

Product datasheet for BP8010

Col2a1 Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody

Product data:

Product Type: Primary Antibodies

Applications: ELISA, IF, IHC, R

Recommended Dilution: RIA.

ELISA: 1/100-1/200 (OD ≥ 500).

Immunofluorescence Assays: 1/40.

Immunohistochemistry on Frozen and Paraffin Sections: 1/100-1/500.

Pretreatment: After de-waxing the tissue slices they are treated with 0.2% hyaluronidase (app. 300 U/mg) in TBS 15 min at 37°C. There after non-specific binding is blocked by blocking serum or 3% BSA in TBS. For peroxidase systems blocking with 1% peroxide solution in TBS

for 30 min at RT is recommended.

Incubation Time: 60 min at RT or 2-8°C over night.

Positive Control: Rat Cartilage.

Reactivity: Rat

Host: Rabbit

Clonality: Polyclonal

Immunogen: Purified Collagen type II from fetal Rat cartilage

Specificity: This antibody is specific for Rat Collagen type II (100%).

Cross Reactions:

Rat Collagen I, III and V: < 0.1%

Rat Elastin, Rat-Fibronectin: < 0.1% (solid phase RIA at 1/100 dilution).

Formulation: State: Purified

State: Lyophilized purified IgG fraction

Reconstitution Method: Restore with 0.5 ml distilled water.

For further dilution use appropriate antibody diluent.

Concentration: lot specific

Purification: Ion Exchange Chromatography

Conjugation: Unconjugated



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Storage: Store lyophilized at 2-8°C for 6 months or at -20°C long term.

After reconstitution store the antibody undiluted at 2-8°C for one month

or (in aliquots) at -20°C long term. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing.

Stability: Shelf life: one year from despatch.

Gene Name: collagen, type II, alpha 1

Database Link: Entrez Gene 25412 Rat

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Background: Collagens consist in a family of highly specialized glycoproteins of which at least 16

genetically distinct types are known to date. The basal unit of a collagen molecule cosists in a tripel-helical structure formed by 3 alpha-chains. Predominant amino acids are glycine, proline and hydroxproline. Regularly also lysines and hydroxylysines occur, which are responsible for cross-linkage and glycosylation of the protein chains. Different composition of

alpha-chains and different glycosylation contribute to the high variability of collagens in

different tissues and organs.

Type II Collagen is an alpha1(II)-trimer, MW 95 kDa, which forms 67 nm cross-banded fibrils.

Typically it can be observed in skin, cartilage and various tumours.

Synonyms: COL2A1, Alpha-1 type II collagen