# **PTAFR Polyclonal Antibody**

Catalog Number: E-AB-16022



Note: Centrifuge before opening to ensure complete recovery of vial contents.

## **Description**

**Reactivity** Human

**Immunogen** Synthetic peptide of human PTAFR

Host Rabbit
Isotype IgG

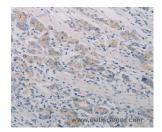
Purification Affinity purification
Conjugation Unconjugated

**Formulation** PBS with 0.05% sodium azide and 50% glycerol, PH7.4

**Applications Recommended Dilution** 

**IHC** 1:25-1:100

## Data



Immunohistochemistry of paraffin-embedded Human gasrtic cancer tissue using PTAFR Polyclonal
Antibody at dilution 1:70

# **Preparation & Storage**

**Storage** Store at -20°C. Avoid freeze / thaw cycles.

# **Background**

This gene encodes a seven-transmembrane G-protein-coupled receptor for platelet-activating factor (PAF) that localizes to lipid rafts and/or caveolae in the cell membrane. PAF (1-0-alkyl-2-acetyl-sn-glycero-3-phosphorylcholine) is a phospholipid that plays a significant role in oncogenic transformation, tumor growth, angiogenesis, metastasis, and proinflammatory processes. Binding of PAF to the PAF-receptor (PAFR) stimulates numerous signal transduction pathways including phospholipase C, D, A2, mitogen-activated protein kinases (MAPKs), and the phosphatidylinositol-calcium second messenger system. Following PAFR activation, cells become rapidly desensitized and this refractory state is dependent on PAFR phosphorylation, internalization, and down-regulation. Alternative splicing results in multiple transcript variants.

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