

# Guide to Filters for Protein Reagents

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Our filters are key features to quickly focus your search for protein data to help you design better, more successful experiments

Check out these articles to learn more about applying filters

Search terms you can include in the search bar

What's the difference between using the search bar vs applying filters?

What's the search logic if I apply more than one filter?

Excluding search criteria from your search

## Filter type: Application

- Based on **vendor recommendations** or **publication data**
- Narrow down your results based on the type of experiment, such as *western blot*, *immunohistochemistry*, *flow cytometry*, *knockdown*, etc.
  - You can also search with common abbreviations/aliases like *WB*, *IF*, *IHC* or *flow* in the search bar
- Search logic for multiple selections
  - **Product** results = AND (all products must have been used with that context for all selections)
  - **Figure** results = OR (all figure results must contain at least one of the selections)

## Filter type: Figure Usage Data

- Narrow down your search results based on **how the product was used in the literature**
- Search logic for multiple selections
  - Applying different **Figure Usage Data** filters = AND
  - Applying multiple within a filter = OR

	Description	Example
<b>Organism Tested</b>	Species of the cell/tissues/animal model an experiment was performed in. This filter also shows a list of aliases/synonyms (ex. <i>homo sapiens</i> will be grouped under <i>human</i> ).	Human Drosophila

<b>Tissue Used</b>	Type of tissue that experiments were performed in	Liver Lung
<b>Cell Type Used</b>	Cell type that the experiments were performed in	Epithelial Neuron
<b>Cell Line Used</b>	Specific names of cell lines that experiments were performed in	HEK293 HeLa cells
<b>Disease</b>	Disease context that experiments are associated with	Breast cancer Chronic kidney disease

## Filter type: Supplier

- Narrow down results based on information **about the vendors/suppliers**
- Search logic for multiple **Company** selections: OR (the product or figure results need to match at least one of the companies)

	Description
<b>Availability</b>	This filter hides discontinued or commercially unavailable products—the default option is that all products are shown
<b>Company</b>	The vendor that sells the product – choose or exclude preferred vendors

## Filter type: Protein Specs

- Search logic for multiple selections for both product and figure results
  - AND: **PTM, Purity, Formulation**
  - OR: **Protein Type, Species, Expression System, Supplier Validation, Grade, Domain, Modification, Purification Method**

	Description	Example
<b>Protein Type</b>	The type of protein – often related to how it's used	Recombinant Peptide
<b>Species</b>	What species the protein sequence is from.	Human Mouse
<b>Expression System</b>	What system is used to express the protein	E. coli Mammal
<b><u>Bioactivity</u></b>	If you want only to show bioactive protein products	
<b><u>Supplier Validation</u></b>	How a vendor tested/validated a protein product	SDS-PAGE HPLC

<b>Grade</b>	Identified protein grades for performing particular experiments	Research use only (RUO) Mass spectrometry grade
<b><u>Sequence</u></b>	If you want only to show products with a known sequence	
<b><u>Domain</u></b>	Specified protein domains	Full length Extracellular region
<b><u>PTM</u></b>	Any specific post-translational modifications (PTMs) for the protein product	Phospho Acetyl
<b><u>Modification</u></b>	If the protein is conjugated to any tags, reporter proteins, or any specific mutations	GST tag W777A mutation
<b>Purity</b>	Purity of the protein product	≥ 99% ≥ 90%
<b>Purification</b>	How the protein product was purified	Affinity purified Filtered
<b>Formulation</b>	Any properties of the protein product with regards to formulation/storage	Carrier-free Lyophilized