

Anti-A2M / Alpha-2-Macroglobulin Antibody

Goat Anti Human Polyclonal Antibody

Catalog # ALS18006

Product Information

Application	IHC-P, E, IE
Primary Accession	P01023
Predicted	Human
Host	Goat
Clonality	Polyclonal
Isotype	IgG
Calculated MW	163291
Concentration (mg/ml)	2 mg/ml

Additional Information

Gene ID	2
Alias Symbol	A2M
Other Names	A2M, CPAMD5, A2MD, FWP007, Alpha-2-M, Alpha-2-macroglobulin, S863-7
Target/Specificity	Recognizes alpha2-Microglobulin. Monospecific when analyzed by immunoelectrophoresis. Only one arc was seen with normal human plasma, of identical mobility to that obtained with purified alpha2-microglobulin.
Reconstitution & Storage	Immunoaffinity purified
Precautions	Anti-A2M / Alpha-2-Macroglobulin Antibody is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

Protein Information

Name	A2M
Synonyms	CPAMD5
Function	Is able to inhibit all four classes of proteinases by a unique 'trapping' mechanism. This protein has a peptide stretch, called the 'bait region' which contains specific cleavage sites for different proteinases. When a proteinase cleaves the bait region, a conformational change is induced in the protein which traps the proteinase. The entrapped enzyme remains active against low molecular weight substrates (activity against high molecular weight substrates is greatly reduced). Following cleavage in the bait region, a thioester bond is hydrolyzed and mediates the covalent binding of the protein to the proteinase.

Cellular Location	Secreted.
Tissue Location	Secreted in plasma..

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