

**Product Name: T2R8 Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody****Catalog #: APRab18579**

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**Summary**

<b>Description</b>	Rabbit polyclonal Antibody
<b>Host</b>	Rabbit
<b>Application</b>	WB,ICC/IF,ELISA
<b>Reactivity</b>	Human,Rat,Mouse
<b>Conjugation</b>	Unconjugated
<b>Modification</b>	Unmodified
<b>Isotype</b>	IgG
<b>Clonality</b>	Polyclonal
<b>Form</b>	Liquid
<b>Concentration</b>	1mg/ml
<b>Storage</b>	Aliquot and store at -20°C (valid for 12 months). Avoid freeze/thaw cycles.
<b>Shipping</b>	Ice bags
<b>Buffer</b>	Liquid in PBS containing 50% glycerol, 0.5% protective protein and 0.02% New type preservative N.
<b>Purification</b>	Affinity purification

**Application**

<b>Dilution Ratio</b>	WB 1:500-1:2000,ICC/IF 1:200-1:1000,ELISA 1:5000-1:20000
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	36kDa

**Antigen Information**

<b>Gene Name</b>	TAS2R8
<b>Alternative Names</b>	TAS2R8; Taste receptor type 2 member 8; T2R8; Taste receptor family B member 5; TRB5
<b>Gene ID</b>	50836.0
<b>SwissProt ID</b>	Q9NYW2
<b>Immunogen</b>	The antiserum was produced against synthesized peptide derived from human TAS2R8. AA range:45-94

**Background**

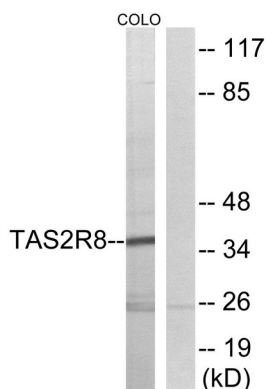
This gene product belongs to the family of candidate taste receptors that are members of the G-protein-coupled receptor

superfamily. These proteins are specifically expressed in the taste receptor cells of the tongue and palate epithelia. They are organized in the genome in clusters and are genetically linked to loci that influence bitter perception in mice and humans. In functional expression studies, they respond to bitter tastants. This gene maps to the taste receptor gene cluster on chromosome 12p13. [provided by RefSeq, Jul 2008],function:Receptor that may play a role in the perception of bitterness and is gustducin-linked. May play a role in sensing the chemical composition of the gastrointestinal content. The activity of this receptor may stimulate alpha gustducin, mediate PLC-beta-2 activation and lead to the gating of TRPM5.,miscellaneous:Most taste cells may be activated by a limited number of bitter compounds; individual taste cells can discriminate among bitter stimuli.,similarity:Belongs to the G-protein coupled receptor T2R family.,tissue specificity:Expressed in subsets of taste receptor cells of the tongue and palate epithelium and exclusively in gustducin-positive cells.,

## Research Area

Taste transduction;

## Image Data



Western blot analysis of lysates from COLO cells, using TAS2R8 Antibody. The lane on the right is blocked with the synthesized peptide.



Western Blot analysis of various cells using T2R8 Polyclonal Antibody