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## Bak Ab

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Cat.#: DF6011 Concn.: ~1mg/ml Mol.Wt.: 23kDa Size: Source: Rabbit Clonality: Polyclonal

Application: WB 1:500-1:2000, IF/ICC 1:100-1:500

\*The optimal dilutions should be determined by the end user.

Reactivity: Human, Mouse, Rat

Storage: Rabbit IgG in phosphate buffered saline, pH 7.4, 150mM NaCl, 0.02%

sodium azide and 50% glycerol. Store at -20 °C. Stable for 12 months from

date of receipt.

Purification: The antiserum was purified by peptide affinity chromatography using

SulfoLink<sup>TM</sup> Coupling Resin (Thermo Fisher Scientific).

Immunogen: A synthesized peptide derived from human Bak, corresponding to a region

within N-terminal amino acids.

Uniprot: Q16611

Description: Bak is a proapoptotic member of the Bcl-2 family . This protein is located

on the outer membrane of mitochondria and is an essential component for transduction of apoptotic signals through the mitochondrial pathway (2,3). Upon apoptotic stimulation, an upstream stimulator like truncated BID (tBID) induces conformational changes in Bak to form oligomer channels in the mitochondrial membrane for cytochrome c release. The release of cytochrome c to the cytosol activates the caspase-9 pathway and eventually

leads to cell death (4.5).



Western blot analysis of extracts from various samples, using BAK1 Ab.

Lane 1: Rat brain lysates; Lane 2: Mouse brain lysates; Lane 3: Mouse liver lysates;

Lane 4: Mouse liver lysates treated with blocking peptide;

<code>IMPORTANT:</code> For western blot, incubate membrane with diluted primary Ab in 5% w/v milk , 1% TBS, 0.1% Tween®20 at 4°C with gentle shaking, overnight.

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