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Anti-iNOS/NOS II

(rabbit polyclonal IgG)

Catalog # 06-573

Lot # 21421

Immunogen: Partial fusion protein raised against the N-terminus of murine iNOS/NOS II.

Specificity: Recognizes iNOS, Mr 125kDa. Does not cross-react with nNOS/NOS I.

Species Cross-reactivity: Mouse, bovine, sheep and guinea pig. Other species cross-reactivity is unknown.

Storage and Stability: Stable for 2 years at -20°C from date of shipment. Aliquot to avoid repeated freezing and thawing. For maximum recovery of product, centrifuge the original vial after thawing and prior to removing the cap.

Formulation: 200µg of protein A purified IgG in 200µl of 0.1M Tris-glycine pH 7.4, 0.15 NaCl containing 0.05% sodium azide. Frozen solution.

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NOT FOR USE IN HUMANS**

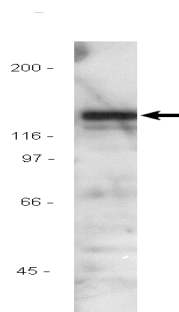
Quality Control Testing

Immunoblot Analysis: 0.5-2µg/ml of this lot detected iNOS/NOS II in RIPA lysates from L929B cells which had been stimulated with 10ng/ml IFN γ and 1µg/ml LPS for 24 hours. 1µg/ml of a previous lot detected iNOS/NOS II from similarly treated L8 cells.

Immunoprecipitation: 4µg of a previous lot immunoprecipitated iNOS/NOS II from 500µg of L929B cells which had been stimulated with 10ng/ml IFN γ and 1µg/ml LPS.

Additional Research Applications

Immunohistochemistry: This antibody has been reported to detect iNOS/NOS II in 2% paraformaldehyde-fixed sheep lung.¹



Immunoblot Analysis

Representative blot from a previous lot. L8 cell lysate, pretreated with IFN γ and LPS, was resolved by electrophoresis, transferred to nitrocellulose and probed with anti-mouse iNOS (1µg/ml). Proteins were visualized using a goat anti-rabbit secondary antibody conjugated to HRP and a chemiluminescence detection system. Arrow indicates iNOS.

Application Reference:

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General References:

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Immunoblot Protocol

1. Perform SDS-polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis (SDS-PAGE) on an IFN γ and LPS treated cell lysate sample (cell lysis buffer: 50mM Tris-HCl, pH7.4; 1% NP-40; 0.25% sodium deoxycholate; 150mM NaCl; 1mM EGTA; 1mM PMSF; 1 μ g/ml each aprotinin, leupeptin, pepstatin; 1mM Na₃VO₄; 1mM NaF) and transfer the proteins to nitrocellulose. Wash the blotted nitrocellulose twice with water.
2. Block the blotted nitrocellulose in freshly prepared PBS containing 3% nonfat dry milk (PBS-MLK) for 20 minutes at 20-25°C with constant agitation.
3. Incubate the nitrocellulose with **0.5-2 μ g/ml of anti-iNOS/NOS II**, diluted in freshly prepared PBS-MLK overnight with agitation at 4°C.
4. Wash the nitrocellulose twice with water.
5. Incubate the nitrocellulose in the secondary reagent of choice (a **goat anti-rabbit** HRP conjugated IgG, Catalog # 12-348, 1:5000 dilution was used) in PBS-MLK for 1.5 hours at room temperature with agitation.
6. Wash the nitrocellulose with water twice.
7. Wash the nitrocellulose in PBS-0.05% Tween 20 for 3-5 minutes.
8. Rinse the nitrocellulose in 4-5 changes of water.
9. Use detection method of choice (enhanced chemiluminescence was used).

Immunoprecipitation Protocol

1. Dilute the cell lysate before beginning the immunoprecipitation to roughly 1 μ g/ μ l total cell protein in a microcentrifuge tube with PBS.
2. Add **4 μ g of anti-iNOS/NOS II** to 500 μ g-1mg cell lysate.
3. Gently rock the reaction mixture at 4°C overnight.
4. Capture the immunocomplex by adding 100 μ l of washed Protein A agarose bead slurry (50 μ l packed beads).
5. Gently rock the reaction mixture at 4°C for 2 hours.
6. Collect the agarose beads by pulsing (5 seconds in the microcentrifuge at 14,000 x g), and drain off the supernatant. Wash the beads 3 times with either ice-cold cell lysis buffer or PBS.
7. Resuspend the agarose beads in 50 μ l 2X Laemmli sample buffer.
8. The agarose beads can either be frozen for later use or suspended in Laemmli sample buffer and boiled for 5 minutes. Collect the beads by a microcentrifuge pulse. SDS-PAGE and subsequent immunoblot analysis can be performed on a sample of the supernatant.