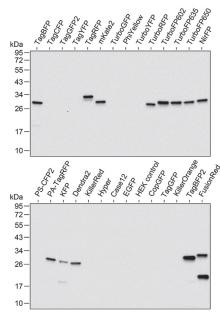


## **Anti-tRFP antibody**

Product	Cat.#	Lot.#	Size
Anti-tRFP antibody	AB233	23301201267	100 µg

#### Use

- Western blot
- Immunoblotting
- ICC
- ELISA



# Western blot detection of fluorescent proteins using anti-tRFP antibody.

Lisates of HEK293 cells expressing fluorescent proteins were boiled in sample buffer (95 °C, 10 min) before loading. Anti-RFP antibody was used in the concentration 0.6 µg/ml. Secondary antibody: Goat anti-Rabbit HRP-conjugated IgG.

**Note.** Upon heating of samples, red fluorescent proteins that carry DsRed-like chromophore often demonstrate partial fragmentation with a break point just before the chromophore. It leads to the presence of multiple bands on the Western blot. These bands correspond to truncated and partially truncated forms of detected proteins.

#### **Description**

Rabbit polyclonal antibody against TurboRFP, TurboFP602, TurboFP635, Katushka2S, TurboFP650, NirFP, TagBFP, TagBFP2, TagRFP, FusionRed, TagFP635, mKate2 and PA-TagRFP.

**Specificity:** The antibody was selected to recognize both denatured and native TagRFP. The antibody also recognizes TurboRFP, TurboFP602, TurboFP635, Katushka2S, TurboFP650, NirFP, TagBFP, TagBFP2, FusionRed, TagFP635, mKate2 and PA-TagRFP.

**Immunogen:** Full-length recombinant denatured and non-denatured TagRFP, full-length recombinant denatured and non-denatured TurboFP635, full-length recombinant non-denatured TagBFP and full-length recombinant non-denatured FusionRed.

**Antibody preparation:** Full-length recombinant TagRFP, TagBFP, FusionRed and TurboFP635 were purified from transformed *E. coli* using organic extraction and ion exchange chromatography. Antibodies were produced in rabbits immunized with the mixture of recombinant denatured and non-denatured TagRFP, with the mixture of recombinant denatured and non-denatured TurboFP635, with non-denatured TagBFP and with non-denatured FusionRed. Specific IgG were purified by TagRFP, TurboFP635, TagBFP and FusionRed affinity chromatography. All samples of antiserum were tested, mixed together and lyophilized.

 $\textbf{Formulation:} \ \ \, \text{Lyophilized from the PBS buffer containing 0.05\% NaN}_{3} \ \text{and 0.5\% trehalose; pH 7.4.}$ 

**Reconstitution:** Reconstitute with sterile water or 50% glycerol to a concentration of 1 mg/ml.

**Storage:** Lyophilized samples are stable for twelve months from date of receipt when stored at -20 °C. The presence of silica gel drier is advisable.

Reconstituted with sterile water, antibody can be stored at 2 - 8 °C for three months without detectable loss of activity.

Reconstituted with 50% glycerol, antibody can be stored at -20% C in a manual defrost freezer for six months without detectable loss of activity. Aliquot antibody upon reconstitution. Avoid repeated freeze / thaw cycles.

### **Recommendations for use**

The antibody can be used to recognize TurboRFP, TurboFP602, TurboFP635, Katushka2S, TurboFP650, NirFP, TagBFP, TagBFP2, TagRFP, FusionRed, TagFP635, mKate2 and PA-TagRFP proteins and their fusions. The antibody can also be used for Western blot detection of Dendra2.

### Working concentrations:

For Western blot use at a dilution of 1:1000 – 1:5000;

For ELISA use at a dilution of 1:50 000 - 1:100 000;

For immunocytochemistry use at a dilution of 1:1000 – 1:3000.

Note. Optimal dilutions/concentrations should be determined by the end user.

**Tissue (cells) fixation for immunohistochemistry:** Formaldehyde (formalin, paraform) fixation is recommended. For example, tissues can be fixed in PBS containing 4% formaldehyde for 10–15 min, treated with 0.1% saponin in PBS for 10–15 min, and washed three times in PBS.

**Sample preparation for Western blot:** To a sample containing 10–100 ng of a target protein, add an equal volume of 2X SDS-PAGE sample buffer. Heat the sample at 95 °C before loading on a gel or spotting on a membrane (for dots).