $\alpha/\beta$ -Tubulin Antibody #2148 (lower).

Entrez-Gene ID #7166 Swiss-Prot Acc. #P17752

**Storage:** Supplied in 10 mM sodium HEPES (pH 7.5), 150 mM NaCl, 100  $\mu$ g/ml BSA, 50% glycerol and less than 0.02% sodium azide. Store at  $-20^{\circ}$ C. *Do not aliquot the antibody.* 

\*Species cross-reactivity is determined by western blot.

\*\*Anti-rabbit secondary antibodies must be used to detect this antibody.

## **Recommended Antibody Dilutions:**

Western blotting 1:1000 Immunoprecipitation 1:50

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IMPORTANT: For western blots, incubate membrane with diluted antibody in 5% w/v nonfat dry milk, 1X TBS, 0.1% Tween-20 at 4°C with gentle shaking, overnight.