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## AP20103AF-N Polyclonal Antibody to Alcohol Oxidase - Azide Free

Alternate names: AOD1, AOX, MOX, Methanol Oxidase

Quantity: 10 mg

Concentration: 10.0 mg/ml

Background: Alcohol Oxidase (AOX) is a homooctameric flavoprotein consisting of eight identical

subunits of ~74 kD, each containing a flavin adenine dinucleotide molecule (FAD) as a prosthetic group (van der Klei et al., 1991). The protein catalyzes the oxidation of methanol to formaldehyde and hydrogen peroxide, the first step in the methanol utilization pathway of certain yeasts including *Pichia pastoris*, *Hansenula* 

polymorpha, and Candida boidinii (van der Klei et al., 1991). AOX is normally localized in the matrix of single membrane-bound organelles called peroxisomes. During methanol growth, the peroxisomes also contain large amounts of dihydroxyacetone synthase, the first enzyme in the methanol assimilatory pathway, and catalase (CAT), which converts the hydrogen peroxide generated by oxidases such as AOX into water and oxygen (Veenhuis and Harder, 1991). As a result, peroxisomes, which are small and few in number in glucose-grown cells, are massively induced in methanol-grown

cells (Veenhuis and Harder, 1991).

Uniprot ID: <u>000922</u> NCBI: <u>5477</u>

Host / Isotype: Rabbit / IgG

Immunogen: Alcohol dehydrogenase isolated and purified from Candida boidinii.

Freund's complete adjuvant is used in the first step of the immunization procedure.

Format: State: Lyophilized IgG fraction.

**Purification:** Ammonium Sulphate Precipitation and Ion Exchange Chromatography.

Buffer System: PBS, pH 7.2 without preservatives and foreign proteins.

**Reconstitution:** Restore by adding 1.0 ml of sterile distilled water; Prepare working dilutions by adding sterile phosphate buffered saline (PBS, ph 7.2) and preferably use

the same day.

Applications: Indirect Immunofluorescence.

ELISA. Dot blot. Western blot.

**Recommended Dilutions:** 

Working dilutions in non-precipitating antibody-binding techniques may vary widely,

but may be between 1/1,000 and 1/80,000.

Other applications not tested. Optimal dilutions are dependent on conditions and

should be determined by the user.



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Specificity: The reagents were evaluated for potency, purity and specificity using most or all of the

following techniques: Immunoelectrophoresis, Cross-Immunoelectrophoresis, single Radial Immunodiffusion (Ouchterlony), block titration, ELISA, Immunoblotting and

Enzyme Inhibition.

Cross-reactivities against enzymes of other sources may occur but have not been

determined.

Recognizes Alcohol Oxidase. **Species:** Candida boidinii. Other species not tested.

**Storage:** Store the antibody lyophilized at 2-8°C.

Reconstituted at 2-8°C for one week or (in aliquots) at -20°C for longer. If a slight precipitation occurs upon storage, this should be removed by

centrifugation.

Shelf life: one year from despatch.