

**Catalog No. LF-PA0021**

**POLYCLONAL ANTIBODY**



## Anti-Superoxide Dismutase II

**Background :** Superoxide dismutase (SOD) is an antioxidant enzyme involved in the defense system against reactive oxygen species (ROS). SOD catalyzes the dismutation reaction of superoxide radical anion ( $O_2^-$ ) to hydrogen peroxide, which is then catalyzed to innocuous  $O_2$  and  $H_2O$  by glutathione peroxidase and catalase. Several classes of SOD have been identified. These include intracellular copper, zinc SOD (Cu, Zn-SOD/SOD-1), mitochondrial manganese SOD (Mn-SOD/SOD-2) and extracellular Cu, Zn-SOD (EC-SOD/SOD-3) (1). SOD-1 is found in all eukaryotic species as a homodimeric 32-kDa enzyme containing one each of Cu and Zn ion per subunit (2). The manganese containing 80-kDa tetrameric enzyme SOD2, is located in the mitochondrial matrix in close proximity to a primary endogenous source of superoxide, the mitochondrial respiratory chain (3). SOD-3 is a heparin-binding multimer of disulfide-linked dimers, primarily expressed in human lungs, vessel walls and airways (4). SOD-4 is a copper chaperone for superoxide dismutase (CCS), which specifically delivers Cu to copper/zinc superoxide dismutase. CCS may activate copper/zinc superoxide dismutase through direct insertion of the Cu cofactor.

**Immunogen :** Recombinant human protein purified from *E.coli*

**Host :** Rabbit

**Size :** 100  $\mu$ l

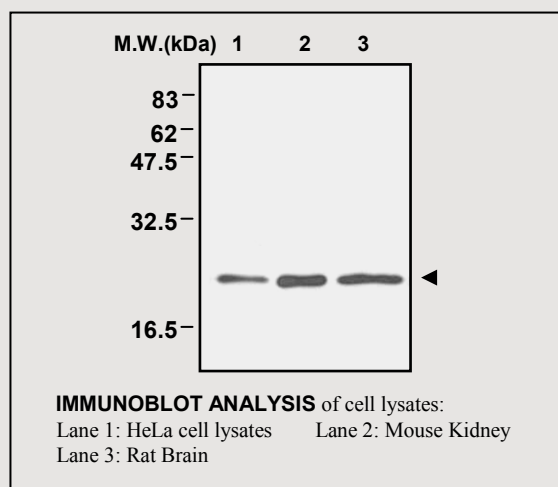
**Composition :** PBS containing 50% glycerol

**Positive control :** HeLa cell lysates

**Storage :** Store for 1 year at  $-20^\circ\text{C}$  from date of shipment

### Species cross reactivity

Human	Mouse	Rat
+	+	+



### Application :

Western blotting (1:2000)

Immunoprecipitation (1  $\mu$ l / 400  $\mu$ l lysates)

### Background Reference :

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