

Applications: W, IP	Reactivity: H M	Sensitivity: Endogenous	MW (kDa): 60	Source/Isotype: Rabbit	UniProt ID: #Q13568	Entrez-Gene Id: 3663
Product Usage Information		Application Western Blotting Immunoprecipitation			Dilution 1:1000 1:100	
Storage		Supplied in 10 mM sodium HEPES (pH 7.5), 150 mM NaCl, 100 μg/ml BSA and 50% glycerol. Store at – 20°C. Do not aliquot the antibody.				
Specificity/Sensitivity		IRF-5 Antibody recognizes endogenous levels of total IRF-5 protein.				
Species predict based on 100% homology	ted to react sequence	Rat				
Source / Purification		Polyclonal antibodies are produced by immunizing animals with a synthetic peptide corresponding to residues near the carboxy terminus of human IRF-5 protein. Antibodies are purified by protein A and peptide affinity chromatography.				
Background		Interferon regulatory factors (IRFs) comprise a family of transcription factors that function within the Jak/Stat pathway to regulate interferon (IFN) and IFN-inducible gene expression in response to viral infection (1). IRFs play an important role in pathogen defense, autoimmunity, lymphocyte development, cell growth, and susceptibility to transformation. The IRF family includes nine members: IRF-1, IRF-2, IRF-9/ISGF3y, IRF-3, IRF-4 (Pip/LSIRF/ICSAT), IRF-5, IRF-6, IRF-7, and IRF-8/ICSBP. All IRF proteins share homology in their amino-terminal DNA-binding domains. IRF family members regulate transcription through interactions with proteins that share similar DNA-binding motifs, such as IFN-stimulated response elements (ISRE), IFN consensus sequences (ICS), and IFN regulatory elements (IRF-E) (2).				
Background References		1. Taniguchi, T. et al. (2001) <i>Annu Rev Immunol</i> 19, 623-55. 2. Honda, K. and Taniguchi, T. (2006) <i>Nat Rev Immunol</i> 6, 644-58.				
Species Reactiv	vity	Species reactivity is de	termined by testin	g in at least one approve	ed application (e.g.,	western blot).
Western Blot Buffer		IMPORTANT: For western blots, incubate membrane with diluted primary antibody in 5% w/v BSA, 1X TBS, 0.1% Tween® 20 at 4°C with gentle shaking, overnight.				
Applications Key		W: Western Blotting IP: Immunoprecipitation				
Cross-Reactivity Key		H: Human M: Mouse				
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