

# **Anti-TACE / ADAM17 Antibody**

### ORDERING INFORMATION

Catalog No.: 1131

Size: 100ug IgG in PBS, pH 7.4, purified by

immunoaffinity chromatography.

## **BACKGROUND**

TNF $\alpha$  is synthesized as a 26kDa type II membrane-bound precursor that is cleaved by a convertase to generate secreted 17kDa mature TNF $\alpha$ . TNF $\alpha$  converting enzyme (TACE) has been identified, and human and mouse TACE cDNAs have been cloned. TACE is a membrane-bound metalloprotease-disintegrin in the family of mammalian ADAM (for a disintegrin and metalloprotease). TACE also processes other cell surface proteins, including TNF receptor, TGF $\alpha$ , L-selectin, and alpha-cleavage of amyloid protein precursor (APP). TACE mRNA is expressed in a variety of human and mouse tissues.

# **SPECIFICATION SUMMARY**

**Antigen:** Peptide corresponding to aa 807-823 of human TACE (accession no. NP\_003174). This sequence differs from mouse and rat TACE by one amino acid.

Host Species: Rabbit Stabilizers: None

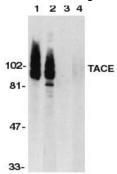
Preservatives: 0.02% sodium azide.

#### **SPECIFICITY**

This antibody recognizes human, mouse, and rat TACE, and 80-130kDa bands are detected in immunoblots. These bands may represent mature protein, precursor, and glycosylated TACE.

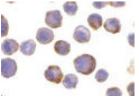
#### **APPLICATIONS**

Immunoblotting: use at 1ug/ml.



Western blot analysis of TACE in HeLa (1,3) and Jurkat (2,4) cell lysate in the absence (1,2) or presence (3,4) of blocking peptide with TACE antibody at  $1\mu g/ml$ .

Positive control: HeLa or Jurkat cell lysate. Immunocytochemistry: use at 10ug/ml.



Immunocytochemical staining of TACE in HeLa cells with TACE antibody at 10µg/ml.

These are recommended concentrations. Enduser should determine optimal concentrations for their applications.

# DILUTION INSTRUCTIONS

Dilute in PBS or medium which is identical to that used in the assay system.

## STORAGE AND STABILITY

This antibody is stable for at least one (1) year at -20°C. Avoid multiple freeze-thaw cycles.

For in vitro investigational use only. Not for use in therapeutic or diagnostic procedures.