

## IL-12B rabbit pAb

Cat No.: ES5895

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## Overview

Product Name IL-12B rabbit pAb

Host species Rabbit
Applications WB;ELISA

**Species Cross-Reactivity** Human;Rat;Mouse;

Recommended dilutions Western Blot: 1/500 - 1/2000. ELISA: 1/5000. Not

yet tested in other applications.

Immunogen The antiserum was produced against synthesized

peptide derived from human IL-12B. AA

range:228-277

Specificity IL-12B Polyclonal Antibody detects endogenous

levels of IL-12B protein.

Formulation Liquid in PBS containing 50% glycerol, 0.5% BSA and

0.02% sodium azide.

**Storage** Store at -20°C. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

Protein Name Interleukin-12 subunit beta

**Gene Name** IL12B **Cellular localization** Secreted.

**Purification** The antibody was affinity-purified from rabbit

antiserum by affinity-chromatography using

epitope-specific immunogen.

Clonality Polyclonal
Concentration 1 mg/ml
Observed band 40kD
Human Gene ID 3593
Human Swiss-Prot Number P29460

Alternative Names IL12B; NKSF2; Interleukin-12 subunit beta; IL-12B;

Cytotoxic lymphocyte maturation factor 40 kDa subunit; CLMF p40; IL-12 subunit p40; NK cell

stimulatory factor chain 2; NKSF2

**Background** This gene encodes a subunit of interleukin 12, a

cytokine that acts on T and natural killer cells, and has a broad array of biological activities. Interleukin 12 is a disulfide-linked heterodimer composed of



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the 40 kD cytokine receptor like subunit encoded by this gene, and a 35 kD subunit encoded by IL12A. This cytokine is expressed by activated macrophages that serve as an essential inducer of Th1 cells development. This cytokine has been found to be important for sustaining a sufficient number of memory/effector Th1 cells to mediate long-term protection to an intracellular pathogen. Overexpression of this gene was observed in the central nervous system of patients with multiple sclerosis (MS), suggesting a role of this cytokine in the pathogenesis of the disease. The promoter polymorphism of this gene has been reported to be associated with the severity of atopic and non-atopic asthma in children. [provi



