

## **Product datasheet for PP1002P1**

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## **EGF Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody**

#### **Product data:**

Product Type: Primary Antibodies

Applications: ELISA, FN, IHC, WB

Recommended Dilution: Sandwich ELISA: To detect hEGF by Sandwich ELISA (using 100 µl/well antibody solution) a

concentration of at least 0.5-0.2 µg/ml of this antibody is required. This antigen affinity purified antibody, in conjunction with Biotin conjugated anti-Human EGF (PP1002B) as a detection antibody allows the detection of at least 0.2-0.4 ng/well of recombinant hEGF. **Western Blot:** To detect hEGF by Western Blot analysis this antibody can be used at a concentration of 0.1-0.2 µg/ml. Used in conjunction with compatible secondary reagents the detection limit for recombinant hEGF is 1.5-3.0 ng/lane, under either reducing or non-

reducing conditions.

**Neutralization:** To yield one-half maximal inhibition [ND50] of the biological activity of hEGF

(2.0 ng/ml), a concentration of 0.25-0.35  $\mu$ g/ml of this antibody is required.

Immunohistochemistry on Formalin-Fixed, Paraffin-Embedded Sections: 1-0.25  $\mu$ g/ml overnight at 4°C. An HRP-labeled polymer detection system was used with a non-alcohol

soluble AEC chromogen and a proteinase K antiegen retrieval.

Reactivity: Human

Host: Rabbit

Clonality: Polyclonal

Immunogen: Highly pure (>98%) E.coli derived recombinant Human EGF (hEGF).

**Specificity:** Human Epidermal Growth Factor (hEGF)

**Formulation:** PBS, pH 7.2 without preservatives.

State: Aff - Purified

State: Lyophilized (sterile filtered) purified Ig fraction.

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

**Purification:** Affinity Chromatography using an immobilized Human EGF matrix

**Conjugation:** Unconjugated

**Storage:** Store the antibody prior to reconstitution at -20°C. Following reconstitution the antibody can

be stored at 2-8°C for one month or at -20°C for longer.

Avoid repeated freezing and thawing.



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

Gene Name: epidermal growth factor

Database Link: Entrez Gene 1950 Human

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**Background:** Epidermal growth factor (EGF) has a profound effect on the differentiation of specific cells in

vivo and is a potent mitogenic factor for a variety of cultured cells. The EGF precursor is believed to exist as a membrane bound molecule which is proteolytically cleaved to generate the 53 amino acid peptide hormone that stimulates cells to divide. EGF exerts its actions by

binding to the EGFR, a 170 kDa protein.

Epidermal growth factor (EGF) is a key growth factor regulating cell survival. Through its binding to cell surface receptors, EGF activates an extensive network of signal transduction pathways that include activation of the PI3K/AKT, RAS/ERK and JAK/STAT pathways. Because of its key role in driving the proliferation of cells, EGFR is a target of several anti-cancer drugs

currently in development.

Synonyms: Urogastrone, Epidermal growth factor, URG, HOMG4

**Note:** Centrifuge vial prior to opening!

**Protein Families:** Adult stem cells, Druggable Genome, Embryonic stem cells, ES Cell Differentiation/IPS,

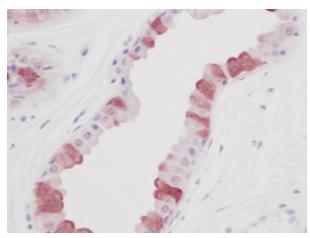
Induced pluripotent stem cells, Transmembrane

**Protein Pathways:** Bladder cancer, Cytokine-cytokine receptor interaction, Endocytosis, Endometrial cancer, ErbB

signaling pathway, Focal adhesion, Gap junction, Glioma, MAPK signaling pathway, Melanoma, Non-small cell lung cancer, Pancreatic cancer, Pathways in cancer, Prostate

cancer, Regulation of actin cytoskeleton

# **Product images:**



Immunohistochemistry: This EGF antibody stained formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded sections of normal human skin. The recommended concentration is 1.0 ug/ml ?? 0.25 ug/ml overnight at 4°C. An HRP-labeled polymer detection system was used with a non-alcohol soluble AEC chromogen and a proteinase K antigen retrieval.



