

Polyclonal Anti-Vaccinia Virus (WR) B5R Protein, (antiserum, Rabbit)

Catalog No. NR-629

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Product Description:

Antiserum to the B5R membrane glycoprotein of the Western Reserve (WR) strain of vaccinia virus was produced by immunization of rabbits with a recombinant form of the B5R protein.¹⁻³ Recombinant B5R is available as BEI Resources NR-546 and NR-2624.

Material Provided:

Each vial contains approximately 0.2 mL of rabbit polyclonal antiserum to the B5R protein of the Western Reserve (WR) strain of vaccinia virus.

Packaging/Storage:

NR-629 was packaged aseptically in screw-capped plastic cryovials. The product is provided frozen and should be stored at -20°C or colder immediately upon arrival.

Functional Activity:

NR-629 is specific to the B5R protein of vaccinia virus (WR) as determined by Western blot analysis and ELISA.

Citation:

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Biosafety Level: 1

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