Alpha-Fetoprotein (AFP) Rabbit mAb

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Catalog No.: A22053 Recombinant

Basic Information

Observed MW

69kDa

Calculated MW

69kDa

Category

Primary antibody

Applications

WB,ELISA

Cross-Reactivity

Human

CloneNo number

ARC54866

Background

This gene encodes alpha-fetoprotein, a major plasma protein produced by the yolk sac and the liver during fetal life. Alpha-fetoprotein expression in adults is often associated with hepatocarcinoma and with teratoma, and has prognostic value for managing advanced gastric cancer. However, hereditary persistance of alpha-fetoprotein may also be found in individuals with no obvious pathology. The protein is thought to be the fetal counterpart of serum albumin, and the alpha-fetoprotein and albumin genes are present in tandem in the same transcriptional orientation on chromosome 4. Alpha-fetoprotein is found in monomeric as well as dimeric and trimeric forms, and binds copper, nickel, fatty acids and bilirubin. The level of alpha-fetoprotein in amniotic fluid is used to measure renal loss of protein to screen for spina bifida and anencephaly.

Recommended Dilutions

WB 1:1000 - 1:5000

ELISA

Recommended starting concentration is 1 µg/mL.
Please optimize the concentration based on your specific assay requirements.

Immunogen Information

Gene IDSwiss Prot
P02771

Immunogen

Recombinant protein (or fragment). This information is considered to be commercially sensitive.

Synonyms

AFPD; FETA; HPAFP; Alpha-Fetoprotein (AFP)

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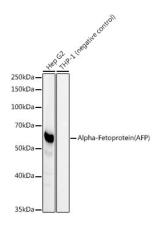
Product Information

SourceIsotypePurificationRabbitIgGAffinity purification

Storage

Store at -20°C. Avoid freeze / thaw cycles.

Buffer: PBS containing 50% glycerol and 0.05% BSA, preserved with proclin300 or sodium azide (as specified on the Certificate of Analysis), pH 7.3.



Western blot analysis of various lysates using Alpha-Fetoprotein (AFP) Rabbit mAb (A22053) at1:2000 dilution

Secondary antibody: HRP-conjugated Goat anti-Rabbit $IgG\ (H+L)\ (AS014)$ at 1:10000 dilution.

Lysates/proteins: 25µg per lane.

Blocking buffer: 3% nonfat dry milk in TBST.

Detection: ECL Basic Kit (RM00020).

Negative control (NC): THP-1.

Exposure time: 30s.