

**Rat IgG F(ab')<sub>2</sub> Rabbit Polyclonal**  
ATS-SELECT SECONDARY ANTIBODY

**Catalog Number:** AS-123  
**Quantity:** 50 milligrams  
**Format:** IgG, Lyophilized  
**Host:** Rabbit  
**Immunogen:** Rat IgG F(ab')<sub>2</sub> fragment

**Background:** Anti-Rat IgG F(ab')<sub>2</sub> Antibody generated in rabbit recognizes the dimeric Fab portion of the rat IgG molecule. Rat IgG F(ab')<sub>2</sub> is a proteolytic fragment of immunoglobulin G (IgG) obtained by limited digestion with the enzyme pepsin under controlled conditions of temperature, time and pH. F(ab')<sub>2</sub> molecules lack the Fc portion of IgG and therefore receptors that bind rat IgG F(c) will not bind rat IgG F(ab')<sub>2</sub> molecules. Secondary Antibodies are available in a variety of formats and conjugate types. When choosing a secondary antibody product, consideration must be given to species and immunoglobulin specificity, conjugate type, fragment and chain specificity, level of cross-reactivity, and host-species source and fragment composition.

**Specificity & Preparation:** This product is an IgG fraction antibody purified from monospecific antiserum by a multi-step process which includes delipidation, salt fractionation and ion exchange chromatography followed by extensive dialysis against the buffer stated above. Assay by immunoelectrophoresis resulted in a single precipitin arc against anti-Rabbit Serum, Rat IgG, Rat IgG F(ab')<sub>2</sub> and Rat Serum. No reaction was observed against Rat IgG F(c).

**Usage:** Anti-Rat IgG F(ab')<sub>2</sub> antibody is suitable for use in ELISA, immunohistochemistry, and western blot. Specific conditions for reactivity should be optimized by the end user.

ELISA 1:20,000 - 1:100,000

Immunohistochemistry 1:1,000 - 1:5,000

Western Blot 1:2,000 - 1:10,000

Working dilutions must be determined by end user.

**Storage:** Restore with deionized water (or equivalent), 5.0 mL. Store vial at 4° C prior to restoration. For extended storage aliquot contents and freeze at -20° C or below. Avoid cycles of freezing and thawing. Centrifuge product if not completely clear after standing at room temperature. This product is stable for several weeks at 4° C as an undiluted liquid. Dilute only prior to immediate use. Expiration date is one (1) year from date of receipt.

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