



# **Product Information Sheet**

## Polyclonal Anti- Nitric Oxide Synthase 2, inducible NOS, NOS2

#### Catalogue No. PA1330

Lot No. 0131012173064

Ig type rabbit IgG

Size 100µg/vial

#### Specificity

Human, rat. No cross reactivity with other proteins.

Recommended application Western blot

	— 250КD
	— 130КD
	— 100КD
	— 70КD
	— 55КD
Lane 1 : Rat brain tissue Lysate	
Lane 2 : Rat brain tissue Lysate	
Lane 3 : Rat Kidney tissue Lysate	
Lane 4 : Rat Heart tissue Lysate	
Lane 5 : MCF-7 Whole Cell Lysate	
Lane 6 : MM453 Whole Cell Lysate	
Lane 7 : SMMC Whole Cell Lysate	
Lane 8 : SW620 Whole Cell Lysate	
Immunogen	

A synthetic peptide corresponding to a sequence at the N-terminal of human NOS2 (3-24aa), different from the mouse sequence by eight amino acids.

## Purity

Immunogen affinity purified.

#### Application

	Concen- tration	Tested Species	Concluded Species	Antigen Retrieval
WB	1µg/ml	Hu, Rat	Ms	-
IHC-P	-	-	-	-
IHC-F	-	-	-	-
ICC	-	-	-	-

Other applications have not been tested.

Optimal dilutions should be determined by end user.

#### Contents

Each vial contains 5mg BSA, 0.9mg NaCl, 0.2mg Na $_2$ HPO $_4$ , 0.05mg Thimerosal, 0.05mg NaN $_3$ .

#### Reconstitution

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0.2ml of distilled water will yield a concentration of 500µg/ml.
Storage

#### Antagene, Inc. Si Toll Free: 1(866)964-2589 At

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At -20°C for one year. After reconstitution, at 4°C for one month. It can also be aliquotted and stored frozen at -20°C for longer time.

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#### BACKGROUND

Nitric oxide synthase, inducible is an enzyme that in humans is encoded by the *NOS2* gene. Nitric oxide (NO) is a messenger molecule with diverse functions throughout the body. In the brain and peripheral nervous system, NO displays many properties of a neurotransmitter; it is implicated in neurotoxicity associated with stroke and neurodegenerative diseases, neural regulation of smooth muscle, including peristalsis, and penile erection. Three different NOS isoforms have been identified which fall into two distinct types, constitutive and inducible. The inducible NOS (iNOS) isoform is expressed in a variety of cell types and tissues in response to inflammatory agents and cytokines. The human iNOS (NOS2) gene is approximately 37 kb in length and consists of 26 exons and 25 introns. Diefenbach et al. (1999) studied the relationship of IL12 and nitric oxide synthase-2 (NOS2) to innate immunity to the parasite Leishmania in mice. And conclude that NOS2-derived NO is a prerequisite for cytokine signaling and function in innate immunity. From studies in Tanzania and Kenya, Hobbs et al. (2002) identified a novel single-nucleotide polymorphism, -1173C-T (163730.0001), in the NOS2 promoter that was significantly associated with protection from symptomatic malaria and severe malarial anemia.

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