

## A new tool to measure pyroptosis: Gasdermin D (mouse) ELISA kit

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## Introduction

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Pyroptosis is an inflammatory programmed cell death that is initiated in response to pathogen- or host-derived perturbations of the cytosol. Pyroptosis is induced by inflammatory caspases, such as caspase-1 and -11 in mice that are activated by a high molecular weight complex, called inflammasomes. Gasdermin D (GSDMD) is the central mediator of pyroptotic cell death downstream of both caspase-1 and caspase-11. GSDMD is cleaved by these caspases into a 31 kDa N-terminal fragment (GSDMD<sup>Nterm</sup>) that forms pores into the plasma membrane and a 22 kDa C-terminal fragment (GSDMD<sup>Cterm</sup>). We present here the data obtained with a new Gasdermin D (mouse) ELISA kit based on antibodies developed against the C-terminal fragment of Gasdermin D (mouse).

## Results







## Conclusions

1) New antibodies to Gasdermin D (mouse) (C-ter) have been developed. They detect Gasdermin D (mouse) full-length and cleaved C-terminus fragment by WB.

2) Antibodies are specific as validated by using Gasdermin D -/- or Asc -/- extracts by Western blotting (WB).

3) Using the antibodies to Gasdermin D (mouse) (C-ter), a new ELISA Kit has been developed to detect secreted Gasdermin D (mouse) in cell culture supernatants.

4) Gasdermin D (mouse) ELISA kit detects specifically Gasdermin D as validated by using supernatants from Gasdermin D -/- or Caspase 11 -/- samples.