

Datasheet for 313-4104**F(ab')₂ Sheep IgG Fab'2 Antibody****Overview**

Description:	Rabbit F(ab') ₂ Anti-Sheep IgG Fab'2 Antibody - 313-4104
Item No.:	313-4104
Size:	20 mg
Reactivity:	Sheep
Host Species:	Rabbit

Product Details

Background:	F(ab') ₂ Antibody was generated by enzymatic cleavage and subsequent separation from the Fc fragment. Because of their smaller size, F(ab') ₂ fragments offer several advantages over intact antibodies for use in certain immunochemical techniques and experimental applications. F(ab') ₂ fragments penetrate into tissue samples and show better antigen recognition and signal generation in IHC. F(ab') ₂ fragments lack the Fc region and therefore do not bind Fc receptors which effectively lowers background staining. F(ab') ₂ Antibody is ideal for investigators who routinely perform flow cytometry, immunohistochemistry or IHC and other immunoassays.
Synonyms:	rabbit F(ab') ₂ Anti-SHEEP IgG F(ab') ₂ fragment Antibody, rabbit F(ab') ₂ Anti-SHEEP IgG Fab2 fragment Antibody, rabbit Fab2 Anti Sheep IgG Fab2
Host Species:	Rabbit
Specificity:	IgG F(ab') ₂
Clonality:	Polyclonal
Format:	IgG F(ab') ₂

Target Details

Reactivity:	Sheep
Immunogen:	Sheep IgG F(ab') ₂ fragment

Purity/Specificity:	This product is a F(ab') ₂ fragment of IgG fraction antibody purified from monospecific antiserum by a multi-step process which includes delipidation, salt fractionation, ion exchange chromatography and pepsin digestion followed by chromatographic separation and extensive dialysis against the buffer stated above. Assay by immunoelectrophoresis resulted in a single precipitin arc against anti-Rabbit Serum, Sheep IgG, Sheep IgG F(ab') ₂ and Sheep Serum. No reaction was observed against Sheep IgG F(c), anti-Rabbit IgG F(c) or anti-Pepsin.
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Application Details

Application Note:	Suitable for immunomicroscopy and flow cytometry or FACS analysis as well as other antibody based fluorescent assays requiring extremely low background levels, absence of F(c) mediated binding, lot-to-lot consistency, high titer and specificity. The maximum amount of reagent required to stain 1 x 10 ⁶ cells in flow cytometry is approximately 1.0 µg of antibody. Lesser amounts of reagent may be sufficient for staining. Optimal titers for other applications should be determined by the researcher. As a general guideline dilutions of 1:100 to 1:250 should be suitable for most applications.
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Assay Dilutions:	All assays should be optimized by the user. Recommended dilutions (if any) may be listed below.
ELISA:	1:20,000 - 1:100,000
IHC:	1:1,000 - 1:5,000
WB:	1:2,000 - 1:10,000

Formulation

Physical State:	Lyophilized
Concentration:	10.0 mg/mL by UV absorbance at 280 nm
Buffer:	0.02 M Potassium Phosphate, 0.15 M Sodium Chloride, pH 7.2
Preservative:	0.01% (w/v) Sodium Azide
Stabilizer:	None
Reconstitution Volume:	2.0 mL
Reconstitution Buffer:	Restore with deionized water (or equivalent)

Shipping & Handling

Shipping Condition:	Ambient
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Storage Condition: Store vial at 4° C prior to restoration. For extended storage aliquot contents and freeze at -20° C or below. Avoid cycles of freezing and thawing. Centrifuge product if not completely clear after standing at room temperature. This product is stable for several weeks at 4° C as an undiluted liquid. Dilute only prior to immediate use.

Expiration: Expiration date is one (1) year from date of receipt.

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