

# **Product Datasheet**

# Anti-Retinoic Acid Receptor, α-Isotype

## Overview

Catalog # 1330-RXRA

Host Species Mouse Monoclonal

Isotype IgG<sub>1</sub>
Clone 763

Format Protein G Purified

Applications WB 1:1000

**Species Tested**Human, Mouse and Rat **Expected Reactivity**Bovine, Canine, Guinea Pig

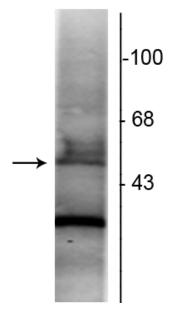
**Immunogen** Synthetic peptide corresponding to amino acid residues from the N-terminal region of human

retinoic acie receptor,  $\alpha$ -isotype, conjugated to keyhole limpet hemocyanin (KLH).

Molecular Weight 48 kDa

Cite this Antibody PhosphoSolutions Cat# 1330-RXRA, RRID:AB\_2492228

# **Images**



Western blot of rat hippocampal lysate showing specific immunolabeling of the  $^{\sim}48$  kDa RAR- $\alpha$  protein.

## **Details**

Target Description Retinoic acid (RA; active metabolite of vitamin A) plays a prominent role in regulating the transition

of proliferating precursor cells (such as carcinoma cells and neuronal precursors) to postmitotic differentiated cells (Joshi et al., 2005). The retinoid X receptors (RXRs) family (RXR $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$ ), preferentially bind 9-cis-RA and regulate gene transcription by forming heterodimers with a second family of RA receptors. RAs have been suggested to potentially play a therapeutic role in cervical cancer (Abu et al., 2005). RAs are known to play key roles in neuronal development and an increasing body of evidence indicates that retinoid signaling may regulate synaptic plasticity and

associated learning and memory behaviors (Lane and Bailey, 2005).

**Specificity** Specific for endogenous levels of the  $\sim$ 48 kDa RAR- $\alpha$  isotype.

**Production/Purification** Prepared from tissue culture supernatant by ammonium sulfate precipitation followed by

purification on a Protein G column.

**Quality Control** Western blots performed on each lot.

Buffer 10 mM HEPES (pH 7.5), 150 mM NaCl, 100 μg per ml BSA and 50% glycerol.

Storage Storage at -20°C is recommended, as aliquots may be taken without freeze/thawing due to

presence of 50% glycerol.

**Stability** After date of receipt, stable for at least 1 year at -20°C.

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