

Anti-Caspase 12 Purified

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Description

The polyclonal antibody reacts with human, mouse, and rat caspase-12. The antibody was raised against residues 100-116 of mouse Caspase-12 and reacts with human, mouse and rat Caspase-12. Caspase-12 is ubiquitously expressed in tissues and localized to the endoplasmic reticulum (ER) and activated by ER stress resulting in apoptosis. Similar to other members of the Caspase family, Caspase-12 requires cleavage of the prodomain to activate its proapoptotic form. ER stress, including disruption of ER calcium homeostasis and accumulation of excess proteins in ER, but not by membrane- or mitochondrial-targeted apoptotic signals, is responsible for Caspase-12 activation.

Applications Reported

This polyclonal antibody has been reported for use in immunoblotting (WB).

Applications Tested

This polyclonal antibody has been reported for use in immunoblotting (1:500-1:1000 dilution) of Caspase 12 from mouse brain lysate as a positive control. An approximately 53 kDa band can be detected. It is recommended that the reagent be carefully titrated for optimal performance in the assay of interest.

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