## Immunotag<sup>™</sup> S5A2 Polyclonal Antibody

Antibody Specification	
Catalog No.	ITN2920
Product Description	Immunotag™ S5A2 Polyclonal Antibody
Size	50 μg, 100 μg
Conjugation	HRP, Biotin, FITC, Alexa Fluor® 350, Alexa Fluor® 405, Alexa Fluor® 488, Alexa Fluor® 555, Alexa Fluor® 594, Alexa Fluor® 647
IMPORTANT NOTE	This product is custom manufactured with a lead time of 3-4 weeks. Once in production, this item cannot be cancelled from an order and is not eligible for return.
Target Protein	S5A2
Clonality	Polyclonal
Storage/Stability	-20°C/1 year
Application	WB,ELISA
Recommended Dilution	WB 1:500-2000 ELISA 1:5000-20000
Concentration	1 mg/ml
Reactive Species	Human,Mouse,Rat
Host Species	Rabbit
Immunogen	Synthesized peptide derived from part region of human protein
Specificity	S5A2 Polyclonal Antibody detects endogenous levels of protein.
Purification	The antibody was affinity-purified from rabbit antiserum by affinity-chromatography using epitope-specific immunogen
Form	Liquid in PBS containing 50% glycerol, and 0.02% sodium azide.
Gene Name	SRD5A2
Accession No.	P31213 Q99N99 P31214
Description	steroid 5 alpha-reductase 2(SRD5A2) Homo sapiens This gene encodes a microsomal protein expressed at high levels in androgen-sensitive tissues such as the prostate. The encoded protein is active at acidic pH and is sensitive to the 4-azasteroid inhibitor finasteride. Deficiencies in this gene can result in male pseudohermaphroditism, specifically pseudovaginal perineoscrotal hypospadias (PPSH). [provided by RefSeq, Jul 2008],

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Cell Pathway/ Category	Steroid hormone biosynthesis, Androgen and estrogen metabolism, Prostate cancer,
Protein Expression	Liver tumor,Placenta,
Subcellular Localization	endoplasmic reticulum membrane,integral component of membrane,organelle membrane,neuronal cell body,cell body fiber,
Protein Function	catalytic activity:A 3-oxo-5-alpha-steroid + acceptor = a 3-oxo-Delta(4)-steroid + reduced acceptor.,disease:Defects in SRD5A2 are the cause of pseudovaginal perineoscrotal hypospadias (PPSH) [MIM:264600]; also known as male pseudohermaphroditism due to 5-alpha-reductase deficiency or 5-ARD deficiency. PPSH is a rare form of male pseudohermaphroditism in which affected males develop normal internal urogenital tracts but fail to develop external male structures. Individuals with PPSH have testicles and tend to have a vagina and labia, but with a small penis capable of ejaculation instead of a clitoris (this penis, however, appears to be a clitoris at birth). These individuals are normally raised as girls. However at puberty their testes will descend, their voice will deepen and they often will develop a male sexual identity. They develop only limited facial hair and will not experience male-pattern baldness. Jeffrey Eugenides won a Pulitzer prize for his 2003 novel 'Middlesex' which describes the life an individual with such a deficiency.,function:Converts testosterone (T) into 5-alpha-dihydrotestosterone (DHT) and progesterone or corticosterone into their corresponding 5-alpha-3-oxosteroids. It plays a central role in sexual differentiation and androgen physiology.,online information:5-alpha reductase entry,polymorphism:Individuals with Thr-49 have an increased risk of prostate cancer. The enzyme with Thr-49 has a higher in vitro V(max) than the Ala-49 enzyme.,similarity:Belongs to the steroid 5-alpha reductase family.,tissue specificity:Expressed in high levels in the prostate and many other androgen-sensitive tissues.,
Usage	For Research Use Only! Not for diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

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