

Human HTRA1/PRSS11 Antibody

Antigen Affinity-purified Polyclonal Sheep IgG Catalog Number: AF2916

DESCRIPTION			
Species Reactivity	Human		
Specificity	Detects human HTRA1/PRSS11 in direct ELISAs and Western blots.		
Source	Polyclonal Sheep IgG		
Purification	Antigen Affinity-purified		
Immunogen	E. coli-derived recombinant human HTRA1/PRSS11 Gly156-Pro480 Accession # Q92743		
Formulation	Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution in PBS with Trehalose. See Certificate of Analysis for details. *Small pack size (-SP) is supplied either lyophilized or as a 0.2 µm filtered solution in PBS.		

APPLICATIONS

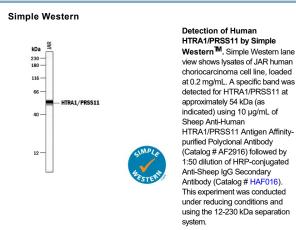
Please Note: Optimal dilutions should be determined by each laboratory for each application. General Protocols are available in the Technical Information section on our website.

	Recommended Concentration	Sample
Western Blot	1 μg/mL	See Below
Simple Western	10 μg/mL	See Below

DATA Western Blot **Detection of Human** kDa HTRA1/PRSS11 by Western Blot. Western blot shows lysates of JAR human choriocarcinoma cell line. PVDF membrane was probed with 1 µg/mL of Sheep Anti-Human HTRA1/PRSS11 50 -- HTRA1 Antigen Affinity-purified Polyclonal 37 -Antibody (Catalog # AF2916) followed by HRP-conjugated Anti-Sheep IgG Secondary Antibody (Catalog # HAF016). A specific band was detected for 20 -HTRA1/PRSS11 at approximately 50 kDa (as indicated). This experiment was conducted under

reducing conditions and using

Immunoblot Buffer Group 1.



		system.	
PREPARATION AND S	STORAGE		
Reconstitution	Sterile PBS to a final concentration of 0.2 mg/mL.		
Shipping	The product is shipped at ambient temperature. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended below. *Small pack size (-SP) is shipped with polar packs. Upon receipt, store it immediately at -20 to -70 °C		
Stability & Storage	Use a manual defrost freezer and avoid repeated freeze-t 12 months from date of receipt, -20 to -70 °C as suppl 1 month, 2 to 8 °C under sterile conditions after recons 6 months, -20 to -70 °C under sterile conditions after recons	ied. stitution.	

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BACKGROUND

HTRA1 is a member of the mammalian HTRA (high temperature requirement A) serine protease family. The *E. coli* HTRA homolog functions as a chaperone-protease and is essential for bacterial survival at temperatures above 42 °C (1). Among the four mammalian HTRA proteins, HTRA1, -3 and -4 are secreted while HTRA2 is localized in mitochondria. HTRA1 contains an N-terminal insulin-like growth factor binding protein (IGFBP) domain, a Kazal-type trypsin inhibitor motif, and C-terminal trypsin-like protease and PDZ domains (2). It is involved in several pathologies including Alzheimer's disease (3), rheumatoid arthritis (4), osteoarthritis (5) and agerelated macular degeneration (6), although the mechanisms by which HTRA1 exerts its effects are not clear. HTRA1 also has properties of a tumor suppressor protein, which makes it a target for cancer therapy (7). In addition HTRA1 is known to regulate the TGF-β signaling pathway and bone mineralization (8, 9). rhHTRA1 lacks the N-terminal IGFBP and Kazal-like domains, but retains the serine protease and PDZ domains.

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