

DESCRIPTION

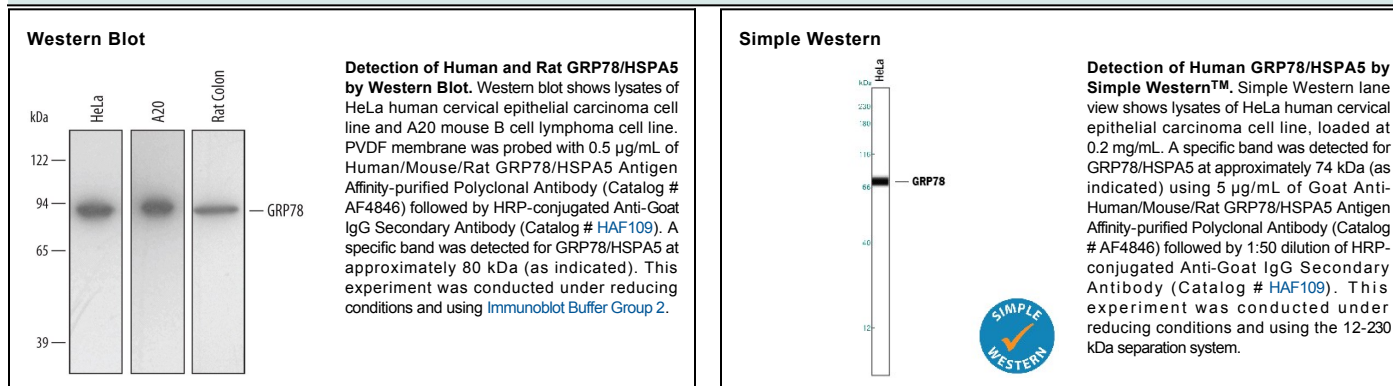
Species Reactivity	Human/Mouse/Rat
Specificity	Detects endogenous human, mouse and rat GRP78 in Western blots.
Source	Polyclonal Goat IgG
Purification	Antigen Affinity-purified
Immunogen	<i>E. coli</i> -derived recombinant human GRP78/HSPA5 Met1-Leu654 Accession # P11021
Formulation	Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution in PBS with Trehalose. See Certificate of Analysis for details. *Small pack size (-SP) is supplied as a 0.2 µm filtered solution in PBS.

APPLICATIONS

Please Note: Optimal dilutions should be determined by each laboratory for each application. *General Protocols* are available in the *Technical Information* section on our website.

	Recommended Concentration	Sample
Western Blot	0.5 µg/mL	See Below
Simple Western	5 µg/mL	See Below

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PREPARATION AND STORAGE

Reconstitution	Reconstitute at 0.2 mg/mL in sterile PBS.
Shipping	The product is shipped at ambient temperature. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended below. *Small pack size (-SP) is shipped with polar packs. Upon receipt, store it immediately at -20 to -70 °C
Stability & Storage	Use a manual defrost freezer and avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 12 months from date of receipt, -20 to -70 °C as supplied. ● 1 month, 2 to 8 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution. ● 6 months, -20 to -70 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.

BACKGROUND

GRP78 (Glucose-regulated protein 78 kDa; also BiP and HSPA5) is a 72 kDa member of the heat shock protein 70 family of proteins. Intracellularly, GRP78 is an endoplasmic reticulum chaperone that participates in protein folding; extracellularly, it induces IL-10 production from T cells and interacts with Cripto to block TGF-β signaling. Human GRP78 precursor is 654 amino acids (aa) in length. It contains an 18 aa signal sequence and a 636 aa mature region that shows a hydantoinase A region (aa 145-245) and a C-terminal KDEL motif that is present on intracellular GRP78, but absent on secreted GRP78. There is alternative splicing in the signal sequence (aa 1-10), and multiple single aa substitution. Over aa 1-654, human GRP78 is more than 97% aa identical to mouse and rat GRP78.