## Rabbit anti-human NEFL Polyclonal Antibody

Catalog Number: R16014P



General Information		
Immunogen	Recombinant Protein of human NEFL	
lgG type	IgG	
Clonality	Polyclonal	
Specificity	human NEFL	
Applications & dilution	WB 1:500 - 1:2000 IHC 1:50 - 1:200 IF 1:50 - 1:200	
Formulation	PBS with 0.02% sodium azide, 50% glycerol, pH7.3.	
Purity	≥95% purity by SDS-PAGE	
Storage	Store at -20°C. Avoid freeze / thaw cycles.	

#### Abbreviation:

ELISA: Enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay; ITA: immunoturbidimetric assay; IP: immunoprecipitation; IHC: immunohistochemistry; IF: immunofluorescence. WB: western blot; FC: flowcytometry

### **Background**

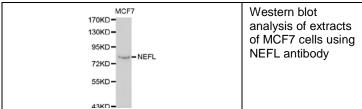
The cytoskeleton consists of three types of cytosolic fibers: actin microfilaments, intermediate filaments, microtubules. Neurofilaments are the major intermediate filaments found in neurons and consist of light (NFL), medium (NFM), and heavy (NFH) subunits (1). Similar in structure to other intermediate filament proteins, neurofilaments have a globular amino-terminal head, a central  $\alpha$ -helical rod domain, and a carboxy-terminal tail. A heterotetrameric unit (NFL-NFM and NFL-NFH) forms a protofilament, with eight protofilaments comprising the typical 10 nm intermediate filament (2). While neurofilaments are critical for radial axon growth and determine axon caliber, microtubules are involved in axon elongation. PKA phosphorylates the head domain of NFL and NFM to inhibit neurofilament assembly (3,4). Neurofilament accumulations are found in many human neurological disorders including Parkinson's disease (in Lewy bodies along with α-synuclein), Alzheimer's disease, Charcot-Marie-Tooth disease, and Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS) (1).

#### **Preparation**

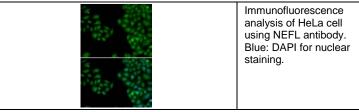
Polyclonal antibody is produced by immunizing rabbit with recombinant Protein of human NEFL and purified using protein A resin.

### **Applications**

#### Western blot



#### *Immunofluorescence*



*Immunohistochemistry* 

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	Immunohistochemistry of paraffin-embedded human breast cancer using NEFL antibody at dilution of 1:200 (400x lens)	
	Immunohistochemistry of paraffin-embedded rat kidney using NEFL antibody at dilution of 1:200 (400x lens)	
	Immunohistochemistry of paraffin-embedded rat brain using NEFL antibody at dilution of 1:200 (400x lens)	

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#### Storage

This antibody is shipped at 4  $^{\circ}$ C. This product is stable for 12 months from date of receipt when stored at -20  $^{\circ}$ C to -70  $^{\circ}$ C. Avoid freeze/thaw cycles.

#### Hazard/Biohazard

This antibody contains 0.09% sodium azide as preservative. Please handle and dispose the product properly. No known biohazard is associated with this product.

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