

**Alexa488-labeled Antibody to Nerve Growth Factor (p75) Receptor, Affinity-Purified  
RABBIT POLYCLONAL**

**Catalog Number:** AB-N01AP-FLA  
**Quantity:** 50 micrograms  
**Format:** 50% PBS (0.14 M Sodium Chloride; 0.003 M Potassium Chloride; 0.002 M Potassium Phosphate; 0.01 M Sodium Phosphate; pH 7.4), 50% glycerol; no preservative.  
**Host:** Rabbit  
**Immunogen:** extracellular fragment from the mouse p75 receptor (amino acids 43-161)

**Background:** The p75 neurotrophin receptor (p75<sup>NTR</sup>), also known as the low affinity nerve growth factor receptor, binds nerve growth factor, brain-derived neurotrophic factor, neurotrophin-3 and neurotrophin-4 with varying specificities. The p75<sup>NTR</sup> plays an important role in neurotrophic factor signaling and has been shown to modulate the susceptibility of selective cellular populations to programmed cell death.

**Specificity & Preparation:** This antibody recognizes p75<sup>NTR</sup> in mouse. The antisera was developed in rabbit using an extracellular fragment from the mouse p75 receptor (amino acids 43-161). The antibody was affinity-purified using the extracellular domain of p75. It has been conjugated to the fluorescent dye Alexa488. The antibody is routinely tested by flow cytometry.

**Usage:** Applications include immunohistochemistry (paraffin sections; 1:100)<sup>1</sup> and flow cytometry (ATS in-house; 1:1,000).<sup>2</sup>

**Storage:** Store the antibody at -20°C for up to one year. Gently spin down material 5-10 seconds in a microfuge before use. The material can be handled safely using normal laboratory precautions.

**Selected References:**

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