REPRESENTATIVE DATASHEET

Goat anti-human Factor X (FX)

Whole IgG from antiserum 10 mg

Product #: GAFX-IG

Lot #: XXXX Expiry date: XXXX

Store at -10 to -20°C

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Not for use in diagnostic procedures.

Description of Factor X (FX)

Factor X (FX, Stuart Factor) is a vitamin K-dependent glycoprotein produced in the liver. The concentration of FX in plasma is ~10 µg/ml (~170 nM). Factor X is expressed as a two-chain molecule with a molecular weight of 59 kDa. The light chain (17 kDa) of FX contains a calcium-binding domain consisting of one hydroxyaspartic acid and 11 y-carboxyglutamic acid (gla) residues. These residues allow FX to bind to membranes that contain acidic phospholipids in a calcium dependent manner. This is followed by two EGF-like domains. The heavy chain of FX (42 kDa) consists of the catalytic domain, carbohydrate and the activation peptide. Activation of FX to the active enzyme (FXa) results from cleavage at residue Arg52 in the heavy chain of FX by a complex of FIXa, cofactor VIIIa, calcium and negatively charged phospholipid surface (the tenase complex), or by the FVIIa-tissue factor complex. Both activation pathways result in the release of the activation peptide from the N-terminal of the heavy chain. The FXa generated is a serine protease responsible for the activation of prothrombin to thrombin in the presence of a phospholipid membrane, calcium and cofactor Va. The activity of FXa in plasma is inhibited by antithrombin (ATIII), α₁antitrypsin, α₂macroglobulin and tissue factor pathway inhibitor (TFPI). The inhibitory activity of ATIII is stimulated approximately 1000-fold by heparin¹⁻³.

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Product Specifications

Description:

Vial containing **XXXX** ml of whole IgG representing approximately 1 ml of antiserum. Total protein is 10 mg.

Format:

Whole IgG, clear liquid.

Host Animal:

Goat

Immunogen:

Human Factor X purified from plasma.

Concentration:

IgG concentration is **XXXX** mg/ml, determined by absorbance using an extinction coefficient ($E^{1\%}_{280}$) of 13.4.

Buffer:

10 mM HEPES, pH 7.4, 150 mM NaCl, 50% (v/v) glycerol.

Storage:

Store between -10 and -20°C. Product will become viscous but will not freeze. Avoid storage in frost-free freezers. Keep vial tightly capped. Allow product to warm to room temperature and gently mix before use.

Specificity:

This antibody is specific for Factor X as demonstrated by immunoelectrophoresis and ELISA.

Applications:

Suitable as a source of antibodies to human Factor X.

Neutralizing activity:

Not determined.

Species Cross Reactivity: (immunodiffusion vs. citrated plasma)

Human:	XXXX	Mouse:	XXXX	Rat:	XXXX
Rabbit:	XXXX	Pig:	XXXX	Dog:	XXXX

Related Products:

Cat #: GAFX-AP	Goat anti-human Factor X, affinity purified IgG
Cat #: GAFX-HRP	Goat anti-human Factor X, peroxidase labelled IgG
Cat #: SAFX-IG	Sheep anti-human Factor X, IgG from antiserum
Cat #: SAFX-AP	Sheep anti-human Factor X, affinity purified IgG
Cat #: RAFX-HRP	Rabbit anti-human Factor X, peroxidase labelled IgG
Cat #: FX-EIA	Paired antibody set for ELISA of Factor X, 5 x 96 wells
Cat #: FX-DP	Human plasma deficient in Factor X, immune depleted

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