

## **TNFSF13 Polyclonal Antibody**

Catalog Number: E91237

Amount: 100ul

Background: BAFF, a member of the TNF superfamily of proteins, is a homotrimeric transmembrane

protein, which is cleaved to produce a soluble cytokine (1). BAFF may also further oligomerize into 60-mer structures (1). BAFF is expressed by neutrophils, macrophages, dendritic cells, activated T cells, and epithelial cells (1,2). BAFF plays a key role in B cell development, survival, and activation (1,3,4). BAFF binds to three distinct receptors, BAFF-R, TACI, and BCMA (1). These receptors are differentially expressed during B cell development and among B cell subsets (1,2,4). While BAFF-R and BCMA bind to the homotrimeric form of BAFF, TACI only binds to membrane bound or higher order BAFF structures (1). The BAFF/ BAFF-R interaction activates both canonical and non-canonical NF-κB pathways, PI3K/Akt, and mTOR (2,4). Activation of the noncanonical NF-κB pathway via BAFF-R is negatively regulated by TRAF3 (5). Elevated levels of BAFF may exacerbate many autoimmune disorders, making it an attractive therapeutic target (2).

**Species:** Rabbit **Isotype:** IgG

Storage/Stability: Store at -20oC or -80oC. Avoid freeze / thaw cycles. Buffer: PBS with 0.02% sodium azide,

50% glycerol, pH7.3.

Synonyms: TNFSF13;APRIL;CD256;TALL2;TRDL-1;UNQ383/PRO715;ligand;

**Immunogen:** Recombinant protein of human TNFSF13

Purification: Affinity purification

Reactivity: H M R
Applications: WB IHC
Molecular Weight: 27kDa
Swiss-Prot No.: 075888
Gene ID: 8741

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