## For Research Use Only

## TNF-alpha Polyclonal antibody

Catalog Number: 29443-1-AP



**Basic Information** 

Catalog Number:

GenBank Accession Number:

**Purification Method:** Antigen affinity purification

29443-1-AP Size:

GeneID (NCBI):

Recommended Dilutions:

500 ug/ml

21926

NM-013693

WB 1:1000-1:6000

Source:

Full Name: tumor necrosis factor

25-26 kDa

Rabbit Isotype:

Observed MW:

**Applications** 

**Tested Applications:** 

WB, ELISA

**Positive Controls:** 

Species Specificity:

mouse

WB: LPS and Brefeldin A treated RAW 264.7 cells,

## **Background Information**

TNF, as also known as TNF-alpha, or cachectin, is a multifunctional proinflammatory cytokine that belongs to the tumor necrosis factor (TNF) superfamily. It is expressed as a 26 kDa membrane bound protein and is then cleaved by TNF-alpha converting enzyme (TACE) to release the soluble 17 kDa monomer, which forms homotrimers in circulation. It is produced chiefly by activated macrophages, although it can be produced by many other cell types such as CD4+ lymphocytes, NK cells, neutrophils, mast cells, eosinophils, and neurons. It can bind to, and thus  $functions\ through\ its\ receptors\ TNFRSF1A/TNFR1\ and\ TNFRSF1B/TNFBR.\ This\ cytokine\ is\ involved\ in\ the\ regulation$ of a wide spectrum of biological processes including cell proliferation, differentiation, apoptosis, lipid metabolism, and coagulation. Mouse and human TNF-alpha share 79% amino acid sequence identity. Unlike human TNF-alpha, the mouse form is glycosylated. In mouse deficiency of this gene is associated with defects in response to bacterial infection, with defects in forming organized follicular dendritic cell networks and germinal centers, and with a lack of primary B cell follicles.

Storage

Store at -20°C. Stable for one year after shipment.

PBS with 0.02% sodium azide and 50% glycerol pH 7.3.

Aliquoting is unnecessary for -20°C storage

## Selected Validation Data



LPS and Brefeldin A treated RAW264.7 cells were subjected to SDS PAGE followed by western blot with 29443-1-AP (TNF-alpha antibody) at dilution of 1:3000 incubated at room temperature for 1.5 hours.