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# **Product Information**

# Anti-β-Tubulin III

produced in rabbit, affinity isolated antibody

Catalog Number T3952

Synonym: Anti-Tuj 1

# **Product Description**

Anti- $\beta$ -Tubulin III is produced in rabbit using as immunogen a synthetic peptide corresponding to residues 151-165 [LISKVREEYPDRIMN] of human  $\beta$ -Tubulin III (GeneID 10381). The antibody is affinitypurified.

Anti- $\beta$ -Tubulin III recognizes human  $\beta$ -Tubulin III. Applications include the detection of  $\beta$ -Tubulin III by immunoblotting (~50 kDa), immunohistochemistry and flow cytometry.

The  $\beta$ -tubulin III protein (also know as Tuj 1) belongs to the tubulin superfamily. It is abundant in the brain, where it is expressed almost exclusively in neurons after differentiation. There are significant posttranslational modifications made to  $\beta$ -tubulin III with numerous isoforms present during early post-natal neural development. Altered patterns of expression are noted in brain tumors, such as medulloblastomas.

### Reagent

Supplied as a solution in phosphate buffered saline, containing 0.02% sodium azide.

Antibody concentration: ~1.0 mg/mL

### **Precautions and Disclaimer**

This product is for R&D use only, not for drug, household, or other uses. Please consult the Material Safety Data Sheet for information regarding hazards and safe handling practices.

# Storage/Stability

For continuous use, store at 2-8 °C for up to three months. For extended storage, freeze in working aliquots. Repeated freezing and thawing, or storage in "frost-free" freezers, is not recommended.

### **Product Profile**

<u>Immunoblotting</u>: a working dilution of 1:500 to 1:1,000 is recommended.

**Note**: In order to obtain the best results using various techniques and preparations, we recommend determining the optimal working dilutions by titration.

### References

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