

**M Gpr68 Antibody (Center)**  
**Affinity Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody (Pab)**  
**Catalog # AP20524c**

**Specification**

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**M Gpr68 Antibody (Center) - Product Information**

Application	WB,E
Primary Accession	<a href="#">Q8BFQ3</a>
Other Accession	<a href="#">Q15743</a> , <a href="#">Q46685</a>
Reactivity	Mouse
Predicted	Bovine, Human
Host	Rabbit
Clonality	Polyclonal
Isotype	Rabbit IgG
Calculated MW	41209
Antigen Region	200-225

**M Gpr68 Antibody (Center) - Additional Information**

**Gene ID** 238377

**Other Names**

Ovarian cancer G-protein coupled receptor 1, G-protein coupled receptor 68,  
Sphingosylphosphorylcholine receptor, Gpr68, Ogr1

**Target/Specificity**

This Mouse Gpr68 antibody is generated from rabbits immunized with a KLH conjugated synthetic peptide between 200-225 amino acids from the Central region of mouse Gpr68.

**Dilution**

WB~~1:1000

E~~Use at an assay dependent concentration.

**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.

**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**

M Gpr68 Antibody (Center) is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

**M Gpr68 Antibody (Center) - Protein Information**

**Name** Gpr68 {ECO:0000303|PubMed:29677517, ECO:0000312|MGI:MGI:2441763}

**Function** Proton-sensing G-protein coupled receptor activated by extracellular pH, which is required to monitor pH changes and generate adaptive reactions (By similarity). The receptor is almost silent at pH 7.8 but fully activated at pH 6.8 (By similarity). Ligand binding causes a conformation change that triggers signaling via guanine nucleotide-binding proteins (G proteins) and modulates the activity of downstream effectors, such as phospholipase C (By similarity). GPR68 is mainly coupled to G(q) G proteins and mediates production of diacylglycerol (DAG) and inositol 1,4,5-trisphosphate (IP3) (By similarity). Acts as a key mechanosensor of fluid shear stress and membrane stretch (PubMed:[29677517](#)). Expressed in endothelial cells of small-diameter resistance arteries, where it mediates flow-induced dilation in response to shear stress (PubMed:[29677517](#)). May represent an osteoblastic pH sensor regulating cell-mediated responses to acidosis in bone (PubMed:[18847331](#)). Acts as a regulator of calcium-sensing receptor CASR in a seesaw manner: GPR68-mediated signaling inhibits CASR signaling in response to protons, while CASR inhibits GPR68 in presence of extracellular calcium (PubMed:[26261299](#)). Also functions as a metastasis suppressor gene in prostate cancer (PubMed:[17728215](#)).

#### **Cellular Location**

Cell membrane {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:Q15743}; Multi-pass membrane protein

#### **Tissue Location**

Expressed in the lung, testis, heart, brain, spleen, thymus, brown fat, small intestine, colon, peripheral blood leukocytes, macrophages, stomach, ovary and white fat but not in the liver, kidney, and skeletal muscle (PubMed:19479052). Expression in the prostate is weak but detectable (PubMed:19479052). Specifically expressed in endothelial cells of small-diameter resistance arteries (PubMed:29677517).

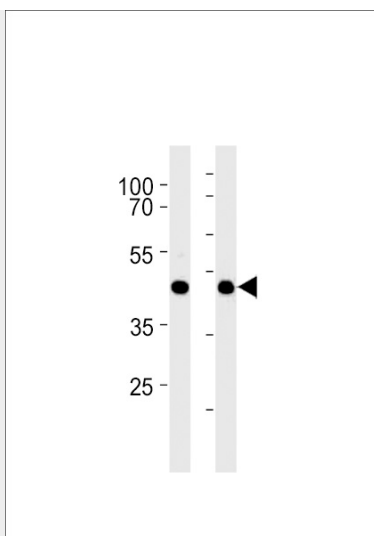
### **M Gpr68 Antibody (Center) - Protocols**

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](#)

### **M Gpr68 Antibody (Center) - Images**





Mouse Gpr68 Antibody (Center) (Cat. #AP20524c) western blot analysis in mouse liver and heart tissue lysates (35ug/lane). This demonstrates the Mouse Gpr68 antibody detected the Mouse Gpr68 protein (arrow).

#### **M Gpr68 Antibody (Center) - Background**

Proton-sensing receptor involved in pH homeostasis. May represent an osteoblastic pH sensor regulating cell-mediated responses to acidosis in bone. Mediates its action by association with G proteins that stimulates inositol phosphate (IP) production or  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  mobilization. The receptor is almost silent at pH 7.8 but fully activated at pH 6.8. Function also as a metastasis suppressor gene in prostate cancer.

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