

Product Specification Sheet

**Organic anion transporting polypeptide (OATP) Antibodies**

Cat. # OATPH12-P	Human OATP Control/blocking Peptide	<b>SIZE:</b> 100 ug
Cat. # OATPH12-S	Rabbit Anti-Human OATP antiserum	<b>SIZE:</b> 100 ul
Cat. # OATPH12-A	Rabbit Anti-Human OATP IgG (aff pure)	<b>SIZE:</b> 100 ug

Mammalian kidney and liver are critical in maintaining physiological ionic environment. Kidney specializes in removing toxins, drugs, and other organic anions from the blood by a process called "renal secretion". Besides kidney, anionic substrates are also transported in other organs, e.g., choroid plexus, eye, airway, and placenta. Several multispecific **OATs** (OAT1-3, OAT-K1 and OATK2) and **OATPs** (organic anion transporting polypeptides; **oatp1-3, LST-1, and PGT**), have been cloned and characterized from various tissues. OATPs family of proteins share significant sequence homology, and general secondary protein structure (up to 12 transmembrane domains with cytoplasmic N and C-terminus).

Rat Oatp, now called **oatp1**, encodes a protein of 670 aa. Oatp1 was localized at the apical portions of the S3 segment of the proximal tubule, and at the apical surface of the choroid plexus of rat brain. It is also found in liver, lung, skeletal muscle, and colon. It mediates Na<sup>+</sup>-independent uptake of wide range of amphipathic substrates including sulfobromophthalein (BSP), bile acids, estrogen conjugates, and neutral steroids, etc.. Human liver **OATP** (670 aa) is only 67% homologous with rat oatp1. It differs in functional properties from rat oatp1 and highly expressed in brain.

**FUNCTION:** Mediates the Na(+)-independent transport of organic anions such as sulfobromophthalein (BSP) and conjugated (taurocholate) and unconjugated (cholate) bile acids (By similarity).

**SUBCELLULAR LOCATION:** Membrane; Multi-pass membrane protein.

**Protein name** Solute carrier organic anion transporter family member 1A2

**Synonyms** Solute carrier family 21 member 3

Sodium-independent organic anion transporter

Organic anion-transporting polypeptide 1, OATP1, OATP-A

**Gene name** Name: SLC01A2; Synonyms: OATP, SLC21A3

**SIMILARITY:** Belongs to the organo anion transporter (TC 2.A.60) family [view classification].

**Source of Antigen and Antibodies**

<b>Antigen</b>	15-aa peptide of Human OATP ; (gene accession # P46721) <b>Designated (OATPH12-P or control peptide /blocking peptide)</b> conjugated to KLH; Epitope location ~C-terminus Extracellular domain
<b>Ab Host/type</b>	Rabbit, Polyclonal IgG, purified (Cat # <b>OATPH12-A</b> ) purified over the antigen column
<b>2-Ab</b>	Cat # 20320, <b>goat anti-rabbit IgG-HRP</b> (AP, biotin, FITC conjugates also available).
<b>-ve control</b>	# 20009-1, Rabbit (non-immune) IgG, purified, suitable for ELISA, Western, IHC as -ve control

**Form & Storage of Antibodies/Peptide Control**

**Antiserum (unpurified)**

100ul solution lyophilized powder  
Supplied in Buffer: 0.05% azide

**Reconstitute powder in 100 ul PBS**

**Affinity pure IgG**

100 ug/100ul solution lyophilized powder

Supplied in **Buffer:** PBS+0.1% BSA

**Reconstitute powder in PBS at 1mg/ml**

**Control/blocking peptide**

100 ug/100 ul solution lyophilized powder

Supplied in **Buffer:** PBS pH 7.5,

**Reconstitute powder in PBS at 1 mg/ml.**

**Storage**

**Short-term:** unopened, undiluted liquid vials at 20°C and powder at 4°C or -20°C..

**Long-term:** at -20°C or below in suitable aliquots after reconstitution. Do not freeze and thaw and store working, diluted solutions.

**Stability:** 6-12 months at -20°C or below.

**Recommended Usage**

**Western Blotting** (1:1K-5K for antiserum and 1-10 ug/ml for affinity pure antibody using ECL technique). (see published refs using this antibody in 2).

**ELISA:** Control peptide can be used to coat ELISA plates at 1 ug/ml and detected with antibodies (1:10-50K for neat serum and 0.5-1 ug/ml for affinity pure).

**Histochemistry & Immunofluorescence:** We recommend the use of affinity purified antibody at 1-20 ug/ml in paraformaldehyde fixed sections of tissues. (see published refs using this antibody in 2).

**Specificity & Cross-reactivity**

Human OATPH12-P control peptide is unique to human OATP1 or OATP-A. It is 100% conserved in Chimp OATP. No significant sequence homology is detected with other oatp1-3 or human LST-1. Antibody cross-reactivity in various species has not been studied. Control peptide, because of its low mol. Wt (<3 kDa), is not suitable for Western. It should be used for ELISA or antibody blocking experiments (use 5-10 ug control peptide per 1 ug of aff pure IgG or 1 ul antiserum) to confirm antibody specificity

**General References:** Jacquemin E et al (1994) PNAS 91, 133-137; Kullak-Ublick, GA et al (1995) Gastroenterol. 109, 1274-1282

**(2) Citations of ADI's Antibodies** (see web site for updated list)

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