



Product Information Sheet

Polyclonal Anti- Interleukin-1 alpha, *IL-1α*

Catalogue No. PA1375

Lot No. 0131112067527

Ig type rabbit IgG

Size 100µg/vial

Specificity

Mouse.

No cross reactivity with other proteins.

Recommended application

Western blot

Immunohistochemistry(P)

Immunogen

A synthetic peptide corresponding to a sequence at the C-terminal of mouse IL-1α (256-270 aa), identical to the related mouse and rat sequence.

Purity

Immunogen affinity purified.

Application

	Concen- tration	Tested Species	Concluded Species	Antigen Retrieval
WB	1µg/ml	Ms	-	-
IHC-P	1µg/ml	Ms	-	By Heat
IHC-F	-	-	-	-
ICC	-	-	-	-

WB: The detection limit for IL-1α is approximately 2.5ng/lane under non-reducing and reducing conditions.

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 Na₂HPO₄, 0.05mg Thimerosal, 0.05mg NaN₃.

Reconstitution

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

Storage

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

Interleukin-1 alpha (IL-1 α) is a protein that in humans is encoded by the IL1A gene. The protein encoded by this gene is a cytokine of the interleukin-1 family. Interleukin-1 alpha possesses a wide spectrum of metabolic, physiological, haematopoietic activities, and plays one of the central roles in the regulation of the immune responses. It binds to the interleukin-1 receptor. Silver et al. (1990) showed that the mouse Il1a and Il1b genes are contained in a genomic fragment of about 70 kb. Further studies suggested that Il1b lies 5-prime to Il1a, that the 2 genes are oriented in the same direction, and that they are separated by about 50 kb.

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