

Anti-CNTF Antibody Picoband™

Catalog Number: PB9851

About CNTF

Ciliary neurotrophic factor (CNTF) is a potent polypeptide hormone whose actions appear to be restricted to the nervous system where it promotes survival, neurotransmitter synthesis and neurite outgrowth in certain neuronal populations. This gene is located on chromosome 11, as determined using human-hamster somatic cell hybrids. The CNTF protein is highly conserved in evolution. The amino acid (aa) sequences of rat and rabbit CNTF translated from cDNAs display approx. 85% homology with the deduced as sequence encoding human CNTF. CNTF induces weight loss and improves glucose tolerance in humans and rodents. It is thought to act centrally by inducing hypothalamic neurogenesis to modulate food intake and peripherally by altering hepatic gene expression, in a manner similar to that of leptin.

Overview

Product Name	Anti-CNTF Antibody Picoband™
Reactive Species	Human
Description	Boster Bio Anti-CNTF Antibody Picoband™ catalog # PB9851. Tested in ELISA, WB applications. This antibody reacts with Human.
Application	ELISA, WB
Clonality	Polyclonal
Formulation	Each vial contains 5mg BSA, 0.9mg NaCl, 0.2mg Na2HPO4, 0.05mg NaN3.
Storage Instructions	Store at -20°C for one year from date of receipt. After reconstitution, at 4°C for one month. It can also be aliquotted and stored frozen at -20°C for six months. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.
Host	Rabbit
Uniprot ID	P26441

Technical Details

Immunogen	E. coli-derived human CNTF recombinant protein (Position: H12-M200). Human CNTF shares 84.1% and 85.2% amino acid (aa) sequence identity with mouse and rat CNTF, respectively.
Predicted Reactive Species	Bovine
Recommended Detection Systems	Boster recommends Enhanced Chemiluminescent Kit with anti-Rabbit IgG (EK1002) for Western blot.
Cross Reactivity	No cross-reactivity with other proteins.
Isotype	Rabbit IgG
Form	Lyophilized





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Concentration	Adding 0.2 ml of distilled water will yield a concentration of 500 ug/ml.
Purification	Immunogen affinity purified.
Suggested Dilutions	Dilute the sample so that the expected range of concentrations fall within the detection range of this kit. If the expected range of concentration is unknown, a pilot test should be conducted to decide the optimal dilution ratio for your samples. Some PubMed article(s) citing the expression level of this target are as follows: Boster Bio's internal QC testing used: ELISA, 0.1-0.5ug/ml, Human, - Western blot, 0.1-0.5ug/ml, Human



Anti-CNTF Antibody Picoband™ (PB9851) Images

130KD -	
100KD-	
70KD-	
55KD-	
35KD-	
25KD-	-
15KD -	

Figure 1. Western blot analysis of CNTF using anti-CNTF antibody (PB9851).

Electrophoresis was performed on a 5-20% SDS-PAGE gel at 70V (Stacking gel) / 90V (Resolving gel) for 2-3 hours. The sample well of each lane was loaded with 30 ug of sample under reducing conditions.

Lane 1: MCF-7 whole cell lysates.

After electrophoresis, proteins were transferred to a nitrocellulose membrane at 150 mA for 50-90 minutes. Blocked the membrane with 5% non-fat milk/TBS for 1.5 hour at RT. The membrane was incubated with rabbit anti-CNTF antigen affinity purified polyclonal antibody (Catalog # PB9851) at 0.5 ug/mL overnight at 4°C, then washed with TBS-0.1%Tween 3 times with 5 minutes each and probed with a goat anti-rabbit IgG-HRP secondary antibody at a dilution of 1:5000 for 1.5 hour at RT. The signal is developed using an Enhanced Chemiluminescent detection (ECL) kit (Catalog # EK1002) with Tanon 5200 system. A specific band was detected for CNTF at approximately 27 kDa. The expected band size for CNTF is at 23 kDa.

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