

DESCRIPTION

Species Reactivity	Chicken
Specificity	Detects chicken Netrin-1 in direct ELISAs and Western blots. In direct ELISAs, less than 5% cross-reactivity with recombinant chicken Netrin-2 and recombinant mouse Netrin-1 is observed.
Source	Polyclonal Goat IgG
Purification	Antigen Affinity-purified
Immunogen	Mouse myeloma cell line NS0-derived recombinant chicken Netrin-1 (R&D Systems, Catalog # 128-N1) Gly26-Ala606 Accession # Q90922
Conjugate	Alexa Fluor 532 Excitation Wavelength: 534 nm Emission Wavelength: 553 nm
Formulation	Supplied 0.2mg/ml in 1X PBS with RDF1 and 0.09% Sodium Azide *Contains <0.1% Sodium Azide, which is not hazardous at this concentration according to GHS classifications. Refer to the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for additional information and handling instructions.

APPLICATIONS

Please Note: Optimal dilutions should be determined by each laboratory for each application. [General Protocols](#) are available in the Technical Information section on our website.

Western Blot Optimal dilution of this antibody should be experimentally determined.

PREPARATION AND STORAGE

Shipping The product is shipped with polar packs. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended below.

Stability & Storage Protect from light. Do not freeze. 12 months from date of receipt, 2 to 8 °C as supplied

BACKGROUND

Chicken Netrin-1 is the prototypical member of an ever-expanding, laminin-related family of axon-guidance molecules collectively referred to as netrins (*netr* is Sanskrit for "one who guides"). The molecule's cDNA encodes a 606 amino acid (aa) protein precursor that has structural similarity to the N-terminus of the B2 or γ-chain of laminin. It contains one 250 aa type VI globular domain, three type V (~55 aa) cysteine/glycine rich EGF repeats, and one unique 140 aa "C" domain that binds heparin. Chick Netrin-1 shares 78% aa identity with chicken Netrin-2 and 86% aa identity with mouse and human Netrin-1. Although only two chick netrins are known, the number of known mammalian netrins is increasing. Human and mouse Netrin-3/NTN-2L, and a mouse Netrin-4, that shares homology with the B1 or β-chain of laminin, have been reported. Cells reported to express Netrin-1 in the embryo include cells of the spinal cord floor plate and somite, cells of the ganglionic eminence, and cells of the floor plate of the met- and caudal mesencephalon. In the adult, neurons of the thalamus, neocortex, and hippocampus, plus Schwann cells, osteoclasts and osteoblasts all reportedly produce Netrin-1. The DCC (deleted in colorectal cancer) gene product as well as the UNC5 family of receptors and the adenosine A2b receptor have been proposed to be functional receptors for Netrin-1.

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