

## Anti-Neuraminidase NEU2 Antibody

Catalog Number: A06481

### About NEU2

Neuraminidases or sialidases are exoglycosidases that catalyze the cleavage of alpha-glycosidically linked terminal N-acetyl neuraminic acid from sialylated glycoconjugates. They are widely spread in nature, occurring in viruses, bacteria, fungi, protozoa, birds and mammals. Together, the neuraminidases form a family of hydrolases that share a conserved active site and similar sequence motifs. Three types of neuraminidase are found in mammals and are defined as lysosomal, plasma membrane and cytosolic on the basis of their biochemical properties and subcellular distribution. Lysosomal N-acetyl-alpha-neuraminidase (NEU1) has significant primary structure characteristics of other mammalian and microbial sialidases with similar substrate specificity. However, unlike other members of this family, lysosomal neuraminidase requires the carboxypeptidase protective protein/cathepsin A (PPCA) for intracellular transport and lysosomal activation. The enzyme is only catalytically active when it is bound to PPCA and is a component of a high molecular weight, multi-protein complex containing PPCA,  $\beta$ -galactosidase and N-acetylgalactosamine-6-sulfate sulfatase. Using a hamster Sial3 probe, Monti et al. (1999) identified the gene encoding sialidase-2, which they designated NEU2, from a human genomic library. The 2 putative exons of NEU2 encode a deduced 380-amino acid protein with a calculated molecular mass of 42.23 kD. The NEU2 protein has significant homology with the mammalian, viral, and bacterial sialidases. It shares over 72% similarity with the hamster and rat cytosolic sialidases and over 42% similarity with human NEU1. NEU2 contains a potential N-linked glycosylation site, 2 aspartic acid block consensus sequences, and an N-terminal F/YRIP sequence motif which is part of the active site of other sialidase enzymes. Monti et al. hypothesized that NEU2 has a cytosolic localization because it does not contain a cleavage site, transmembrane domain, or targeting motifs.

### Overview

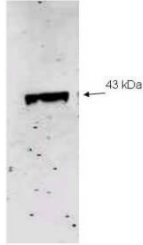
Product Name	Anti-Neuraminidase NEU2 Antibody
Reactive Species	Human
Description	Boster Bio Anti-Neuraminidase NEU2 Antibody (Catalog # A06481). Tested in ELISA, WB applications. This antibody reacts with Human.
Application	ELISA, IP, IHC, WB
Clonality	Polyclonal
Formulation	0.02 M Potassium Phosphate, 0.15 M Sodium Chloride, pH 7.2, 0.01% (w/v) Sodium Azide
Storage Instructions	Store vial at -20°C prior to opening. Aliquot contents and freeze at -20°C or below for extended storage. Avoid cycles of freezing and thawing. Centrifuge product if not completely clear after standing at room temperature. This product is stable for several weeks at 4°C as an undiluted liquid. Dilute only prior to immediate use. Expiration date is one (1) year from date of opening. (Ship on dry ice.)
Host	Rabbit
Uniprot ID	Q9Y3R4

### Technical Details

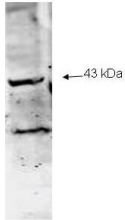
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Immunogen	This affinity purified antibody was prepared from whole rabbit serum produced by repeated immunizations with a synthetic peptide corresponding to an internal portion near aa 100-125 of Human Neu2.
Predicted Reactive Species	Canine, Chimpanzee, Orangutan
Isotype	IgG
Form	Liquid (sterile filtered)
Concentration	0.9 mg/mL by UV absorbance at 280 nm
Purification	This is an affinity purified antibody produced by immunoaffinity chromatography using the immunizing peptide after immobilization to a solid phase. This antibody reacts with human Neu2. Based on sequence we expect this antibody to react with neuraminidase from other sources, although specific reactivity has not been confirmed. Cross-reactivity against Neu1 has not yet been established. Neuraminidases are highly conserved in mammals and therefore cross-reactivity is expected with mouse and rat Neu2.
Suggested Dilutions	ELISA: 1:10,000 - 1:50,000 IHC: User optimized IP: User optimized WB: 1:500- 1:2,000 Anti-NEU2 Antibody is has been tested by western blot and ELISA and suitable for immunocytochemistry and immunoprecipitation, transfected cell culture, and primary cell culture. A single band of the expected apparent molecular weight (43 kDa) was observed at a 1:500 dilution incubated for 1 h at room temperature. A second lower molecular weight band may represent a truncated form of this protein. Neuraminidase is not very abundant in most tissues and its detection using this antibody may require further optimization. Researchers should determine optimal titers for other applications.

## Anti-Neuraminidase NEU2 Antibody (A06481) Images



Western blot analysis using Boster Immunochemical's Affinity Purified anti-Neu2 antibody to detect recombinant His tagged Neu-2 (1.0 µg loaded). Molecular weight marker (not shown) indicates a single band of the expected MW (43 kDa). The blot was incubated with a 1:500 dilution of the antibody at room temperature for 1 h followed by detection using IRDye800 labeled Goat-a-Rabbit IgG [H&L] (611-132-122) diluted 1:1,000. IRDye800 fluorescence image was captured using the Odyssey® Infrared Imaging System developed by LI-COR. IRDye is a trademark of LI-COR, Inc. Other detection systems will yield similar results.



Western blot analysis using Boster Immunochemical's Affinity Purified anti-Neu2 antibody to detect Neu-2 present in a lysate expressing human Neu2 (1.0 ul loaded). Molecular weight marker (not shown) indicates a band of the expected MW (43 kDa). The reactive lower molecular weight band is believed to represent a truncated form of this protein. The blot was incubated with a 1:500 dilution of the antibody at room temperature for 1 h followed by detection using IRDye™ 800 labeled Goat-a-Rabbit IgG [H&L] (611-132-122) diluted 1:1,000. IRDye™ 800 fluorescence image was captured using the Odyssey® Infrared Imaging System developed by LI-COR. IRDye is a trademark of LI-COR, Inc. Other detection systems will yield similar results.

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