

Anti-human Islet-1-NL557

Catalog Number: NL1837R Lot Number: AAWZ02 100 Tests in 50 μL staining volume 20 Tests in 250 μL staining volume

Reagents Provided

NorthernLights[™] 557 (NL557)-conjugated goat polyclonal anti-human Islet-1: Supplied as a 10X solution of antibody in 0.5 mL PBS containing 0.1% sodium azide.

Isotype: goat IgG

Storage

Reagents are stable for **twelve months** from date of receipt when stored in the dark at 2° - 8° C.

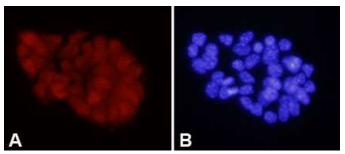
Intended Use

Designed to visualize the expression of human Islet-1 by fluorescence microscopy.

Product Description

Produced in goats immunized with purified, *E. coli*-derived, recombinant human Islet-1 (rhIslet-1). Human Islet-1 specific IgG was purified by human Islet-1 affinity chromatography. The purified antibody was then conjugated to fluorochrome NL557. The spectral characteristics of NL557 are provided, along with those of Rhodamine Red™-X (RRX) and Cy™3 for comparison.

Fluorochrome	Absorption Maximum (nm)	Emission Maximum (nm)
NL557	557	574
RRX	570	590
Cy3	548	562



Human Islet-1-NL557

Beta-TC6 cells were stained with NL557-conjugated anti-human Islet-1 (Catalog # NL1837R, A) and counterstained with DAPI (B).

Background Information

Islet-1 is a member of a family of homeodomain containing transcription factors. It is expressed in all islet cells in the pancreas and is an early marker for motor neuron differentiation.

Immunocytochemistry Validation

This antibody has been tested for immunocytochemistry using Beta-TC6 cells. Cells were fixed in PBS containing 4% paraformaldehyde, and blocked with PBS containing 10% normal donkey serum, 0.1% Triton® X-100, and 1% BSA. After blocking, cells were incubated with NL557-conjugated antibody at a final concentration of 1X (1:10 dilution) in blocking buffer for 3 hours in the dark. Between each step, cells were washed with PBS containing BSA. If a staining volume of 250 μL is used, this kit can be used for 20 tests; 100 tests can be done in a staining volume of 50 μL .

Warning: Contains sodium azide as a preservative - sodium azide may react with lead and copper plumbing to form explosive metal azides. Flush with large volumes of water during disposal.

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