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# **DATASHEET**

Anti-Myelin Basic Protein (MBP) Antibody ValidAb™

## **Product overview**

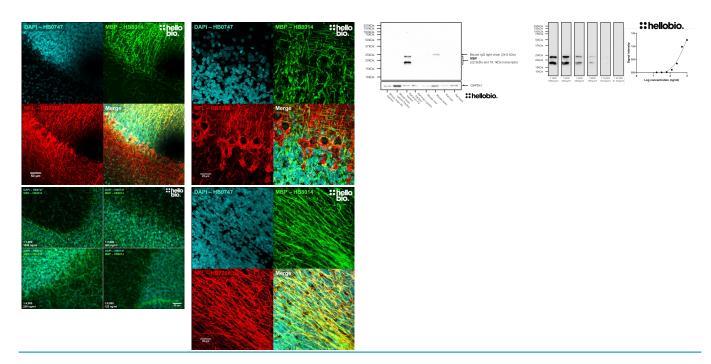
Name Anti-Myelin Basic Protein (MBP) Antibody ValidAb<sup>TM</sup>

Cat No HB8014
Host Mouse
Clonality Monoclonal
Target Myelin basic protein

**Description** Antibody to myelin basic protein (MBP) - marker for oligodendrocytes and Schwann cells. Part of

the ValidAb™ range of highly validated, data-rich antibodies.

## Validation data



## **Product information**

Immunogen Myelin basic protein (MBP) purified from bovine brain

**Epitope** Amino acids 145 - 184 of the human 21.5kDa sequence corresponding to the amino acid sequence:

AEGQRPGFGYGGRASDYKSAHKGFKGVDAQGTLSKIFKLG

Clone number 7D2 lsotype lgG1

**Purification** Protein G affinity purification

Concentration 1 mg/ml

**Formulation** 50% PBS, 50% glycerol + 5mM sodium azide

**Predicted species reactivity**Rat, Human, Pig, Horse, Cow
Rat, Mouse (no staining)

**Applications** 

Western blot optimal 250ng/ml (1:4,000 dilution) as tested in a rat brain P2 membrane preparation

concentration

IHC(IF) optimal concentration

Positive control

500ng/ml (1:2,000 dilution) as tested in rat cerebellum sections

Myelin basic protein is present in large quantities within the CNS and PNS therefore brain and/or other nerve samples form an excellent positive control. MBP expression has been reported (see the human

protein atlas) in some cell lines such as SK-MEL-30 cells.

MBP is not found in appreciable quantities in peripheral tissues therefore these can be used as a **Negative control** 

negative control. Within the brain MBP is associated with the membrane bound fraction and is absent from the cytosol therefore this can be used as a negative control. MBP is also absent from many

common cells lines such as SH-SY5Y, HeLa and HEK293 cells.

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## Target information

Other names Myelin A1 protein, Myelin membrane encephalitogenic protein

**UniProt ID** P02686 MBP Gene name

NCBI full gene name myelin basic protein

Entrez gene ID 4155

160 - 304 (17.3 - 33.1kDa) depending upon isotype Amino acids

Myelin basic protein has a number of isoforms expressed under the control of alternative splicing: Isoforms

• Isoform 1 (canonical), also known as Golli-MBP1, HOG7: 304aa, 33.1kDa

• Isoform 2, also known as Golli-MBP2, HOG5: 197aa, 21.5kDa

• Isoform 3, also known as MBP1, 197aa, 21.5kDa • Isoform 4, also known as MBP2, 186aa, 20.2kDa • Isoform 5, also known as MBP3, 171aa, 18.6kDa Isoform 6, also known as MBP4, 160 aa, 17.3kDa

Expression MBP isoforms are expressed widely in the CNS and PNS within the myelin sheaths that surround

axons. Oligodendrocytes in the CNS and their equivalent in the PNS, Schwann cells, express MBP strongly therefore MBP is a good marker for them. The golli forms of MBP are also expressed in the

immune system and bone marrow.

Expressed within the cytosol of oligodendrocytes and Schwann cells and the myelin sheath of axons. Subcellular expression

The 21.kDa isoform (MBP1) is also found in the nucleus of oligodendrocytes.

**Processing** The initiator methionine is removed from isoforms 3-6.

Post translational MBP isoforms are subject to numerous post-translational modifications including phosphorylation, modifications citrullination and acetylation. Some of these modification fall within the epitope of HB8014.

Mouse and rat isoforms have a 74.6% and 92.9% identity to human MBP in a BLAST search Homology (compared to

human)

Similar proteins Epitope homology (between

species)

No similar proteins reported in a BLAST search In a BLAST search only MBP resulted as a match with the epitope sequence.

Epitope homology (other

proteins)

In a BLAST search the following species' MBP proteins had the following homology with the epitope

sequence:

- Human 100% identity
- Bovine 92.5% identity
- Chimpanzee 95.1% identity
- Rat 92.7% identity
- Mouse 92.7% mouse
- Rabbit 85% identity
- Horse 85.4% identity
- Pig 85.4% identity
- Chicken 61.0% identity

## Storage & Handling

Storage instructions

**Important** 

This product is for RESEARCH USE ONLY and is not intended for therapeutic or diagnostic use. Not

for human or veterinary use

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