

**AKR1C2 Antibody (C-term)**  
**Affinity Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody (Pab)**  
**Catalog # AP12246B**

**Specification**

**AKR1C2 Antibody (C-term) - Product Information**

Application	<b>WB, IHC-P,E</b>
Primary Accession	<a href="#">P52895</a>
Other Accession	<a href="#">Q95JH7</a> , <a href="#">Q04828</a> , <a href="#">NP_995317.1</a>
Reactivity	<b>Human</b>
Predicted	<b>Monkey</b>
Host	<b>Rabbit</b>
Clonality	<b>Polyclonal</b>
Isotype	<b>Rabbit Ig</b>
Calculated MW	<b>36735</b>
Antigen Region	<b>296-323</b>

**AKR1C2 Antibody (C-term) - Additional Information**

**Gene ID** 1646

**Other Names**

Aldo-keto reductase family 1 member C2, 1---, 3-alpha-HSD3, Chlordecone reductase homolog HAKRD, Dihydrodiol dehydrogenase 2, DD-2, DD2, Dihydrodiol dehydrogenase/bile acid-binding protein, DD/BABP, Trans-1, 2-dihydrobenzene-1, 2-diol dehydrogenase, Type III 3-alpha-hydroxysteroid dehydrogenase, AKR1C2, DDH2

**Target/Specificity**

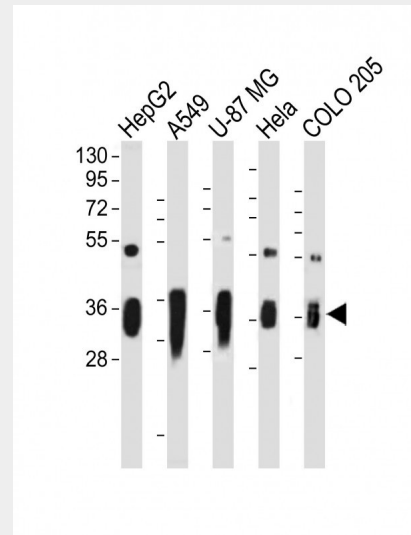
This AKR1C2 antibody is generated from rabbits immunized with a KLH conjugated synthetic peptide between 296-323 amino acids from the C-terminal region of human AKR1C2.

**Dilution**

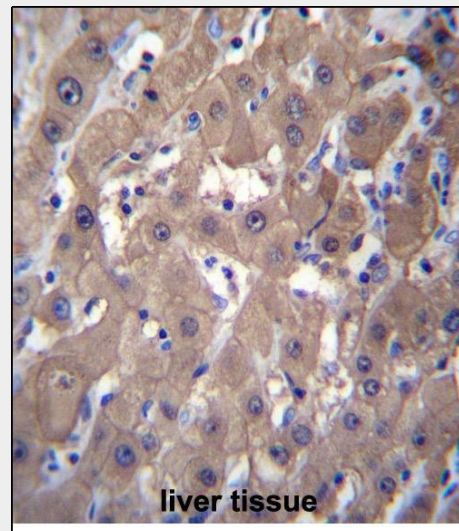
WB~~1:2000  
IHC-P~~1:10~50

**Format**

Purified polyclonal antibody supplied in PBS with 0.09% (W/V) sodium azide. This antibody is purified through a protein A column, followed by peptide affinity purification.



All lanes : Anti-AKR1C2 Antibody (C-term) at 1:2000 dilution Lane 1: HepG2 whole cell lysate Lane 2: A549 whole cell lysate Lane 3: U-87 MG whole cell lysate Lane 4: HeLa whole cell lysate Lane 5: COLO 205 whole cell lysate Lysates/proteins at 20 µg per lane. Secondary Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG, (H+L), Peroxidase conjugated at 1/10000 dilution. Predicted band size : 37 kDa Blocking/Dilution buffer: 5% NFDM/TBST.



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### Storage

Maintain refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 2 weeks. For long term storage store at -20°C in small aliquots to prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

### Precautions

AKR1C2 Antibody (C-term) is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

### AKR1C2 Antibody (C-term) - Protein Information

**Name** AKR1C2

**Synonyms** DDH2

### Function

Cytosolic aldo-keto reductase that catalyzes the NADH and NADPH-dependent reduction of ketosteroids to hydroxysteroids (PubMed: <a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19218247" target="\_blank">19218247</a>). Most probably acts as a reductase in vivo since the oxidase activity measured in vitro is inhibited by physiological concentrations of NADPH (PubMed: <a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/14672942" target="\_blank">14672942</a>). Displays a broad positional specificity acting on positions 3, 17 and 20 of steroids and regulates the metabolism of hormones like estrogens and androgens (PubMed: <a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/10998348" target="\_blank">10998348</a>). Works in concert with the 5-alpha/5-beta-steroid reductases to convert steroid hormones into the 3-alpha/5-alpha and 3-alpha/5-beta-tetrahydrosteroids. Catalyzes the inactivation of the most potent androgen 5-alpha-dihydrotestosterone (5-alpha-DHT) to 5-alpha-androstane-3-alpha,17-beta-diol (3-alpha-diol) (PubMed: <a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/15929998" target="\_blank">15929998</a>, PubMed: <a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/17034817" target="\_blank">17034817</a>, PubMed: <a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/17442338" target="\_blank">17442338</a>, PubMed: <a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/8573067" target="\_blank">8573067</a>). Also

#AP12246b)immunohistochemistry analysis in formalin fixed and paraffin embedded human liver tissue followed by peroxidase conjugation of the secondary antibody and DAB staining.This data demonstrates the use of AKR1C2 Antibody (C-term) for immunohistochemistry. Clinical relevance has not been evaluated.

### AKR1C2 Antibody (C-term) - Background

This gene encodes a member of the aldo/keto reductase superfamily, which consists of more than 40 known enzymes and proteins. These enzymes catalyze the conversion of aldehydes and ketones to their corresponding alcohols using NADH and/or NADPH as cofactors. The enzymes display overlapping but distinct substrate specificity. This enzyme binds bile acid with high affinity, and shows minimal 3-alpha-hydroxysteroid dehydrogenase activity. This gene shares high sequence identity with three other gene members and is clustered with those three genes at chromosome 10p15-p14.

### AKR1C2 Antibody (C-term) - References

Setlur, S.R., et al. Cancer Epidemiol. Biomarkers Prev. 19(1):229-239(2010)  
Wang, X., et al. PLoS ONE 5 (8), E11934 (2010)  
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Reding, K.W., et al. Am. J. Epidemiol. 170(10):1241-1249(2009)  
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specifically able to produce 17beta-hydroxy-5alpha-androstan-3-one/5alphaDHT (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/10998348" target="\_blank">10998348</a>). May also reduce conjugated steroids such as 5alpha-dihydrotestosterone sulfate (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19218247" target="\_blank">19218247</a>). Displays affinity for bile acids (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/8486699" target="\_blank">8486699</a>).

**Cellular Location**

Cytoplasm, cytosol.

**Tissue Location**

Expressed in fetal testes. Expressed in fetal and adult adrenal glands.

**AKR1C2 Antibody (C-term) - Protocols**

Provided below are standard protocols that you may find useful for product applications.

- [Western Blot](#)
- [Blocking Peptides](#)
- [Dot Blot](#)
- [Immunohistochemistry](#)
- [Immunofluorescence](#)
- [Immunoprecipitation](#)
- [Flow Cytometry](#)
- [Cell Culture](#)

**AKR1C2 Antibody (C-term) - Citations**

- [Modulation of AKR1C2 by curcumin decreases testosterone production in prostate cancer.](#)