

Polyclonal Antibody to Rat IgA alpha (alpha chain specific) -FITC-

Catalog No.: R1376F Quantity: 1 mg

Concentration: 1.0 mg/ml (by UV absorbance at 280 nm)

Host: Goat

Immunogen: Rat IgA alpha chain.

Format: State: Lyophilized purified Ig fraction.

Purification: Immunoaffinity chromatography.

Buffer System: 0.02 M Potassium Phosphate, 0.15 M Sodium Chloride, pH 7.2 with 10 mg/ml Bovine Serum Albumin (BSA) IgG and Protease free as stabilizer and 0.01% (w/v)

Sodium Azide as preservative.

Label: FITC – Fluorescein isothiocyanate (Molecular Weight 390 daltons)

Absorption / Emission: 495 nm / 528 nm

Molar Ratio: 4.0 moles FITC per mole of Goat IgG.

Reconstitution: Restore with 1.0 ml of deionized water (or equivalent).

Applications: Suitable for Immunomicroscopy and Flow cytometry or FACS analysis as well as other

antibody based fluorescent assays requiring lot-to-lot consistency.

Other applications not tested. Optimal dilutions are dependent on conditions and should

be determined by the user.

Specificity: This product was prepared from monospecific antiserum by immunoaffinity

chromatography using Rat IgA coupled to agarose beads followed by solid phase

adsorption(s) to remove any unwanted reactivities.

Assay by immunoelectrophoresis resulted in a single precipitin arc against

anti-Fluorescein, anti-Goat Serum, Rat IgA and Rat Serum.

Specificity was confirmed by ELISA at less than 1% cross reactivity against other rat heavy

or light chain isotypes.

Storage: Store vial at 2-8°C prior to restoration. For extended storage add glycerol to 50% and then

aliquot contents and freeze at -20°C or below. Centrifuge product if not completely clear

after standing at room temperature.

This antibody is stable for one month at 2-8°C as an undiluted liquid.

Dilute only prior to immediate use. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing. Shelf life: One year from despatch.

General References: 1. The and Feltkamp, Immunology 18; 865, 1970.