

# Anti-MECP2 Antibody Picoband™ (monoclonal, 2G3)

Catalog Number: M00047-3

#### **About MECP2**

MECP2 (methyl CpG binding protein 2) is agenethat encodes the protein MECP2. It is mapped to Xq28. DNA methylation is the major modification of eukaryotic genomes and plays an essential role in mammalian development. Human proteins MECP2, MBD1, MBD2, MBD3, and MBD4 comprise a family of nuclear proteins related by the presence in each of a methyl-CpG binding domain (MBD). Each of these proteins, with the exception of MBD3, is capable of binding specifically to methylated DNA. MECP2, MBD1 and MBD2 can also repress transcription from methylated gene promoters. In contrast to other MBD family members, MECP2 is X-linked and subject to X inactivation. MECP2 is dispensible in stem cells, but is essential for embryonic development. MECP2 gene mutations are the cause of most cases of Rett syndrome, a progressive neurologic developmental disorder and one of the most common causes of cognitive disability in females. Alternative splicing results in multiple transcript variants encoding different isoforms.

#### Overview

Product Name	Anti-MECP2 Antibody Picoband™ (monoclonal, 2G3)
Reactive Species	Human
Description	Boster Bio Anti-MECP2 Antibody Picoband™ (monoclonal, 2G3) catalog # M00047-3. Tested in WB applications. This antibody reacts with Human.
Application	WB
Clonality	Monoclonal 2G3
Formulation	Each vial contains 4mg Trehalose, 0.9mg NaCl, 0.2mg Na2HPO4, 0.01mg NaN3.
Storage Instructions	Store at -20°C for one year from date of receipt. After reconstitution, at 4°C for one month. It can also be aliquotted and stored frozen at -20°C for six months. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.
Host	Mouse
Uniprot ID	P51608

#### **Technical Details**

Immunogen	E.coli-derived human MECP2 recombinant protein (Position: K119-R453).
Predicted Reactive Species	Hepatitis Virus
Recommended Detection Systems	Boster recommends Enhanced Chemiluminescent Kit with anti-Mouse IgG (EK1001) for Western blot.
Cross Reactivity	No cross-reactivity with other proteins.
Isotype	Mouse IgG1





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Form	Lyophilized
Concentration	Adding 0.2 ml of distilled water will yield a concentration of 500 ug/ml.
Purification	Immunogen affinity purified.
Suggested Dilutions	Dilute the sample so that the expected range of concentrations fall within the detection range of this kit.  If the expected range of concentration is unknown, a pilot test should be conducted to decide the optimal dilution ratio for your samples.  Some PubMed article(s) citing the expression level of this target are as follows:  Boster Bio's internal QC testing used:  Western blot, 0.1-0.5ug/ml, Human



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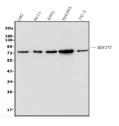


Figure 1. Western blot analysis of MECP2 using anti-MECP2 antibody (M00047-3).

Electrophoresis was performed on a 5-20% SDS-PAGE gel at 70V (Stacking gel) / 90V (Resolving gel) for 2-3 hours. The sample well of each lane was loaded with 50ug of sample under reducing conditions.

Lane 1: human U87 whole cell lysates,

Lane 2: human Hela whole cell lysates,

Lane 3: human K562 whole cell lysates,

Lane 4: human HEK293 whole cell lysates,

Lane 5: human PC-3 whole cell lysates.

After Electrophoresis, proteins were transferred to a Nitrocellulose membrane at 150mA for 50-90 minutes. Blocked the membrane with 5% Non-fat Milk/ TBS for 1.5 hour at RT. The membrane was incubated with mouse anti-MECP2 antigen affinity purified monoclonal antibody (Catalog # M00047-3) at 0.5 ug/mL overnight at 4°C, then washed with TBS-0.1%Tween 3 times with 5 minutes each and probed with a goat anti-mouse IgG-HRP secondary antibody at a dilution of 1:10000 for 1.5 hour at RT. The signal is developed using an Enhanced Chemiluminescent detection (ECL) kit (Catalog # EK1001) with Tanon 5200 system. A specific band was detected for MECP2 at approximately 75KD. The expected band size for MECP2 is at 75KD.

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