

#### **ORDERING INFORMATION**

Catalog Number: AF129

Lot Number: FBV0110021

Size: 100 μg

Formulation: 0.2 um filtered solution in PBS

with 5% trehalose

Storage: -20° C

Reconstitution: sterile PBS

Specificity: rmlL-18 BPc

Immunogen: Sf 21-derived rmIL-18 BPc

Ig Type: mouse IL-18 BPc specific goat IgG

Applications: Western blot

Direct ELISA

# Anti-mouse IL-18 BPc Antibody

## **Preparation**

Produced in goats immunized with purified, insect cell line *Sf* 21-derived, recombinant mouse interleukin 18 binding protein c (rmIL-18 BPc). Mouse IL-18 BPc specific IgG was purified by mouse IL-18 BPc affinity chromatography.

## **Formulation**

Lyophilized from a 0.2  $\mu m$  filtered solution in phosphate-buffered saline (PBS) with 5% trehalose.

# Endotoxin Level

< 10 ng per 1 mg of the antibody as determined by the LAL method.

#### Reconstitution

Reconstitute with sterile PBS. If 1 mL of PBS is used, the antibody concentration will be 0.1 mg/mL.

### Storage

Lyophilized samples are stable for greater than six months when held at -20° C to -70° C. Upon reconstitution, the antibody can be stored at 2° - 8° C for at least 1 month without detectable loss of activity. Reconstituted antibody can also be aliquotted and stored frozen at -20° C to -70° C in a manual defrost freezer for at least six months without detectable loss of activity. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

## Specificity

This antibody has been selected for its ability to recognize rmIL-18 BPc in direct ELISAs and Western blots.

#### **Applications**

Western blot - This antibody can be used at 0.1 - 0.2  $\mu$ g/mL with the appropriate secondary reagents to detect mouse IL-18 BPc. The detection limit for rmIL-18 BPc is approximately 5 ng/lane under non-reducing and reducing conditions.

**Direct ELISAs -** This antibody can be used at 0.5 -  $1.0~\mu g/mL$  with the appropriate secondary reagents to detect mouse IL-18 BPc. The detection limit for rmIL-18 BPc is approximately 0.3~ng/well. In this format, this antibody shows approximately 35% cross-reactivity with rmIL-18 BPd and less than 1% cross-reactivity with rhIL-18 BPa.

Optimal dilutions should be determined by each laboratory for each application.