

# Anti-MDMX/MDM4 Antibody Picoband™

Catalog Number: PB9872

#### **About MDM4**

Protein Mdm4 is a protein that in humans is encoded by the MDM4 gene. This gene encodes a nuclear protein that contains a p53 binding domain at the N-terminus and a RING finger domain at the C-terminus, and shows structural similarity to p53-binding protein MDM2. Both proteins bind the p53 tumor suppressor protein and inhibit its activity, and have been shown to be overexpressed in a variety of human cancers. However, unlike MDM2 which degrades p53, this protein inhibits p53 by binding its transcriptional activation domain. This protein also interacts with MDM2 protein via the RING finger domain, and inhibits the latter's degradation. So this protein can reverse MDM2-targeted degradation of p53, while maintaining suppression of p53 transactivation and apoptotic functions. Alternatively spliced transcript variants encoding different isoforms have been noted for this gene.

#### Overview

Product Name	Anti-MDMX/MDM4 Antibody Picoband™
Reactive Species	Human, Mouse
Description	Boster Bio Anti-MDMX/MDM4 Antibody Picoband™ catalog # PB9872. Tested in IHC, WB applications. This antibody reacts with Human, Mouse.
Application	IHC, WB
Clonality	Polyclonal
Formulation	Each vial contains 5mg BSA, 0.9mg NaCl, 0.2mg Na2HPO4, 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	O15151

### **Technical Details**

Immunogen	A synthetic peptide corresponding to a sequence at the N-terminus of human MDMX, different from the related mouse sequence by two amino acids, and from the related rat sequence by three amino acids.
Predicted Reactive Species	Bovine, Horse, Monkey, Rabbit
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





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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:  Immunohistochemistry (Paraffin-embedded Section), 0.5-1ug/ml, Human, By Heat  Western blot, 0.1-0.5ug/ml, Human, Mouse



## Anti-MDMX/MDM4 Antibody Picoband™ (PB9872) Images



Figure 1. Western blot analysis of MDMX using anti-MDMX antibody (PB9872).

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: mouse testis tissue lysates,

Lane 2: 22RV1 whole cell 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-MDMX antigen affinity purified polyclonal antibody (Catalog # PB9872) 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 MDMX at approximately 75 kDa. The expected band size for MDMX is at 55 kDa.

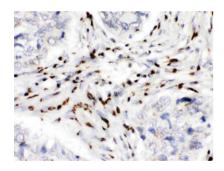


Figure 2. IHC analysis of MDMX using anti-MDMX antibody (PB9872).

MDMX was detected in a paraffin-embedded section of human lung cancer tissue. Heat mediated antigen retrieval was performed in EDTA buffer (pH 8.0, epitope retrieval solution). The tissue section was blocked with 10% goat serum. The tissue section was then incubated with 1 ug/ml rabbit anti-MDMX Antibody (PB9872) overnight at 4°C. Biotinylated goat anti-rabbit IgG was used as secondary antibody and incubated for 30 minutes at 37°C. The tissue section was developed using Strepavidin-Biotin-Complex (SABC) (Catalog # SA1022) with DAB as the chromogen.

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