

Product Datasheet

Fibrinogen antibody (orb21305)



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Descriptionnts. Rabbit polyclonal antibody to Fibrinogen.

Species/Host Rabbit

Conjugation Unconjugated

Preservatives Delipidated, heat inactivated, lyophilized,

stable whole antiserum. No preservative added Total protein and IgG concentrations in the antiserum are comparable to those of pooled normal rabbit serum. No foreign

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Storage Storage: The lyophilized antiserum is shipped

at ambient temperature and may be stored at +4°C; prolonged storage at or below -20°C. Dilutions may be prepared by adding phosphate buffered saline (PBS, pH 7.2). Repeated thawing and freezing should be avoided. If a slight precipitation occurs upon

storage, this should be removed by centrifugation. It will not affect the performance of the antiserum. Diluted antiserum should be stored at +4°C, not refrozen, and preferably used the same day

Note For research use only

Clonality Polyclonal

Source Fibrinogen (clotting factor I) is a heat labile

beta glycoprotein (molecular weight 340,000) and consists of three pairs of chains bound by

disulphide bonds. It is synthesized in hepatocytes under genetic control. It is the precursor of fibrin, which is the key protein constituting the network of the blood clot. Thrombin converts fibrinogen to fibrin by

limited proteolysis, releasing the

fibrinopeptides A and B (molecular weight 50,000-65,000) and forming fibrin monomers. Fibrin monomers polymerize to fibrin which is stabilized by cross-linking under the influence of factor XIII. The predominant gamma chain of normal fibrinogen (MW 50,000, with higher variants) has a low affinity for platelet binding. Fibrinogen is isolated from fresh plasma after

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