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Anti-Survivin (NT) TIAP/API4

CATALOG No.: PX120A PX120B SIZE: 100 µg SIZE: 0.5 mg

BACKGROUND:

Apoptosis, or programmed cell death, is related to many diseases, such as cancer. Apoptosis is triggered by a variety of stimuli including members in the TNF family and prevented by the inhibitor of apoptosis (IAP) proteins. IAP proteins form a conserved gene family that binds to and inhibits cell death proteases. A novel IAP protein was recently identified and designated survivin, apoptosis inhibitor 4 (API4), and TIAP (1-3). Survivin/TIAP interacted with the processed form of caspase-3 and inhibited its proteolytic activity. Survivin/TIAP is predominantly expressed in tissues of embryos, transformed cell lines, and many human cancers and lymphomas (1).

SOURCE:

Rabbit anti-survivin (NT) polyclonal antibody was raised against a peptide corresponding to amino acids 1 to 12 of human origin (1).

APPLICATION:

This polyclonal antibody can be used for detection of survivin by Western blot at 0.5 to 1 μ g/ml. MOLT4 cell lysate can be used as positive control and an approximate 17 kDa band should be detected. For research use only.

STORAGE:

It is supplied as immunoaffinity chromatography purified IgG, 100 μ g in 200 μ I of PBS containing 0.02% sodium azide. Store at 4°C, stable for one year.

RELATED PRODUCTS:

Blocking peptide, 50 μ g at 200 μ g/ml, is available for competition studies.

MOLT4 cell lysate, 200 μg at 2 mg/ml, is available for positive control.



Western blot analysis of survivin in MOLT4 cell lysate in the absence (A) or presence (B) of blocking peptide with antisurvivin (NT) at $1 \mu g/ml$.

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