# **TREVIGEN®** Product Data

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## Anti-PAR Polyclonal, Affinity Purified

Catalog #: 4336-APC-050

Size: 50 µl

**Description:** An affinity purified rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against poly(ADP-ribose) (PAR) polymer. Trevigen's anti-PAR polyclonal antibody can be used to detect ribosylated proteins by immunodetection. Trevigen's PARP treated control protein (cat# 4500-10-P) and PAR polymer (cat# 4336-100-01) may be used as positive controls.

**Physical State:** This antibody is an affinity purified IgG fraction in 1X PBS, containing 50% glycerol.

Immunogen: Poly(ADP-ribose) polymer.

Specificity: This polyclonal antibody detects free PAR and poly-ribosylated proteins.

Storage: -20°C (manual defrost freezer).

**Applications:** For western and dot blotting, an antibody dilution of 1:1000 is recommended. For ELISA a 1:4000 antibody dilution is recommended. Empirical determination of antibody dilutions will be required for optimum results.

### **Cell Lysates for Western Blotting:**

To prepare total cell lysates, cells are solubilized in 1X SDS gel sample buffer (63 mM Tris-HCl, pH = 6.8; 10% glycerol; 2% SDS, 2.5%  $\beta$ -mercaptoethanol, and 0.0025% bromophenol blue) at 1 x 10<sup>7</sup> cells per ml. The extracts are heated in a boiling water bath for 5 minutes, vortexed for 1 minute at the maximum speed and centrifuged at 10,000 x g for 10 minutes at room temperature. Electrophorese on 4-20% Tris-Glycine SDS-PAGE gels.

#### Procedure for Immunoblotting using Peroxidase Detection:

Blotting buffer: 12 mM Tris base, 96 mM Glycine, and 15% MeOH. Blocking solution: 5% (w/v) nonfat dry milk in TBS-0.1% Tween. Antibody solution: 5% (w/v) nonfat dry milk, in TBS-0.1% Tween.

Transfer the electrophoresed proteins to a PVDF membrane and incubate the membrane for 1 hour at room temperature in blocking solution.

Incubate the membrane overnight at 4°C in antibody solution containing a 1:1000 dilution of anti-PAR rabbit polyclonal antibody. Empirical determination of primary antibody concentration will be required for optimal results.

Wash the membrane at room temperature for 5 minutes with 3 changes of TBS-0.1% Tween. Changing the membrane containers often reduces background.

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Incubate the membrane at room temperature for 1 hour in antibody solution containing antirabbit conjugated to horseradish peroxidase.

Empirical determination of secondary antibody concentration will be required for optimal results.

Wash the membrane for 5 minutes with 4 changes of TBS-0.1% Tween.

Develop peroxidase reaction using chemiluminescence.

Wehi H T 250 -148 -98 -64 -50 -36 -36 -16 -6 -4 - **Figure 1.** Western blot analysis of Wehi cells untreated (H) and treated (T) with 25  $\mu$ M Etoposide for 4 hours at 37°C. Cells were lysed in Tris-Glycine SDS sample buffer at the concentration of 1 x 10<sup>7</sup> cells/ml, and 10  $\mu$ l of clarified lysate were loaded per well of 4-20% Tris-Glycine gel. Proteins were transferred onto an Immobilon FL membrane and ribosylated proteins were detected using Trevigen's polyclonal anti-PAR antibody (cat# 4336-APC-050) followed by an IR680-conjugated secondary antibody (Licor). The membrane was scanned using an Odyssey Infrared Imaging System (Licor).

#### **References:**

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anti-PAR PC (1:1,000) + Goat anti-Rabbit IR680 (1:5,000)

#### **Related Products:**

Catalog#	Description	Size
4335-MC-100	Anti-PAR Monoclonal Antibody	100 µl
4335-MC-100-AC	Anti-PAR Monoclonal Antibody w/Control	100 µl
4520-096-K	PARP in vivo Pharmacodynamic Assay II	96 tests

