

**DESCRIPTION**

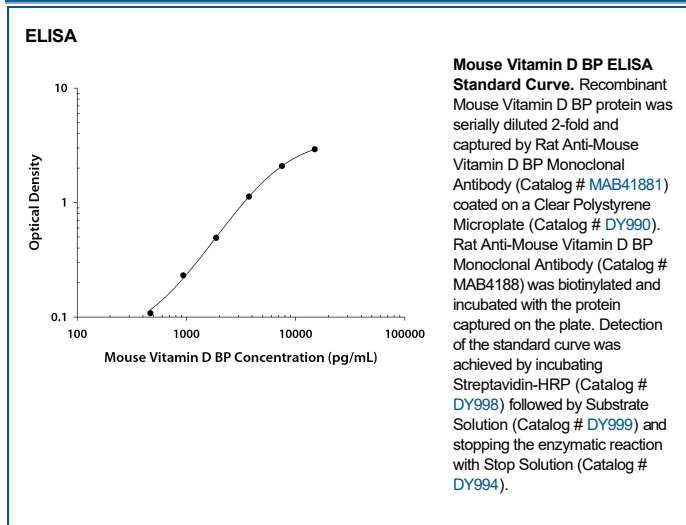
<b>Species Reactivity</b>	Mouse
<b>Specificity</b>	Detects mouse Vitamin D BP in direct ELISAs.
<b>Source</b>	Monoclonal Rat IgG <sub>1</sub> Clone # 884704
<b>Purification</b>	Protein A or G purified from hybridoma culture supernatant
<b>Immunogen</b>	Mouse myeloma cell line NS0-derived recombinant mouse Vitamin D BP Met1-Ser476 Accession # P21614
<b>Formulation</b>	Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution in PBS with Trehalose. See Certificate of Analysis for details. *Small pack size (-SP) is supplied either lyophilized or as a 0.2 µm filtered solution in PBS.

**APPLICATIONS**

**Please Note:** Optimal dilutions should be determined by each laboratory for each application. [General Protocols](#) are available in the [Technical Information](#) section on our website.

<b>ELISA</b>	This antibody functions as an ELISA detection antibody when paired with Rat Anti-Mouse Vitamin D BP Monoclonal Antibody (Catalog # MAB41881).  <i>This product is intended for assay development on various assay platforms requiring antibody pairs. We recommend the Mouse Vitamin D BP DuoSet ELISA Kit (Catalog # DY4188-05) for convenient development of a sandwich ELISA.</i>
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**DATA**



**PREPARATION AND STORAGE**

<b>Reconstitution</b>	Reconstitute at 0.5 mg/mL in sterile PBS.
<b>Shipping</b>	The product is shipped at ambient temperature. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended below. *Small pack size (-SP) is shipped with polar packs. Upon receipt, store it immediately at -20 to -70 °C
<b>Stability &amp; Storage</b>	<b>Use a manual defrost freezer and avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 12 months from date of receipt, -20 to -70 °C as supplied.</li> <li>• 1 month, 2 to 8 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.</li> <li>• 6 months, -20 to -70 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.</li> </ul>

**BACKGROUND**

VDBP (Vitamin D binding protein; also group-specific component and GC-globulin) is a 52-58 kDa, monomeric glycoprotein member of the ALB/AFP/VDB family of molecules. It is found in blood, urine and CSF, carries Vitamin D and its metabolites, and serves as an actin-scavenging protein. Mature mouse VDBP is 460 amino acids (aa) in length. It contains three albumin-type domains (aa 26-476) that are accompanied by 14 intrachain disulfide bonds. There are three potential alternative splice forms. One shows a deletion of aa 346-421, a second shows a 67 aa substitution for aa 345-421, and a third shows a 34 aa substitution for aa 346-423. All these variants involve the second and third albumin-like domains. Mature mouse VDBP (aa 17-476) is 77% and 90% aa identical to human and rat VDBP, respectively.