

## Degenerative Spermatoocyte Homolog 2 (DEGS2). Rabbit Antigen Immunoaffinity Purified Polyclonal , Human

DEGS2; Sphingolipid delta(4)-desaturase/C4-hydroxylase DES2

### BACKGROUND

Bifunctional enzyme which acts as both a sphingolipid delta(4)-desaturase and a sphingolipid C4-hydroxylase. Up-regulated during keratinocyte differentiation. Not expressed at day 0 or day 3 after differentiation, detected on day 6 and increases by day 9. Belongs to the fatty acid desaturase family. DEGS subfamily. Highly expressed in skin, intestine and kidney.

### ORDERING INFORMATION

**CATALOG NUMBER**  
X2356P

**SIZE**  
10 Miniblots

**FORM**  
Affinity Purified

**HOST/CLONE**  
Rabbit

**FORMULATION**  
Provided as solution in phosphate buffered saline with 0.08% sodium azide

**CONCENTRATION**  
Lot specific, see vial

**ISOTYPE**

**APPLICATIONS**  
Western blot

### IMMUNOGEN

Synthetic peptide derived from human DEGS2 protein.

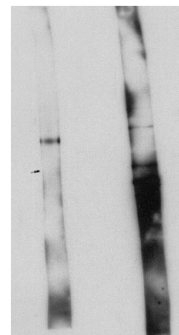
### SPECIES REACTIVITY

Human

Legend: Western blot using antigen immunoaffinity purified andt DEGS2 antibody (Cat. No. X2356P) on human kidney cell lysate. Lysate used at 15 µg/ lane. Antibody used at 1:400 dilution. Secondary antibody, mouse anti-rabbit HRP (Cat. No. X1207M), used at 1:50k dilution. Visualized using Pierce West Femto substrate system. Exposure for 5 minutes

Anti-DEGS2 X2356P (2.5 ug/ml)	+	+
Blocking Peptide	+	-

98-  
62-  
49-  
38-  
  
17-



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**POSITIVE CONTROL/TISSUE EXPRESSION**

Highly expressed in skin, intestine and kidney.

**COMMENTS**

Antibody can be used for Western blotting (1:400 starting dilution). Optimal concentration should be evaluated by serial dilutions.

**SHIP CONDITIONS**

Ship on gel ice, store at -20°C immediately upon arrival

**STORAGE CUSTOMER**

Product should be stored at -20°C. Aliquot to avoid freeze/thaw cycles

**STABILITY**

Products are stable for one year from purchase when stored properly

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