

# Anti-Active+Pro Caspase-9 Antibody

## R1308-12



<b>Product Type:</b>	Rabbit polyclonal IgG, primary antibodies
<b>Species reactivity:</b>	Human
<b>Applications:</b>	WB, IHC-P
<b>Molecular Wt:</b>	Predicted band size: 46 kDa

**Description:** Caspase-9 (ICE-LAP6, Mch6) is an important member of the cysteine aspartic acid protease (caspase) family. It is known to be involved in the activation cascade of caspases responsible for apoptosis execution. Upon apoptotic stimulation, cytochrome c released from mitochondria associates with the 47 kDa procaspase-9/Apaf 1. Apaf-1 mediated activation of caspase-9 involves intrinsic proteolytic processing resulting in cleavage at Asp315 and producing a p35 subunit. Another cleavage occurs at Asp330 producing a p37 subunit that can serve to amplify the apoptotic response. Cleaved caspase-9 further processes other caspase members, including caspase-3 and caspase-7, to initiate a caspase cascade, which leads to apoptosis.

**Immunogen:** Synthetic peptide within human Caspase-9 aa 299-313/416.

**Positive control:** Hela cell lysate, human lung carcinoma tissue.

**Subcellular location:** Cytoplasm.

**Database links:** SwissProt: P55211 Human

**Recommended Dilutions:**

<b>WB</b>	1:1,000- 1:2,000
<b>IHC-P</b>	1:200

**Storage Buffer:** 1\*PBS (pH7.4), 0.2% BSA, 40% Glycerol. Preservative: 0.05% Sodium Azide.

**Storage Instruction:** Store at +4°C after thawing. Aliquot store at -20°C or -80°C. Avoid repeated freeze / thaw cycles.

**Purity:** Immunogen affinity purified.

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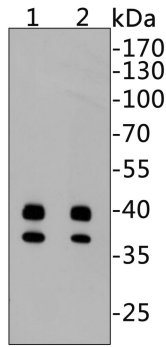
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**Fig1:** Western blot analysis on HeLa cell lysates using anti-Caspase-9 rabbit polyclonal antibodies with Dilution at 1/500 (1) and 1/1,000 (2).

**Fig2:** Western blot analysis of Active+Pro Caspase-9 on different lysates with Rabbit anti-Active+Pro Caspase-9 antibody (R1308-12) at 1/1,000 dilution.

Lane 1: HeLa-si NT cell lysate

Lane 2: HeLa-si Caspase-9 cell lysate

Lysates/proteins at 10 µg/Lane.

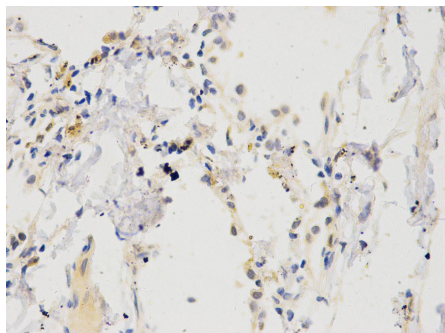
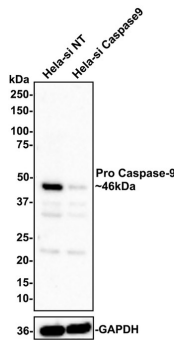
Predicted band size: 46 kDa

Observed band size: 46 kDa

Exposure time: 5 minutes;

4-20% SDS-PAGE gel.

R1308-12 was shown to specifically react with Active+Pro Caspase-9 in HeLa-si NT cells. Weakened band was observed when HeLa-si Active+Pro Caspase-9 sample was tested. HeLa-si NT and HeLa-si Active+Pro Caspase-9 samples were subjected to SDS-PAGE. Proteins were transferred to a PVDF membrane and blocked with 5% NFDM in TBST for 1 hour at room temperature. The primary antibody (R1308-12, 1/1,000) and Loading control antibody (Rabbit anti-GAPDH, ET1601-4, 1/10,000) were used in 5% BSA at room temperature for 2 hours. Goat Anti-rabbit IgG-HRP Secondary Antibody (HA1001) at 1:100,000 dilution was used for 1 hour at room temperature.



**Fig3:** Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded human lung carcinoma tissue using anti-Caspase-9 rabbit polyclonal antibody.

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### Background References

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