

## CSTB Polyclonal Antibody

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**Note:** Centrifuge before opening to ensure complete recovery of vial contents.

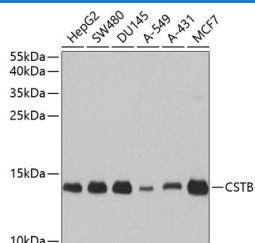
### Description

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| <b>Reactivity</b>   | Human  |
| <b>Immunogen</b>    | Recombinant fusion protein of human CSTB   |
| <b>Host</b>         | Rabbit   |
| <b>Isotype</b>      | IgG  |
| <b>Purification</b> | Affinity purification  |
| <b>Buffer</b>       | Phosphate buffered solution, pH 7.4, containing 0.05% stabilizer and 50% glycerol. |

### Applications

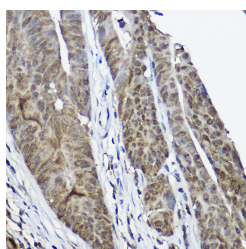
| Applications | Recommended Dilution |
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| <b>WB</b>    | 1:500-1:2000         |
| <b>IHC</b>   | 1:50-1:200           |

### Data

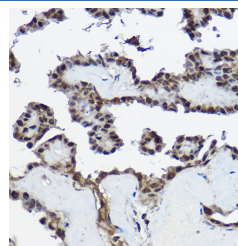


Western blot analysis of extracts of various cell lines using CSTB Polyclonal Antibody at 1:1000 dilution.

**Observed-MV: Refer to figures**  
**Calculated-MV: 11 kDa**



Immunohistochemistry of paraffin-embedded human colon carcinoma using CSTB Polyclonal Antibody at dilution of 1:100 (40x lens). Perform high pressure antigen retrieval with 10 mM citrate buffer pH 6.0 before commencing with IHC staining protocol.



Immunohistochemistry of paraffin-embedded human thyroid cancer using CSTB Polyclonal Antibody at dilution of 1:100 (40x lens). Perform high pressure antigen retrieval with 10 mM citrate buffer pH 6.0 before commencing with IHC staining protocol.

### Preparation & Storage

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| <b>Storage</b>  | Store at -20°C Valid for 12 months. Avoid freeze / thaw cycles.  |
| <b>Shipping</b> | The product is shipped with ice pack, upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended. |

### Background

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The cystatin superfamily encompasses proteins that contain multiple cystatin-like sequences. Some of the members are active cysteine protease inhibitors, while others have lost or perhaps never acquired this inhibitory activity. There are three inhibitory families in the superfamily, including the type 1 cystatins (stefins), type 2 cystatins and kininogens. This gene encodes a stefin that functions as an intracellular thiol protease inhibitor. The protein is able to form a dimer stabilized by noncovalent forces, inhibiting papain and cathepsins L, H and B. The protein is thought to play a role in protecting against the proteases leaking from lysosomes. Evidence indicates that mutations in this gene are responsible for the primary defects in patients with progressive myoclonic epilepsy (EPM1). One type of mutation responsible for EPM1 is the expansion in the promoter region of this gene of a CCCC GCCCGCG repeat from 2-3 copies to 30-78 copies.

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