

# **Anti-Monoamine Oxidase A/MAOA Antibody**

Catalog Number: PA1648

#### About MAOA

MAOA (Monoamine oxidase A), also known as AMINE OXIDASE (FLAVIN-CONTAINING) A, is an enzyme that in humans is encoded by the MAO-A gene. MAOA is an isozyme of monoamine oxidase which is also mapped on Xp11.3. MAOA degrades amine neurotransmitters, such as dopamine, norepinephrine, and serotonin. The protein localizes to the outer mitochondrial membrane. Mutation in MAOA results in monoamine oxidase deficiency, or Brunner syndrome. In humans, there is a 30-base repeat sequence repeated in one of several different numbers of times in the promoter region of the gene coding for MAOA. MAO-A levels in the brain as measured using positron emission tomography are elevated by an average of 34% in patients with major depressive disorder. Inhibition of MAOA prevented apoptosis, and serum starvation of cortical brain cells from Maoa-deficient mice resulted in reduced apoptosis compared with wildtype mice.

#### Overview

| Product Name         | Anti-Monoamine Oxidase A/MAOA Antibody  |
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| Reactive Species     | Human, Mouse, Rat   |
| Description          | Boster Bio Anti-Monoamine Oxidase A/MAOA Antibody catalog # PA1648. Tested in IHC, WB applications. This antibody reacts with Human, Mouse, Rat.  |
| Application          | IHC, WB   |
| Clonality            | Polyclonal  |
| Formulation          | Each vial contains 5mg BSA, 0.9mg NaCl, 0.2mg Na2HPO4, 0.05mg Thimerosal, 0.05mg 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                 | Rabbit  |
| Uniprot ID           | P21397  |

### **Technical Details**

| Immunogen                     | A synthetic peptide corresponding to a sequence at the N-terminus of human MAOA.   |
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| Predicted Reactive Species    | Bovine   |
| Recommended Detection Systems | Boster recommends Enhanced Chemiluminescent Kit with anti-Rabbit IgG (EK1002) for Western blot, and HRP Conjugated anti-Rabbit IgG Super Vision Assay Kit (SV0002-1) for IHC(P). |
| Cross Reactivity              | No cross-reactivity with other proteins  |
| Isotype                       | Rabbit IgG   |
| Form                          | Lyophilized  |





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| Concentration       | Adding 0.2 ml of distilled water will yield a concentration of 500 ug/ml.   |
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| 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:  Immunohistochemistry (Paraffin-embedded Section), 0.5-1ug/ml, Human, By Heat  Western blot, 0.1-0.5ug/ml, Human, Mouse, Rat |



### Anti-Monoamine Oxidase A/MAOA Antibody (PA1648) Images

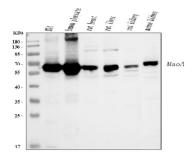


Figure 1. Western blot analysis of MAOA using anti-MAOA antibody (PA1648).

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 30 ug of sample under reducing conditions.

Lane 1: human RT4 whole cell lysates,

Lane 2: human placenta tissue lysates,

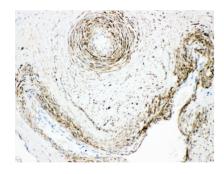
Lane 3: rat heart tissue lysates,

Lane 4: rat liver tissue lysates,

Lane 5: rat kidney tissue lysates,

Lane 6: mouse kidney tissue lysates.

After electrophoresis, proteins were transferred to a nitrocellulose membrane at 150 mA for 50-90 minutes. Blocked the membrane with 5% non-fat milk/TBS for 1.5 hour at RT. The membrane was incubated with rabbit anti-MAOA antigen affinity purified polyclonal antibody (Catalog # PA1648) 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-rabbit IgG-HRP secondary antibody at a dilution of 1:5000 for 1.5 hour at RT. The signal is developed using an Enhanced Chemiluminescent detection (ECL) kit (Catalog # EK1002) with Tanon 5200 system. A specific band was detected for MAOA at approximately 65 kDa. The expected band size for MAOA is at 60 kDa.



Anti-MAOA antibody, PA1648, IHC(P) IHC(P): Human Placenta Tissue

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