

## Anti-TGFalpha [tAb2] Standard Size Ab00614-23.0

This chimeric rabbit antibody was made using the variable domain sequences of the original Mouse IgG1 format, for improved compatibility with existing reagents, assays and techniques.

**Isotype and Format:** Rabbit IgG, Kappa

**Clone Number:** tAb2

**Alternative Name(s) of Target:** TGFA, Transforming growth factor A

**UniProt Accession Number of Target Protein:** P01135

**Published Application(s):** dotblot, ITC, XRC, ELISA

**Published Species Reactivity:** Human

**Immunogen:** Biologically active hemocyanin-coupled human TGFalpha.

**Specificity:** tAb2 binds the N-terminal sequence of transforming growth factor alpha, VVSHFND (with residues 4 to 7 being the minimal binding epitope).

**Application Notes:** Human transforming growth factor alpha (TGFA) consists of 50 amino acid residues with three disulphide bridges. It belongs to the family of epidermal growth factor related peptides and binds to EGFreceptor. It is involved in cell proliferation in healthy cells and is found in various cancer cells. Transfection of Fibroblasts with the TGFA gene induces tumor formation.

**Antibody First Published in:** Hoeprich PD Jr Identification of Immunodominant Regions of Transforming Growth Factor alpha J Biol Chem. 1989 Nov 15;264(32):19086-91.2478554 [PMID:](#)

**Note on publication:** Describes the generation of various anti-TGFalpha antibodies and characterisation of their epitopes and binding affinities.

## Product Form

**Size:** 200 µg Purified antibody.

**Purification:** Protein A affinity purified

**Supplied In:** PBS with 0.02% Proclin 300.

**Storage Recommendation:** Store at 4°C for up to 3 months. For longer storage, aliquot and store at -20°C.

**Concentration:** 1 mg/ml.

Important note – This product is for research use only. It is not intended for use in therapeutic or diagnostic procedures for humans or animals.