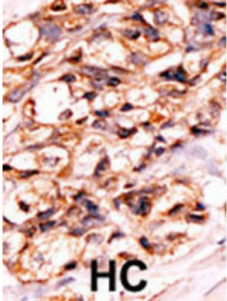


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Bad (pS118) Antibody

Catalogue No.: abx031830



Bad is a member of the BCL-2 family. BCL-2 family members are known to be regulators of programmed cell death. This protein positively regulates cell apoptosis by forming heterodimers with BCL-xL and BCL-2, and reversing their death repressor activity. Proapoptotic activity of this protein is regulated through its phosphorylation. Protein kinases AKT and MAP kinase, as well as protein phosphatase calcineurin are found to be involved in the regulation of this protein. Bad is phosphorylated on one or more of Ser-75, Ser-99, Ser-118 and Ser-134 in response to survival stimuli, which blocks its pro-apoptotic activity. Phosphorylation on Ser-99 or Ser-75 promotes heterodimerization with 14-3-3 proteins. This interaction then facilitates the phosphorylation at Ser-118, a site within the BH3 motif, leading to the release of Bcl-X (L) and the promotion of cell survival. Ser-99 is the major site of AKT/PKB phosphorylation, Ser-118 the major site of protein kinase A (CAPK) phosphorylation.

Target: Bad (pS118)

Reactivity: Human

Host: Rabbit

Clonality: Polyclonal

Tested Applications: WB, IHC

Recommended dilutions: Optimal dilutions/concentrations should be determined by the end user.

Immunogen: Human Bad (phospho-Ser118).

Purification: Peptide Affinity Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody.

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Isotype:	IgG
Conjugation:	Unconjugated
Specificity:	This Bad Antibody is generated from rabbits immunized with a KLH conjugated synthetic phosphopeptide corresponding to amino acid residues surrounding S118 of human Bad.
Storage:	Aliquot and store at -20 °C. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.
Swiss Prot:	<u>Q92934</u>
Buffer:	PBS with 0.09% (W/V) sodium azide. This antibody is first purified by protein G affinity chromatography. Then, the antibody fraction is peptide affinity purified in a 2-step procedure with control and phosphorylated peptides. The phospho-specific antibody is eluted with high and low pH buffers and neutralized immediately, followed by dialysis against PBS.
Note:	This product is for research use only.