



### Polyclonal Anti-Glut1 (Sepharose Bead Conjugate)

Catalogue No. PA1120-S

Lot No. 08J01

**Ig type:** rabbit IgG

Size: 100µg/vial

# **Specificity**

Human, mouse, rat,. No cross reactivity with other proteins.

#### **Recommended application**

(Immunoprecipitation(IP)

### **Immunogen**

A synthetic peptide corresponding to a sequence at the N-terminal of human Glut1, different from the related mouse sequence by a single amino acid.

#### **Purification**

Immunogen affinity purified.

#### Formulation

50% slurry in PBS pH 7.2 with 0.01mg NaN<sub>3</sub>a<sub>3</sub> preservative.

### Storage

Store at 4°C for frequent use.

### Description:

This Antagene antibody is immobilized via covalent binding of primary amino groups to N-hydroxysuccinimide (NHS)-activated sepharose beads. It is useful for immunoprecipitation assays

### **BACKGROUND**

GLUT1, also known as SLC2A1, is a major glucose transporter in the mammalian blood-brain barrier whose gene is mapped to 1p35-p31.3 and contains 10 exons. It is present at high levels in primate erythrocytes and brain endothelial cells. Not only can transport dehydroascorbic acid (the oxidized form of vitamin C) into the brain1, GLUT1 is also likely to contribute to HTLV-associated disorders through interacting with HTLV envelope glycoproteins2. Functionally, GLUT1 deficiency causes a decrease in embryonic glucose uptake and apoptosis, which may be involved in diabetic embryopathy3, by contrast, an increased expression of GLUT1 in some malignant tumors may suggest a role for glucose-derivative tracers to detect in vivo thyroid cancer metastases by positron-emission tomography scanning4.

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