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Product datasheet

Anti-MEK4/MKK4 antibody [EP615Y] ab33912





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Overview

Product name Anti-MEK4/MKK4 antibody [EP615Y]

Description Rabbit monoclonal [EP615Y] to MEK4/MKK4

Host species Rabbit

Tested applications Suitable for: WB

Unsuitable for: ICC/IF

Species reactivity Reacts with: Mouse, Rat, Human

Immunogen Synthetic peptide within Human MEK4/MKK4 (C terminal). The exact sequence is proprietary.

Database link: P45985

Positive control WB: NIH/3T3 and HeLa whole cell lysates. Rat brain tissue lysate.

General notes This product is a recombinant monoclonal antibody, which offers several advantages including:

- High batch-to-batch consistency and reproducibility

- Improved sensitivity and specificity - Long-term security of supply - Animal-free production For more information see here.

Our RabMAb® technology is a patented hybridoma-based technology for making rabbit monoclonal antibodies. For details on our patents, please refer to **RabMAb**® **patents**.

Properties

Form Liquid

Storage instructions Shipped at 4°C. Store at +4°C short term (1-2 weeks). Upon delivery aliquot. Store at -20°C long

term. Avoid freeze / thaw cycle.

Storage buffer pH: 7.20

Preservative: 0.01% Sodium azide

Constituents: 59% PBS, 40% Glycerol (glycerin, glycerine), 0.05% BSA

Purity Protein A purified

Purification notes ab33912 is a purified lgG.

Clonality Monoclonal

Clone number EP615Y

Isotype IgG

Applications

The Abpromise guarantee

Our **Abpromise guarantee** covers the use of ab33912 in the following tested applications.

The application notes include recommended starting dilutions; optimal dilutions/concentrations should be determined by the end user.

| Application | Abreviews | Notes |
|-------------|------------------|---|
| WB | ★★★☆☆ (1) | 1/1000. Predicted molecular weight: 44 kDa. |

Application notes Is unsuitable for ICC/IF.

Target

Function Dual specificity kinase that activates the JUN kinases MAPK8 (JNK1) and MAPK9 (JNK2) as

well as MAPK14 (p38) but not MAPK1 (ERK2) or MAPK3 (ERK1).

Tissue specificity Abundant expression is seen in the skeletal muscle. It is also widely expressed in other tissues.

Sequence similarities Belongs to the protein kinase superfamily. STE Ser/Thr protein kinase family. MAP kinase kinase

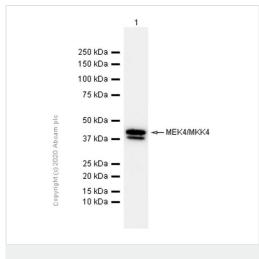
subfamily.

Contains 1 protein kinase domain.

Post-translational modifications

Activated by phosphorylation on Ser/Thr by MAP kinase kinase kinases.

Images



Western blot - Anti-MEK4/MKK4 antibody [EP615Y] (ab33912)

(Purified) + Rat brain lysate at 15 μg

Anti-MEK4/MKK4 antibody [EP615Y] (ab33912) at 1/1000 dilution

Secondary

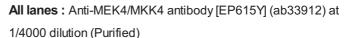
Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (HRP) (ab97051) at 1/20000 dilution

Predicted band size: 44 kDa **Observed band size:** 44 kDa

Blocking buffer: 5% NFDM/TBST



Western blot - Anti-MEK4/MKK4 antibody [EP615Y] (ab33912)



Lane 1 : NIH/3T3 (Mouse embryonic fibroblast) whole cell lysate

Lane 2 : HeLa (Human cervix adenocarcinoma epithelial cell)

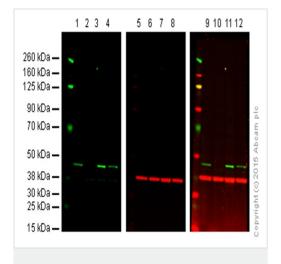
whole cell lysate

Lysates/proteins at 15 µg per lane.

Secondary

All lanes : Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (HRP) (<u>ab97051</u>) at 1/20000 dilution

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Western blot - Anti-MEK4/MKK4 antibody [EP615Y] (ab33912)

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Lanes 1, 5 and 9: Wild-type HAP1 cell lysate (20 µg)

Lanes 2, 6 and 10: MEK4 knockout HAP1 cell lysate (20 µg)

Lanes 3, 7 and 11: HeLa cell lysate (20 µg)

Lanes 4, 8 and 12: A431 cell lysate (20 µg)

Lanes 1, 2, 3 and 4: Green signal from target - ab33912 observed at 44 kDa

Lanes 5, 6, 7 and 8: Red signal from loading control - <u>ab8245</u> observed at 37 kDa

Lanes 9, 10, 11 and 12: Merged (red and green) signal

ab33912 was shown to specifically react with MEK4 when MEK4 knockout samples were used. Wild-type and MEK4 knockout samples were subjected to SDS-PAGE. ab33912 and <u>ab8245</u> (loading control to GAPDH) were diluted 1/1000 and 1/2000 respectively and incubated overnight at 4°C. Blots were developed with Goat anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (IRDye[®] 800CW) preadsorbed (<u>ab216773</u>) and Goat anti-Mouse IgG H&L (IRDye[®] 680RD) preadsorbed (<u>ab216776</u>) secondary antibodies at 1/10 000 dilution for 1 h at room temperature before imaging.

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