

# Rabbit Anti-Herpes Simplex Virus Polyclonal Antibody

## Rabbit, Polyclonal (Herpes Simplex Virus)

Cat. No. DPAB1420

Lot. No. (See product label)

### PRODUCT INFORMATION

**Product Overview:** Rabbit Antibody to Herpes Simplex Virus (HSV) Fluorescein conjugated

**Immunogen:** Strain F (human)

**Specificity:** ICPs + late structural (virion) antigens. Cross reacts with HSV types 1&2. Does not react with HEp-2 cells.

**Host animal:** Rabbit

**Format:** FITC, Liquid

**Purification:** IgG fraction covalently coupled with high purity Isomer I of fluorescein isothiocyanate. Care is taken to ensure complete removal of any free fluorescein from the final product.

**Applications:** Suitable for use in direct IFA. Each laboratory should determine an optimum working titer for use in its particular application. Other applications have not been tested but use in such assays should not necessarily be excluded.

### PACKAGING

**Concentration:** 4-5mg/ml (OD280nm,  $E^{0.1\%}=1.4$ )

**Buffer:** 0.01M PBS, pH 7.2 containing 10mg/ml BSA

**Preservative:** 0.1% Sodium azide

**Storage:** Short-term (up to 6 months) store at 2-8° C under subdued light. Long term, aliquot and store at -20°C. Avoid multiple freeze/thaw cycles.

**Warning:** This product contains sodium azide, which has been classified as Xn (Harmful), in European Directive 67/548/EEC in the concentration range of 0.1–1.0%. When disposing of this reagent through lead or copper plumbing, flush with copious volumes of water to prevent azide build-up in drains.

### BACKGROUND

**Introduction:** Herpes simplex virus 1 and 2 (HSV-1 and HSV-2), also known as Human herpes virus 1 and 2 (HHV-1 and -2), are two members of the herpes virus family, Herpesviridae, that infect humans. Both HSV-1 (which produces most cold sores) and HSV-2 (which produces most genital herpes) are ubiquitous and contagious. They can be spread when an infected person is producing and shedding the virus.

**Keywords:** Herpesviridae; Alphaherpesvirinae; Simplexvirus; DBP; Herpes simplex virus type 1 DBP; HSV1 DBP; ICP8; UL29; Herpes Simplex Virus; HSV; Herpes simplex virus 1 (HSV-1); Herpes simplex virus 2 (HSV-2)

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