Anti Gonadotropin-Releasing Hormone -Associated Peptide (GAP) (34-56) (Human) Serum Cat. No. Y311 Lot No. 024271219

Description: This antiserum was raised in a rabbit by immunization with a bovine serum albumin (BSA) conjugate of GAP (34-56) (human) peptide. The product vial contains 50 μ L of the titled antiserum obtained by lyophilizing its 0.001 M phosphate buffer (pH 7.0, 0.5mL) solution. It can be used for immunoassay, immunohistochemistry or any other immunoreaction with GnRH-associated peptide (GAP)(human).

Immunogen: Synthetic GAP (34-56) (human)-BSA conjugate Host: Rabbit

Amino Acid Sequence of GAP (34-56) (human) 1):

SPLRDLK GALESLIEEE TGQKKI

Product Form: Lyophilized unpurified serum Size: 50 μ L

Reconstitution: Reconstitute the product with 0.5mL of 0.01M PBS (pH 7.0) to make a 10 fold diluted stock solution. If it is stored in a refrigerator, add moderate antiseptic to the solution (e.g. NaN₃ 0.1%).

Storage: The product will be stable for over one year if it be stored at -20°C to -80°C until opened. Upon reconstitution, the antiserum solution must be stored at 2°C to 8°C and used within one month. Repeated freezing-thawing should be avoided.

Suggested Working Dilution Range: 1:700 (final dilution ~1:4,900) for radioimmunoassay²⁾; 1:500-4,000 for immunohistochemistry (frozen sections). Optimal dilution should be determined by each laboratory for each application.

Specificity (based on radioimmunoassay): GAP (34-56) (human) 100%, GAP (25-56)(human) 100%, GAP (15-56)(human) 100%, GAP (1-56)(human) 100%, GAP (41-56)(human) 0.5%, LH-RH 0%, leumorphin (human) 0%, somatostatin 0%

Positive Control (immunohistochemistry): Rat hypothalamus

Species Tested: Rat, porcine³⁾

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