# PRODUCT INFORMATION



### YTHDF2 Polyclonal Antibody

Item No. 27910

### **Overview and Properties**

Contents: This vial contains 500 µg of protein A-purified polyclonal antibody.

Synonyms: CLL-associated Antigen KW-14, HGRG8, High-glucose-regulated Protein 8,

Renal Carcinoma Antigen NY-REN-2, YTH Domain-containing Family Protein 2

Immunogen: Full-length recombinant human YTHDF2 protein

Species Reactivity: (+) Human; other species not tested

Q9Y5A9 **Uniprot No.:** Form: Liquid

-20°C (as supplied) Storage:

Stability: ≥3 years

Storage Buffer: PBS, pH 7.2, with 50% glycerol and 0.02% sodium azide

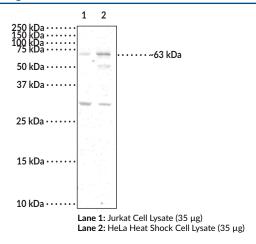
Rabbit Host:

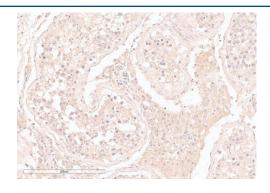
Applications: Immunofluorescence (IF), immunohistochemistry (IHC), and Western blot (WB); the

> recommended starting dilution for IF is 1:100 and 1:200 for IHC and WB. Other applications were not tested, therefore optimal working concentration/dilution should

be determined empirically.

#### **Images**





Immunohistochemistry analysis of formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded (FFPE) human testis tissue after heat induced antigen retrieval in pH 6.0 citrate buffer. After incubation with YTHDF2 polyclonal antibody (Item No. 27910), at a 1:200 dilution, slides were incubated with biotinylated secondary antibody, followed by alkaline phosphatase-streptavidin and chromogen (DAB).

WARNING
THIS PRODUCT IS FOR RESEARCH ONLY - NOT FOR HUMAN OR VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC USE.

This material should be considered hazardous until further information becomes available. Do not ingest, inhale, get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Before use, the user must review the complete Safety Data Sheet, which has been sent via email to your institution.

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#### Description

YTH-Domain family member 2 (YTHDF2) is a reader protein that binds to N<sup>6</sup>-methyladenosine (m<sup>6</sup>A) to regulate mRNA degradation.<sup>1,2</sup> YTHDF2 binds to m<sup>6</sup>A sites in the 3'-UTR of mRNA through its C-terminal YTH domain and recruits the CCR4-NOT deadenylase complex *via* its N-terminus to accelerate mRNA localization to decay sites, such as P-bodies, and promote subsequent degradation.<sup>1-3</sup> Ythdf2 knockout results in a build-up of maternal mRNA in oocytes that induces female-specific infertility in mice.<sup>4</sup> Conditional knockout of Ythdf2 increases the number of hematopoietic stem cells (HSCs) without shifting lineage differentiation or inducing malignancies.<sup>5</sup> It also increases *ex vivo* expansion of human umbilical cord HSCs. Cayman's YTHDF2 Polyclonal Antibody can be used for immunofluorescence, immunohistochemistry, and Western blot applications. The antibody recognizes YTHDF2 at 63 kDa from human samples.

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