

IgG Fraction of Rabbit Anti-Met⁵-Enkephalin Serum

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Lot # 6868

This antiserum was raised in a rabbit which was immunized with synthetic Met⁵-enkephalin covalently attached onto a carrier protein. The antibody is specific for Met⁵-enkephalin and is suitable for use in histochemical preparations of tissues or cells. The antiserum has been characterized by RIA, ELISA and immunocytochemical techniques. Dilute the lyophilized antibody with 0.1 ml of 10 mg/ml BSA in PBS for the equivalent concentration of IgG in whole antiserum or with additional buffer for more dilute antibody. The IgG fraction was prepared by precipitation, dialysis, and ion exchange chromatography.

Protein Content = 1.4 mg/vial

Polypeptide	Antibody Specificity	% Cross Reactivity
Met ⁵ -Enkephalin		100
Leu ⁵ -Enkephalin		4
β-Endorphin		<0.01
Dynorphin A		<0.001
Atrial Natriuretic Polypeptide (human)		0
ACTH (human, 1-39)		0
Calcitonin		0
Epidermal growth factor (human)		0
Somatostatin 28		0
Transforming growth factor-alpha		0
Vasoactive Intestinal Peptide		0

Immunocytochemical Staining

This IgG fraction has been found to stain formaldehyde fixed rat brain sections known to express Met⁵-enkephalin using ABC techniques at a concentration of 10 µg/ml.