



IHC of stomach staining.

## **Gastrin Releasing Peptide (Bombesin) Antibody**

Catalog #	20073	Product type	Primary antibodies
Lot #	1420001	Clonality	Polyclonal
Form	Lyophilized whole serum (100 μL)	Isotype	IgG
Host	Rabbit	Preservative	≤ 0.09% sodium azide
Reacts With	Chick, Hamster, Human, Minnow, Mouse, Newt, Pigeon, Quail, Rabbit, Ram, Rat, Sheep	Antigen	Synthetic (human) bombesin coupled to BTg with glutaraldehyde.

## **INSTRUCTIONS**

Preparation	Do not reconstitute until ready to use since the product is most stable when lyophilized. The product does not need to be kept cooled during shipping; however, for long-term storage, store lyophilized antibody until ready to use at -15°C or lower. Reconstitute with 100 µL of distilled or deionized water. After reconstitution, use immediately or refrigerate at 2°-8°C. To avoid freeze/thaw cycles, dilute unused antibody with PBS or Tris buffer at a dilution no higher than 1/10, then aliquot and freeze at -15°C or lower.
	Refer to the Instruction Manual available online at www.immunostar.com for information on tissue preparation, immunostaining techniques, troubleshooting, and formulas.

## **APPLICATION**

IHC Quality Control	The ImmunoStar Bombesin antiserum was quality control tested using standard immunohistochemical methods. The antiserum demonstrates significant labeling of rat dorsal horn of spinal cord using indirect immunofluorescent and biotin/avidin-HRP techniques. Staining is completely eliminated by pretreatment of 1 mL of diluted antibody with 50 µg of bombesin.		
Tissue	Rat spinal cord dorsal horn		
Absorption control	Bombesin, 50 μg/mL diluted serum.		
Perfusion Fixation	<ul> <li>Fixation: 4% paraformaldehyde in 0.1M Phosphate buffer, pH 7.4; 500 mL over 20 min.</li> <li>Post Fixation: 1.5 hour at 4°C in 4% paraformaldehyde in 0.1M phosphate buffer, pH 7.4.</li> </ul>		
Sections	10 μm cryostat		
Tissue Incubation	18–24 hours at 2°–8°C.		
Detection System	Use Cy3 or Bn/AV-HRP according to manufacturers' directions.		
Suggested Dilution	1/1,000–1/2,000 in PBS/0.3% Triton X-100 – Bn/Av-HRP immunohistochemistry		

## **NOTES**

Special Instructions	It is recommended that the researcher perform a primary antibody dilution series using our dilution recommendations as a guideline. Note that a change in the fixation or buffering system from our protocol may change the configuration of the protein which could alter the reactivity with the tissue tested.
Storage	After reconstitution, use immediately or refrigerate at 2°–8°C up to 2 days. For long-term storage, aliquot and freeze at -15°C or lower. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.
Concentration	Not applicable. Antibody concentration is only relevant for purified antibodies.
Journal References	www.immunostar.com/publications