

Code No. 18953

**Anti-Human  
Olig2 Rabbit IgG Affinity purify**

Volume : 100 µg

Lot No. : 1D-104

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- Introduction** : Oligodendrocytes are defined as the glial cells of the central nervous system that make and maintain myelin wrapping around a nerve cell axon. And further, oligodendrocytes are considered as target of some disease such as autoimmune disease and brain tumor. However, there are some dissatisfaction in existing immunostaining tools for oligodendrocytes. The existing antibodies relatively unspecific and hardly react with oligodendroglioma. While, Olig2 is a transcription factor that controls development and differentiation of oligodendrocytes. It is reported that human Olig2 is specifically expressed in both oligodendrocytes and oligodendroglioma. This antibody recognizes human Olig2.
- Antigen** : Synthetic peptide of a C-terminal part of Human Olig2 (CMGAGSLPRLTSDAK)
- Purification** : Purified with antigen peptide
- Form** : Lyophilized product from PBS containing 1 % BSA and 0.05 % NaN<sub>3</sub>
- How to use** : 1.0 mL deionized water will be added to the product, then its concentration comes to 100 µg/mL.
- Stability** : Lyophilized product, 5 years at 2 – 8 °C  
: Solution, 2 years at –20 °C
- Application** : This antibody can be used for immunohistochemistry with formalin fixed paraffin embedded tissues after microwave pretreatment (10 min, 10 mM Citrate Buffer, pH 6.0). The optimal concentration is 0.1 - 1 µg/mL, however, the concentration should be optimized by each laboratory.  
: This antibody can be used for western blotting in concentration of about 2 µg/mL.
- Specificity** : Cross-reacts with mouse and rat
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