

DATASHEET
Catenin alpha 1/2 Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody
CAT. NO. APA06862
KEY FEATURES

Target	Catenin alpha 1/2	Source / Host	Rabbit
Reactivity	Human, Mouse, Rat, Chicken, Pig	Clonality	Polyclonal
Applications	WB, IHC, IF/ICC	Conjugation	Unconjugated
Form / Buffer	Liquid in 0.42% Potassium phosphate, 0.87% Sodium chloride, pH 7.3, 30% glycerol, and 0.01% sodium azide.	Storage	at-20°C

BACKGROUND

Associates with the cytoplasmic domain of a variety of cadherins. The association of catenins to cadherins produces a complex which is linked to the actin filament network, and which seems to be of primary importance for cadherins cell-adhesion properties. Can associate with both E- and N-cadherins. Originally believed to be a stable component of E-cadherin/catenin adhesion complexes and to mediate the linkage of cadherins to the actin cytoskeleton at adherens junctions. In contrast, cortical actin was found to be much more dynamic than E-cadherin/catenin complexes and CTNNA1 was shown not to bind to F-actin when assembled in the complex suggesting a different linkage between actin and adherens junctions components.

APPLICATION

To ensure optimal assay performance, AREX recommends conducting reagent titration tailored to each testing system for optimal detection results.

WB	1:500 - 1:1000
IHC	1:50 - 1:100
IF/ICC	1:50 - 1:200

*Results are sample-specific. Please refer to your local assay conditions and test parameters for reference.

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

Description	Rabbit polyclonal antibody to Catenin alpha 1/2
Specificity	Recognizes endogenous levels of Catenin alpha 1/2 protein.
Antibody Type	Primary antibody
Immunogen	KLH-conjugated synthetic peptide encompassing a sequence within the C-term region of human Catenin alpha 1/2. The exact sequence is proprietary.
Purification	The antibody was purified by immunogen affinity chromatography.
Molecular Weight	Predicted: 100; Observed: 102 kD
Form/Buffer	Liquid in 0.42% Potassium phosphate, 0.87% Sodium chloride, pH 7.3, 30% glycerol, and 0.01% sodium azide.
Alternative Names	CTNNA1; Catenin alpha-1; Alpha E-catenin; Cadherin-associated protein; Renal carcinoma antigen NY-REN-13; CTNNA2; CAPR; Catenin alpha-2; Alpha N-catenin; Alpha-catenin-related protein
Gene Symbol	CTNNA1; CTNNA2
Entrez Gene	1495; 1496(Human); 12385; 12386(Mouse)
SwissProt	P35221; P26232(Human); P26231; Q61301(Mouse)

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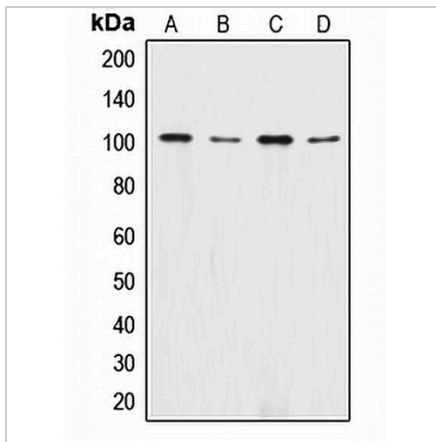
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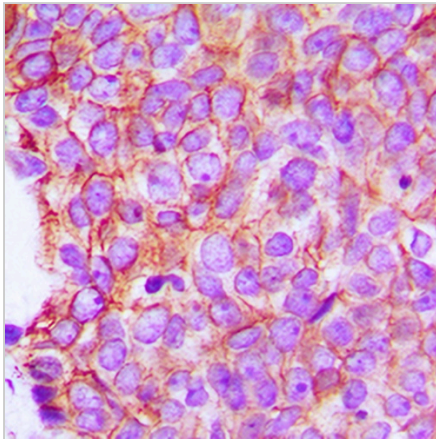
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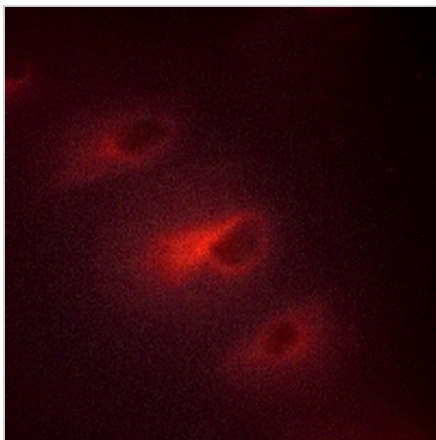
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Western blot analysis of Catenin alpha 1/2 expression in MCF7 (A), A431 (B), SHSY5Y (C), PC12 (D) whole cell lysates. (Predicted band size: 100; 105 kD; Observed band size: 102 kD)



Immunohistochemical analysis of Catenin alpha 1/2 staining in human breast cancer formalin fixed paraffin embedded tissue section. The section was pre-treated using heat mediated antigen retrieval with sodium citrate buffer (pH 6.0). The section was then incubated with the antibody at room temperature and detected using an HRP conjugated compact polymer system. DAB was used as the chromogen. The section was then counterstained with haematoxylin and mounted with DPX.



Immunofluorescent analysis of Catenin alpha 1/2 staining in HeLa cells. Formalin-fixed cells were permeabilized with 0.1% Triton X-100 in TBS for 5-10 minutes and blocked with 3% BSA-PBS for 30 minutes at room temperature. Cells were probed with the primary antibody in 3% BSA-PBS and incubated overnight at 4 °C in a humidified chamber. Cells were washed with PBST and incubated with a AREX® Fluor 594-conjugated secondary antibody (red) in PBS at room temperature in the dark.

STORAGE

Store at 4°C short term. For long term storage, store at -20°C, avoiding freeze/thaw cycles.

NOTE

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