

# **Anti-Estrogen Receptor α (C-terminus) Antibody**

Catalog # AN1787

## **Specification**

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Application WB, IHC
Primary Accession P03372
Reactivity Bovine
Host Rabbit

Clonality Rabbit Polyclonal

Isotype IgG
Calculated MW 66216

#### Anti-Estrogen Receptor α (C-terminus) Antibody - Additional Information

Gene ID **2099** 

**Other Names** 

ESR, ESR1, ESRA, Estradiol receptor, Eralpha, ER

#### **Target/Specificity**

Estrogen receptor  $\alpha$  (ER $\alpha$ ) is a member of the steroid receptor superfamily and its structure includes an N-terminal ligand-independent transactivation domain (AF-1), a highly conserved DNA binding domain, and a C-terminal ligand-dependent transactivation domain (AF-2). AF-1 and AF-2 activate transcription independently and synergistically, and act in a promoter- and cell-specific manner. Phosphorylation at multiple sites provides an important mechanism to regulate ER $\alpha$  activity. Ser-104, Ser-106, Ser-118, and Ser-167 are located in the amino-terminal transcription activation function domain AF-1, and phosphorylation of these serine residues plays an important role in regulating ER $\alpha$  activity. In addition to these sites, phosphorylation of Tyr-537 has been implicated in maximal hormone binding, dimerization, and transcriptional activity. Tyr-537, located in the AF-2 domain, is phosphorylated by c-Src leading to nuclear export of ER $\alpha$  and degradation. Thus, a variety of phosphorylation events control ER $\alpha$  activity.

# **Dilution**

WB~~1:1000 IHC~~1:100~500

#### **Storage**

Maintain refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 6 months. For long term storage store at -20°C in small aliquots to prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

#### **Precautions**

Anti-Estrogen Receptor  $\alpha$  (C-terminus) Antibody is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

### **Shipping**

Blue Ice

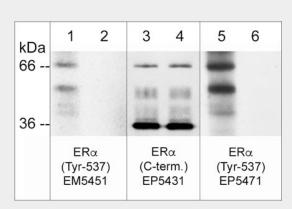
### **Anti-Estrogen Receptor α (C-terminus) Antibody - Protocols**



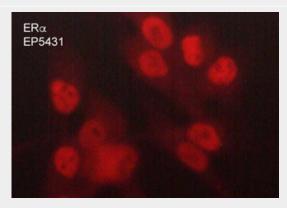
Provided below are standard protocols that you may find useful for product applications.

- Western Blot
- Blocking Peptides
- Dot Blot
- <u>Immunohistochemistry</u>
- Immunofluorescence
- Immunoprecipitation
- Flow Cytomety
- Cell Culture

## Anti-Estrogen Receptor α (C-terminus) Antibody - Images



Western blot image of human MCF-7 cells treated with pervanadate (1 mM) for 30 min. (lanes 1-6). Some lanes of the blot were then treated with alkaline phosphatase (lanes 2, 4, & 6). The blot was probed with mouse monoclonal anti-ER $\alpha$  (Tyr-537) phospho-specific (lanes 1 & 2), rabbit polyclonal anti-ER $\alpha$  (C-terminus) (lanes 3 & 4), and rabbit polyclonal anti-ER $\alpha$  (Tyr-537) phospho-specific (lanes 5 & 6).



Immunocytochemical labeling of Estrogen Receptor  $\alpha$  in paraformaldehyde fixed and NP-40 permeabilized MDA-MB-231 cells. The cells were labeled with rabbit polyclonal anti-Estrogen Receptor  $\alpha$  (EP5431). The antibody was detected using goat anti-rabbit DyLight® 594.

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