# Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody to Human Caspase 1/ Interleukin-1 ß Converting Enzyme 

| Catalog No.: | RP 064, RP 064-05 |
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| Applications: | Research Use Only. Optimal working conditions must be determined by the end user. |
| Immunogen: | A synthetic peptide from the second quarter of human Caspase 1 protein. |
| Host: | Rabbit |
| Format: | Purified immunoglobulin fraction of rabbit antiserum against human Caspase 1 containing sodium azide as a preservative. |
| Titer/Working Dilution: | This antibody may be diluted to a titer of 1:25-1:50 in an ABC method. The final dilution should be determined by the user based upon the staining conditions employed. |
| Staining Protocol: | We suggest an incubation period of 30 minutes at room temperature. Optimal incubation conditions should be determined by the user based upon the fixation conditions and staining system employed,. High temperature treatment of formalin-fixed tissue sections with 10 mM citrate buffer, pH 6.0 must be performed prior to the immunostaining. |
| Specificity: | This antibody reacts with a 45 kD protein, Caspase 1, and is expressed as a proenzyme in many tissues. Active Caspase 1 is a tetramer of two subunits p10 and p20 in 2:2 ratio. <br> Overexpression of Caspase 1 can induce apoptosis in fibroblast, which can be inhibited by Overexpression of Crm A, a protein from pox virus. This antibody cross reacts with human, mouse, and rat. |
| Positive Control: | Placenta |
| Cellular Localization: | Nuclear, cell membrane |
| Other Applications: | Western Blotting |
| Storage: | Store at $2-8^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Do not use beyond the expiration date stated on the label. |
| References: | i) Enari et al. Nature 375: 78, 1995. <br> ii) Walker et al. Cell 78: 343, 1994. |

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