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# **Caspase-4 Polyclonal Antibody**

CATALOG #: 3028-100

AMOUNT: 100 μg

LOT #: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

HOST: Rabbit

**IMMUNOGEN:** Synthetic peptide corresponding to residues surrounding amino acid 88 of human caspase-4.

## **FORMULATION:**

100 μg (0.2 mg/ml) immunoaffinity purified rabbit polyclonal antibody in phosphate buffered saline (PBS), pH 7.2, containing 50% glycerol, 1% BSA, 0.02% thimerosal.

SPECIES REACTIVITY: human, monkey

#### STORAGE CONDITIONS:

Store at -20°C. For optimal storage, aliquot and freeze at -70°C. Avoid repeated freeze/defrost cycles.

#### BACKGROUND:

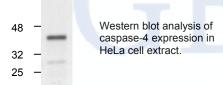
Apoptosis occurs during normal cellular development and involves dramatic changes in cellular structure. Disruption of apoptosis may contribute to cancer as well as other autoimmune diseases. Caspase family of cysteine proteases has been shown to play a key role in apoptosis. Caspase-4 is also known as Ich-2, TX, and ICE<sub>rel</sub>-II and can proteolytically processed by granzyme B. Over expression of caspase-4 induces apoptosis in Rat-1 and HeLa cells, which can be inhibited by CrmA and Bcl-2.

#### SPECIFICITY:

The immunoaffinity purified antibody detects a 43 kDa proform of caspase-4. The antibody specificity is confirmed by specific peptide inhibition in immunoblotting studies.

#### **APPLICATION AND USAGE:**

Western blot analysis (4  $\mu g/ml$ ). However, the optimal conditions should be determined individually.



#### **RELATED PRODUCTS:**

## Apoptosis Detection Kits & Reagents

- Annexin V Kits & Bulk Reagents
- Caspase Assay Kits & Reagents
- Mitochondrial Apoptosis Kits & Reagents
- Nuclear Apoptosis Kits & Reagents
- Apoptosis Inducers and Set
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- Membrane Protein Extraction Kit
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- Senescence Detection Kit
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