

## **Product datasheet for TA160057**

## pxo1\_107 Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody

## **Product data:**

**Product Type:** Primary Antibodies

Recommended Dilution: ELISA: 1 ug/mL

Reactivity: Bacteria
Host: Rabbit

**Isotype:** IgG

Clonality: Polyclonal

**Immunogen:** Anthrax lethal factor antibody antibody was raised against a synthetic peptide corresponding

to 16 amino acids near the carboxy terminus of the Anthrax lethal factor protein.

**Formulation:** PBS containing 0.02% sodium azide.

Concentration: 1 mg/ml

**Purification:** Purified from mouse ascites fluids or tissue culture supernatant by affinity chromatography

(protein A/G)

Conjugation: Unconjugated

**Storage:** Store at -20°C as received.

**Stability:** Stable for 12 months from date of receipt.

**Background:** Anthrax Lethal Factor Antibody: Anthrax infection is initiated by the inhalation, ingestion, or

cutaneous contact with Bacillus anthracis endospores. B. anthracis produces three

polypeptides that comprise the anthrax toxin: protective antigen (PA), lethal factor (LF), and edema factor (EF). PA binds to two related proteins on the cell surface; these are termed tumor epithelial marker 8 (TEM8)/anthrax toxin receptor (ATR) and capillary morphogenesis protein 2 (CMG2), although it is still unclear which is physiologically relevant. Following PA binding to its receptor, PA is cleaved into two fragments by a furin-like protease. The bound fragment binds both LF and EF; the resulting complex is then endocytosed which allows the translocation of LF and EF into the cytoplasm. LF is the primary toxin of anthrax and functions as a highly specific protease that cleaves members of the mitogen-activated protein kinase kinase (MAPKK) family near their amino terminus, interfering with MAPK signaling and

inducing apoptosis.



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