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Cox2 (D5H5) XP[®] Rabbit mAb (Alexa Fluor[®] 488 Conjugate)



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Applications:Reactivity:Sensitivity:Source/Isotype:UniProt ID:Entrez-Gene Id:FC-FPH M REndogenousRabbit IgG#P353545743

Product Usage
InformationApplicationDilutionFlow Cytometry (Fixed/Permeabilized)1:50

StorageSupplied in PBS (pH 7.2), less than 0.1% sodium azide and 2 mg/ml BSA. Store at 4°C. Do not aliquot the antibody. Protect from light. Do not freeze.

Specificity / Sensitivity Cox2 (D5H5) XP® Rabbit mAb (Alexa Fluor® 488 Conjugate) recognizes endogenous levels of total Cox2

protein.

Source / Purification Monoclonal antibody is produced by immunizing animals with a synthetic peptide corresponding to

residues surrounding His108 of human Cox2 protein.

Product Description

This Cell Signaling Technology antibody is conjugated to Alexa Fluor® 488 fluorescent dye and tested in-

house for direct flow cytometry analysis in mouse cells. The antibody is expected to exhibit the same

species cross-reactivity as the unconjugated Cox2 (D5H5) XP® Rabbit mAb #12282.

Background Cyclooxygenase1 (Cox1) and cyclooxygenase2 (Cox2), family members with 60% homology in humans,

catalyze prostaglandin production from arachidonic acid (1,2). While Cox1 expression is constitutive in most tissues, Cox2 expression is induced by lipopolysaccharide (LPS) and peptidoglycan (PGN) (3). PGN activates Ras, leading to phosphorylation of Raf at Ser338 and Erk1/2 at Tyr204. The activation of MAP kinase signaling results in subsequent activation of IKK α / β , phosphorylation of IkB α at Ser32/36, and NF- κ B activation. Finally, activation of the transcription factor NF- κ B is responsible for the induction of Cox2 expression (4). Investigators have shown that LPS and PGN induce the clinical manifestations of arthritis and bacterial infections, such as inflammation, fever, and septic shock (5). Research studies have indicated that Cox1 and Cox2 may also play a role in the neuropathology of Alzheimer's disease by

potentiating y-secretase activity and β-amyloid generation (6).

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Species Reactivity Species reactivity is determined by testing in at least one approved application (e.g., western blot).

Applications Key FC-FP: Flow Cytometry (Fixed/Permeabilized)

Cross-Reactivity Key H: human M: mouse R: rat Hm: hamster Mk: monkey Vir: virus Mi: mink C: chicken Dm: D. melanogaster

X: Xenopus Z: zebrafish B: bovine Dg: dog Pg: pig Sc: S. cerevisiae Ce: C. elegans Hr: horse

GP: Guinea Pig Rab: rabbit All: all species expected

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