

Datasheet for 712-401-002

F(ab')₂ Rat IgG (H&L) Antibody**Overview**

Description:	Rabbit F(ab') ₂ Anti-Rat IgG (H&L) Antibody - 712-401-002
Item No.:	712-401-002
Size:	1 mg
Applications:	ELISA
Reactivity:	Rat
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-Rat IgG Antibody, Rabbit Fab2 Anti-Rat IgG Antibody
Host Species:	Rabbit
Specificity:	IgG (H&L)
Clonality:	Polyclonal
Format:	IgG F(ab') ₂

Target Details

Reactivity:	Rat
Immunogen:	Rat IgG whole molecule

Purity/Specificity:	This product was prepared from monospecific antiserum by immunoaffinity chromatography using Rat IgG coupled to agarose beads followed by pepsin digestion and chromatographic separation. Assay by immunoelectrophoresis resulted in a single precipitin arc against anti-Rabbit Serum, Rat IgG and Rat Serum. No reaction was observed against anti-Pepsin and anti-Rabbit IgG F(c).
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Application Details

Tested Applications:	ELISA
Application Note:	F(ab') ₂ Anti-Rat IgG Antibody has been tested by ELISA and is 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.
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:	Liquid (sterile filtered)
Concentration:	1.0 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

Shipping & Handling

Shipping Condition:	Wet Ice
Storage Condition:	Store vial at 4° C prior to opening. This product is stable for several weeks at 4° C as an undiluted liquid. Dilute only prior to immediate use. For extended storage aliquot contents and freeze at -20° C or below. Avoid cycles of freezing and thawing.

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

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