

Alpha Fetoprotein (AFP) Antibody

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Alpha-Fetoprotein Antibody is a Rabbit Polyclonal antibody against α -Fetoprotein. α -fetoprotein is a major plasma protein produced by the yolk sac and the liver during fetal life. α -fetoprotein expression in adults is often associated with hepatoma or teratoma. However, hereditary persistance of α -fetoprotein may also be found in individuals with no obvious pathology. The protein is thought to be the fetal counterpart of serum albumin, and the α -fetoprotein and albumin genes are present in tandem in the same transcriptional orientation on chromosome 4. α -fetoprotein is found in monomeric as well as dimeric and trimeric forms, and binds copper, nickel, fatty acids and bilirubin. The level of α -fetoprotein in amniotic fluid is used to measure renal loss of protein to screen for spina bifida and anencephaly.

Target:	Alpha Fetoprotein (AFP)
Clonality:	Polyclonal
Reactivity:	Human
Tested Applications:	ELISA, WB
Host:	Rabbit
Recommended dilutions	: WB: 1/500 - 1/5000. Optimal dilutions/concentrations should be determined by the end user.
Conjugation:	Unconjugated
Immunogen:	Recombinant human Alpha-fetoprotein (19-609AA).
lsotype:	IgG
Form:	Liquid
Purity:	> 95%
Purification:	Purified by Protein G.
Storage:	Aliquot and store at -20°C. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.
UniProt Primary AC:	P02771 (<u>UniProt</u> , <u>ExPASy</u>)
Gene Symbol:	AFP
GenelD:	174
OMIM:	<u>104150</u>



KEGG: hsa:174

String:

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Buffer: 0.01 M PBS, pH 7.4, 0.03% Proclin-300 and 50% Glycerol.

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