



# BACE-1

# **Data Sheet**

Catalog Number: RA21010 Host: Rabbit

Product Type: Rabbit Polyclonal IgG Species
Reactivity: Human, Mouse, and Rat

Immunogen Format:

Sequence: Synthetic peptide Lyophilized powder

Applications: Immunohistochemistry: 5-10 ug/ml

Immunofluorescence: 5-15 ug/ml

Western Blot: 1 ug/ml

Dilutions listed as a recommendation. Optimal dilution should be determined by investigator.

Storage: The product can be stored as supplied for up to 12 months at 2°C-4°C. After reconstitution, aliquot

and store at -20°C for higher stability or at 4°C with an appropriate antibacterial agent. Avoid

freeze thaw-cycles.

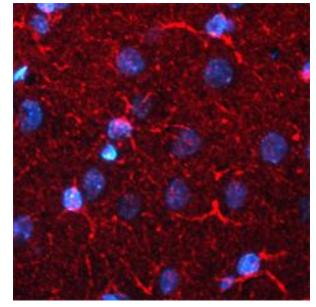
### **Application Notes**

#### Description/Data:

BACE1, a member of the peptidase A1 protein family, is a type I integral membrane glycoprotein and aspartic protease that is found mainly in the Golgi. Responsible for the proteolytic processing of the amyloid precursor protein (APP). Cerebral deposition of amyloid beta peptide is an early and critical feature of Alzheimer's disease. BACE-1 is a member of the

peptidase A1 protein family and is a type I integral membrane glycoprotein and aspartic protease that is found mainly in the Golgi. In brains of patients with Alzheimer's disease, BACE-1 is detected in reactive astrocytes, suggesting that astrocyte activation may play a role in the development of Alzheimer's disease.

Images: Immunohistochemical detection of BACE-1 in astrocytes in rat cortex. Rat brain was fixed with 4% formaldehyde and cut into 10 µm thick cryostat sections. Tissue was incubated with rabbit polyclonal antibody to BACE-1 at 10 µg/mL overnight at 4°C followed by incubation with Donkey anti-rabbit Rhodamine Red conjugated secondary antibodies at 1:200 dilution. Nuclei were counterstained with DAPI (blue).



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