

## **Product datasheet for AP01114PU-S**

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## **RANKL (TNFSF11) Goat Polyclonal Antibody**

**Product data:** 

**Product Type:** Primary Antibodies

**Applications:** ELISA, WB

**Recommended Dilution: ELISA:** Sandwich: To detect hsRANKL by sandwich ELISA (using 100 µl/well antibody solution)

a concentration of 0.5 - 2.0 µg/ml of this antibody is required. In conjunction with Biotinylated

Anti-Human sRANKL as a detection antibody, it allows the detection of at least 0.2 - 0.4

ng/well of recombinant hsRANKL.

Indirect: To detect hsRANKL by indirect ELISA (using 100 µl/well antibody solution) a

concentration of  $0.5 - 2.0 \,\mu\text{g/ml}$  of this antibody is required. In conjunction with compatible secondary reagents, it allows the detection of at least  $0.2 - 0.4 \,\text{ng/well}$  of recombinant

hsRANKL.

**Western blot**: To detect hsRANKL by Western blot analysis this antibody can be used at a concentration of  $0.1 - 0.2 \,\mu\text{g/ml}$ . Used in conjunction with compatible secondary reagents the detection limit for recombinant hsRANKL is  $1.5 - 3.0 \,\text{ng/lane}$ , under either reducing or non-

reducing conditions.

Reactivity: Human

**Host:** Goat

Isotype: IgG

Clonality: Polyclonal

Immunogen: E. coli derived ( highly pure; > 98 %) recombinant human sRANKL

**Specificity:** This antibody detects RANKL.

**Formulation:** PBS, pH 7.2

State: Aff - Purified

State: Sterile filtered lyophilized Ig fraction

**Reconstitution Method:** Centrifuge vial prior to opening. Restore in sterile water to a concentration of 0.1 - 1.0 mg/ml.

**Purification:** Immunoaffinity chromatography

Conjugation: Unconjugated





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Storage: Upon receipt, store the lyophilized antibody at -20 °C.

Following reconstitution it is stable for two weeks at 2 - 8 °C. Frozen aliquots are stable for 6 months when stored at -20 °C.

Avoid repeated freezing and thawing.

**Stability:** Shelf life: One year from despatch.

Predicted Protein Size: Approx. 150 kDa

**Gene Name:** tumor necrosis factor superfamily member 11

Database Link: Entrez Gene 8600 Human

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**Background:** RANKL is a member of the tumor necrosis factor (TNF) cytokine family which is a ligand for

osteoprotegerin and functions as a key factor for osteoclast differentiation and activation.

There are three isoforms of RANKL. Human RANKL is a soluble 20 kDa polypeptide, comprising the TNF homologous region of RANKL (176 amino acid residues). This protein was

shown to be a dentritic cell survival factor and is involved in the regulation of T cell

dependent immune response. T cell activation was reported to induce expression of this gene and lead to an increase of osteoclastogenesis and bone loss. This protein was shown to activate antiapoptotic kinase AKT/PKB through a signaling complex involving SRC kinase and tumor necrosis factor receptor associated factor (TRAF) 6, which indicated that this protein may have a role in the regulation of cell apoptosis. RANKL deficient mice show severe

osteoporesis and complete absence of osteoclasts as a result of lack of osteogenesis.

Synonyms: OPGL, RANK Ligand, RANKL, TRANCE, TNFSF11, ODF