

# Rabbit anti TGF beta Polyclonal Antibody

Alternative Name(s): transforming growth factor, beta ; TGFB; CED; LAP; DPD1; IBDIMDE; TGFbeta; TGF-beta1

#### Order Information

- Description: TGF beta
- Catalogue: 500-3944
- Lot: See label
- Size: 100ug/200ul
- Host: Rabbit
- Clone: nan
- Application: IHC(P), WB, ELISA
- Reactivity: Hu, Ms, Rt

## ANTIGEN PREPARATION

A synthetic peptide derived from N-terminus of human TGF-beta protein.

### BACKGROUND

TGF beta is a secreted ligand of the TGF-beta (transforming growth factor-beta) superfamily of proteins. Ligands of this family bind various TGF-beta receptors leading to recruitment and activation of SMAD family transcription factors that regulate gene expression. TGF $\beta$ s mediate many cell-cell interactions that occur during embryonic development. Three TGF $\beta$ s have been identified in mammals. TGF $\beta$ 1, TGF $\beta$ 2 and TGF $\beta$ 3 are each synthesized as precursor proteins that are very similar in that each is cleaved to yield a 112 amino acid polypeptide that remains associated with the latent portion of the molecules. Biologically active TGF $\beta$  requires dimerization of the monomers (usually homodimers) and release of the latent peptide portion. Overall, the mature region of the TGF $\beta$ 3 protein has approximately 80% identity to the mature region of both TGF $\beta$ 1 and TGF $\beta$ 2. However, the NH2 terminals or precursor regions of their molecules share only 27% sequence identity.

### PURIFICATION

The Rabbit IgG is purified by Epitope Affinity Purification

### FORMULATION

This affinity purified antibody is supplied in sterile Phosphatebuffered saline (pH7.2) containing antibody stabilizer

### SPECIFICITY

This antibody recognizes ~13 kDa of TGF-beta. It reacts with human, rat and mouse. The other species are not tested.

### STORAGE

The antibodies are stable for 24 months from date of receipt when stored at -200C to -700C. The antibodies can be stored at 20C-80C for three month without detectable loss of activity. Avoid repeated freezing-thawing cycles.

### **APPLICATIONS/SUGGESTED WORKING DILUTIONS\***

- Western Blot: 0.1-1 µg/ml
- ELISA: 0.01-0.1 µg/ml
- Immunoprecipitation: 2-5 µg/ml
- IHC: 2-10 µg/ml
- · Flow cytometry: Not tested
- Molecular Weight: 13.0
- Positive Control: Kidney Tissue
- Cellular Location: Cell Membrane

## FOR RESEARCH USE ONLY.

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\*Optimal dilutions should be determined by researchers for the specific applications.



97 kDa- 1 2 3 66 kDa-45 kDa-21 kDa-15kDa-

Western Blot: The samples derived from recombinant protein TGF-beta-GST(lane 1), MCF-7 (lane 2), mouse placenta tissue lysate (lane 3) were immunoprobed by Rabbit anti-TGF-beta (Cat#500-3944) at 1:500. An immunoreactive band is observed around ~40kDa (recombinant protein +GST) and 14kDa.



Immunohistochemistry: Human placenta (FFPE) stained with Anti-TGF-beta antibody (Cat# 500-3944) at 1:100 for 10 min @ RT. Staining of formalin-fixed tissue requires boiling tissue sections in 10 mM Citrate Buffer, pH 6.0 for 10 min followed by cooling at RT for 20 min.

REFERENCES