# PRODUCT INFORMATION



# Methylated Lysine Polyclonal Antibody

Item No. 31686

## **Overview and Properties**

Contents: This vial contains 100 µg of protein A-affinity purified polyclonal antibody.

Immunogen:

**Cross Reactivity:** (+) Mono- and di-methylated lysine residues in multiple species (cross-reactivity with

tri-methyl lysine has not been tested); (-) Acetylated lysine

Form: Liquid

Storage: -20°C (as supplied)

Stability: ≥1 year

Storage Buffer: PBS with 50% glycerol

Concentration: 1 mg/ml Rabbit Host: **IgG** Isotype:

Applications: ELISA, immunohistochemistry (IHC), immunoprecipitation (IP), and Western blot (WB);

> the recommended starting dilution for WB is (1:2,000-1:5,000). ELISA, IHC, IP and other applications were not tested, therefore optimal working concentration/dilution

should be determined empirically.

### Description

Post-translational modifications of proteins play critical roles in the regulation and function of many known biological processes. Proteins can be post-translationally modified in many different ways, and a common post-transcriptional modification of lysine involves methylation. Lysine can be methylated once, twice, or three times by lysine methyltransferases. The transfer of methyl groups from S-adenosyl methionine to histones is catalyzed by enzymes known as histone methyltransferases. Histones which are methylated on certain residues can act epigenetically to repress or activate gene expression.<sup>1,2</sup>

#### References

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WARNING
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