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## **Datasheet**

## AR polyclonal antibody

Catalog Number: PAB1939

Regulatory Status: For research use only (RUO)

Product Description: Rabbit polyclonal antibody raised

against synthetic peptide of AR.

Immunogen: A synthetic peptide (conjugated with KLH)

corresponding to human AR.

Sequence: HPHARIKLENPLD

Host: Rabbit

Reactivity: Human, Mouse

Applications: IHC-P, WB-Ce, WB-Ti

(See our web site product page for detailed applications

information)

Protocols: See our web site at

http://www.abnova.com/support/protocols.asp or product

page for detailed protocols

Form: Liquid

**Purification:** Protein A purification

Recommend Usage: Western Blot (1:1000)

Immunohistochemistry (1:50-100)

The optimal working dilution should be determined by

the end user.

Storage Buffer: In PBS (0.09% sodium azide)

Storage Instruction: Store at 4°C. For long term

storage store at -20°C.

Aliquot to avoid repeated freezing and thawing.

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Gene Symbol: AR

Gene Alias: AIS, DHTR, HUMARA, KD, NR3C4, SBMA,

SMAX1, TFM

**Gene Summary:** The androgen receptor gene is more than 90 kb long and codes for a protein that has 3 major

functional domains: the N-terminal domain, DNA-binding domain, and androgen-binding domain. The protein functions as a steroid-hormone activated transcription factor. Upon binding the hormone ligand, the receptor dissociates from accessory proteins, translocates into the nucleus, dimerizes, and then stimulates transcription of androgen responsive genes. This gene contains 2 polymorphic trinucleotide repeat segments that encode polyglutamine and polyglycine tracts in the N-terminal transactivation domain of its protein. Expansion of the polyglutamine tract causes spinal bulbar muscular atrophy (Kennedy disease). Mutations in this gene are also associated with complete androgen insensitivity (CAIS). Two alternatively spliced variants encoding distinct isoforms have been described. [provided by RefSeq1

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