ImmunoBioScience Corp. (IBSC) *DATA SHEET*

Insulin, Polyclonal rabbit-anti-human

**Catalog number:** RP-4012-01 0.5 ml Concentrated IgG 2.0 mg/ml

RP-4012-02 1.0 ml Concentrated IgG 2.0mg/ml

RP-4012-04 7.0 ml Prediluted for IHC IgG ~ 8µg/ml

**Buffer** Total IgG purified by Protein A column is supplied with 1% BSA in PBS with 0.05% azide, pH 7.4. The Prediluted antibody is supplied in our Universal antibody dilution buffer (AR-6526) green in color.

**Description**: Insulin is a 51 amino acids peptide hormone MW 5808 Da. It is produced by beta cells of the islets of Langerhans in the pancreas. Insulin enhances membrane transport of glucose, amino acids and certain ions. It promotes glycogen storage, formation of triglycerides and synthesis of proteins and nucleic acids. Lack of insulin causes diabetes mellitus. *Insulin is also present in tumors of B cell origin such as insulinoma.*

**Intended Use**: Immunohistochemistry (IHC) and Immunocytchemistry (ICC)

**Storage**: 2-8°C

**Epitope:** not known

**Molecular weight of antigen:** 5808 Da

**Immunogen:** .Purified human insulin conjugated to carrier protein

**Species reactivity:** Human, porcine, others not tested.

**Cellular Localization:** Cytoplasmic Immunohistochemistry (IHC) 1:50-1:200 using polymer system or streptavidin-biotin system. Formalin-fixed paraffin-embedded (FFPE) tissue sections and cell smears

**Recommended positive control:** Human pancreas.

**Application:** IHC, ICC (frozen or formalin–fixed paraffin-embedded (FFPE) tissue sections, cell smears)

For IHC dilute conc. antibodies 1:50-1:100, use streptavidin~biotin system or polymer system, incubate 30 minutes at room temperature.

Prediluted antibody is ready to be used for IHC.

The optimum dilution should be determined by the individual lab.

**General References**

1. Heitz, PU et.al. Human Pathol. 13: 263, 1983
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4. Zhang, Q et.al. Nat. Cell Biol. 9: 453-460, 2007

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