

#### DESCRIPTION

<b>Species Reactivity</b>	Cotton Rat
<b>Specificity</b>	Detects cotton rat CXCL10/IP-10/CRG-2 in Western blots. In this format, less than 5% cross-reactivity with recombinant human IP-10 and recombinant mouse CRG-2 is observed.
<b>Source</b>	Polyclonal Goat IgG
<b>Purification</b>	Antigen Affinity-purified
<b>Immunogen</b>	<i>E. coli</i> -derived recombinant cotton rat CXCL10/IP-10/CRG-2 Thr27-Val94 Accession # AAL16935
<b>Formulation</b>	Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution in PBS with BSA as a carrier protein. See Certificate of Analysis for details.

#### 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
<b>Western Blot</b>	0.1 µg/mL	Recombinant Cotton Rat CXCL10/IP-10/CRG-2 (Catalog # 1117-IP)

#### PREPARATION AND STORAGE

<b>Reconstitution</b>	Reconstitute at 0.2 mg/mL in sterile PBS.
<b>Shipping</b>	The product is shipped at ambient temperature. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended below.
<b>Stability &amp; Storage</b>	<p><b>Use a manual defrost freezer and avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 12 months from date of receipt, -20 to -70 °C as supplied.</li> <li>● 1 month, 2 to 8 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.</li> <li>● 6 months, -20 to -70 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.</li> </ul>

#### BACKGROUND

IP-10, also named mob-1 in rat and crg-2 in mouse, is a member of the non-ELR-motif containing CXC chemokine subfamily and has been designated CXCL10. It is induced in various cell types (including keratinocytes, endothelial cells, fibroblasts, smooth muscle cells, monocytes/macrophages, astrocytes, neutrophils, hepatocytes, T cells, epithelial cells and mesothelial cells) in response to stimulation by type I and/or type II interferon as well as by LPS. IP-10 has been shown to chemoattract activated CD4+ and CD8+ T cells, activated NK cells and smooth muscle cells. It also induces the adhesion of activated T cells to VCAM and ICAM. In addition, IP-10 has been reported to antagonize the angiogenic activity of FGF. IP-10 binds to and activates CXCR3, the chemokine receptor that is shared by MIG/CXCL9 and I-TAC/CXCL11, two additional non-ELR CXC chemokines that are induced by interferon. Cotton rat IP-10 cDNA encodes a 94 amino acid (aa) residue precursor protein with a putative 21 aa signal peptide and a 73 aa mature protein with one potential N-linked glycosylation site. Mature cotton rat IP-10 shares 66%, 64%, and 66% aa sequence identity with rat, mouse and human IP10, respectively (1-7).

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