

Human GFRα-4/GDNF Rα-4 Antibody

Monoclonal Mouse IgG₁ Clone # 215725 Catalog Number: MAB1439

Species Reactivity	Human		
Specificity	Detects human GFRα-4/GDNF Rα-4 in direct ELISAs and Western blots. In direct ELISAs, no cross-reactivity with recombinant human (rh) GFRα-1, recombinant rat GFRα-1, rhGFRα-2, rhGFRα-3, or recombinant mouse GFRα-4 is observed.		
Source	Monoclonal Mouse IgG ₁ Clone # 215725		
Purification	Protein A or G purified from hybridoma culture supernatant		
Immunogen	Mouse myeloma cell line NS0-derived recombinant human GFRα-4/GDNF Rα-4 Asn24-Ser245 (Ser140Cys)(predicted) Accession # NP_071422		
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.		

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	Recombinant Human GFRα-4/GDNF Rα-4

PREPARATION AND STORAGE		
Reconstitution	Reconstitute at 0.5 mg/mL in sterile PBS.	
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-thaw cycles.	
	 12 months from date of receipt, -20 to -70 °C as supplied. 	

- 1 month, 2 to 8 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.
- 6 months, -20 to -70 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.

BACKGROUND

GFRα-4 is a member of a family of at least four cysteine-rich GPI-linked cell surface proteins that function as ligand binding subunits for the GDNF family (GDNF, neurturin, persephin and artemin). A functional receptor complex is achieved through association with the c-Ret receptor tyrosine kinase. GFRα-4 preferentially binds