

**DATASHEET**

**IL-8 Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody**

CAT. NO. APA07134

**KEY FEATURES**

Target	IL-8	Source / Host	Rabbit
Reactivity	Human	Clonality	Polyclonal
Applications	WB, IHC, IF/ICC	Conjugation	Unconjugated
Form / Buffer	Liquid in 0.42% Potassium phosphate, 0.87% Sodium chloride, pH 7.3, 30% glycerol, and 0.01% sodium azide.		Storage at -20°C

**BACKGROUND**

Chemotactic factor that mediates inflammatory response by attracting neutrophils, basophils, and T-cells to clear pathogens and protect the host from infection . Also plays an important role in neutrophil activation . Released in response to an inflammatory stimulus, exerts its effect by binding to the G-protein-coupled receptors CXCR1 and CXCR2, primarily found in neutrophils, monocytes and endothelial cells . G-protein heterotrimer (alpha, beta, gamma subunits) constitutively binds to CXCR1/CXCR2 receptor and activation by IL8 leads to beta and gamma subunits release from Gα12 (GNAI2 in neutrophils) and activation of several downstream signaling pathways including PI3K and MAPK pathways .

**APPLICATION**

To ensure optimal assay performance, AREX recommends conducting reagent titration tailored to each testing system for optimal detection results.

WB	1:500 - 1:1000
IHC	1:50 - 1:200
IF/ICC	1:50 - 1:200

\*Results are sample-specific. Please refer to your local assay conditions and test parameters for reference.

**PRODUCT OVERVIEW**

Description	Rabbit polyclonal antibody to IL-8
Specificity	Recognizes endogenous levels of IL-8 protein.
Antibody Type	Primary antibody
Immunogen	KLH-conjugated synthetic peptide encompassing a sequence within the center region of human IL-8. The exact sequence is proprietary.
Purification	The antibody was purified by immunogen affinity chromatography.
Molecular Weight	Predicted: 11 kD; Observed: 8 kD
Form/Buffer	Liquid in 0.42% Potassium phosphate, 0.87% Sodium chloride, pH 7.3, 30% glycerol, and 0.01% sodium azide.
Alternative Names	CXCL8; Interleukin-8; IL-8; C-X-C motif chemokine 8; EMOCKIN; Granulocyte chemotactic protein 1; GCP-1; Monocyte-derived neutrophil chemotactic factor; MDNCF; Monocyte-derived neutrophil-activating peptide; MONAP; Neutrophil-activating protein 1; NAP-1; Protein 3-10C; T-cell chemotactic factor
Gene Symbol	IL8
Entrez Gene	3576(Human)
SwissProt	P10145(Human)

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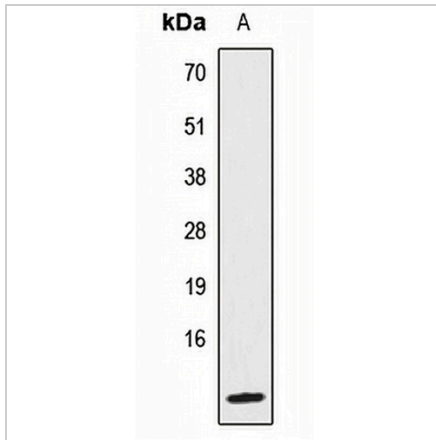
\*Clone Number, Reactivity, Source/Host and Clonality can be found in the product name and Key Features section above.

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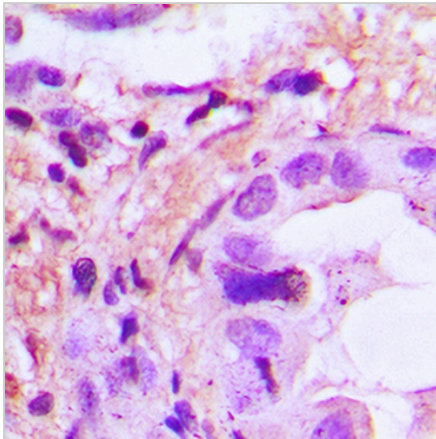
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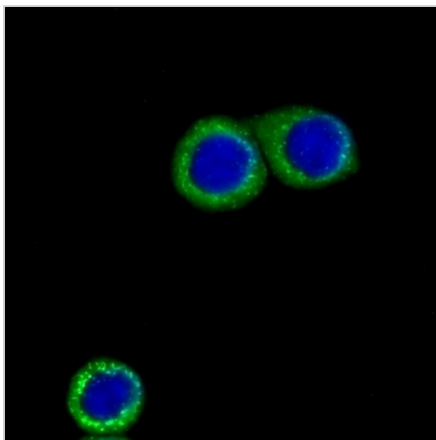
**DATA**



Western blot analysis of IL-8 expression in U87 (A) whole cell lysates. (Predicted band size: 11 kD; Observed band size: 8 kD)



Immunohistochemical analysis of IL-8 staining in human lung cancer formalin fixed paraffin embedded tissue section. The section was pre-treated using heat mediated antigen retrieval with sodium citrate buffer (pH 6.0). The section was then incubated with the antibody at room temperature and detected using an HRP conjugated compact polymer system. DAB was used as the chromogen. The section was then counterstained with haematoxylin and mounted with DPX.



Immunofluorescent analysis of IL-8 staining in U937 cells treated with TPA. Formalin-fixed cells were permeabilized with 0.1% Triton X-100 in TBS for 5-10 minutes and blocked with 3% BSA-PBS for 30 minutes at room temperature. Cells were probed with the primary antibody in 3% BSA-PBS and incubated overnight at 4 °C in a humidified chamber. Cells were washed with PBST and incubated with an AREX® Fluor 488 - conjugated secondary antibody (green) in PBS at room temperature in the dark. DAPI was used to stain the cell nuclei (blue).

**STORAGE**

Store at 4°C short term. For long term storage, store at -20°C, avoiding freeze/thaw cycles.

**NOTE**

For Research Use Only. Not for diagnostic, therapeutics, prophylactic or in vivo use.