

AFP Polyclonal Antibody

Catalog Number PA5-11481

Product data sheet

Details		Species Reactivity	
Size	400 µL	Species reactivity	Human
Host/Isotope	Rabbit / IgG	Tested Applications	
Class	Polyclonal	Immunohistochemistry (Paraffin) (IHC (P))	1:10-1:50
Type	Antibody	Western Blot (WB)	1:1,000
Immunogen	KLH conjugated synthetic peptide between 300-329 amino acids from the central region of human AFP	* Suggested working dilutions are given as a guide only. It is recommended that the user titrate the product for use in their own experiment using appropriate negative and positive controls.	
Conjugate	Unconjugated		
Form	Liquid		
Concentration	Lot-specific		
Storage Conditions	-20° C, Avoid Freeze/Thaw Cycles		

**Background/Target Information**

AFP (Alpha Fetoprotein) is a major plasma protein produced by the yolk sac, intestinal tract and the liver during fetal life. AFP expression in adults is often associated with hepatoma or teratoma. However, hereditary persistence of AFP may also be found in individuals with no obvious pathology. The protein is thought to be the fetal counterpart of serum albumin, and AFP and albumin genes are present in tandem in the same transcriptional orientation on chromosome 4. AFP is found in monomeric, dimeric, and trimeric forms. AFP can also bind to copper ions, nickel ions, fatty acids and bilirubin. The level of AFP in amniotic fluid is used to measure renal loss of protein to screen for spina bifida and anencephaly. High level of serum AFP has been identified in patients with hepatocellular carcinomas (HCC), teratoblastoma, colorectal cancer, pancreatic cancer, and germ cell neoplasms.

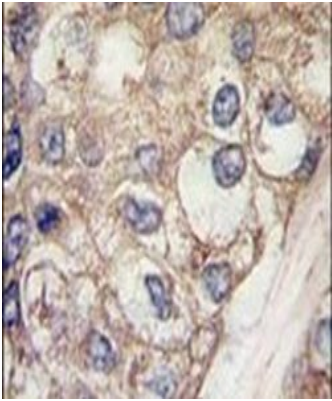
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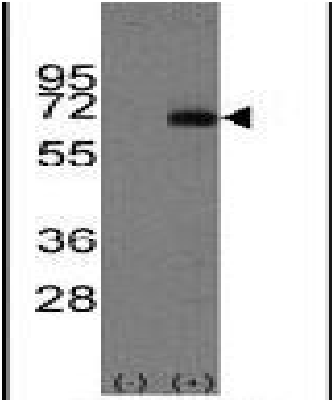
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Product Images For AFP Polyclonal Antibody



**AFP Antibody (PA5-11481) in IHC**  
Immunohistochemical analysis of formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded human hepatocarcinoma tissue using an AFP polyclonal antibody (Product # PA5-11481), followed by HRP-conjugated secondary antibody and DAB staining.



**AFP Antibody (PA5-11481) in WB**  
Western blot analysis of AFP (arrow) using an AFP polyclonal antibody (Product # PA5-11481) in 293 cell lysates (2 µg/lane) either nontransfected (Lane 1) or transiently transfected with the AFP gene (Lane 2).

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