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Product datasheet

Recombinant Human MEF2C protein ab114241

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Description

Product name Recombinant Human MEF2C protein

Expression system Wheat germ
Accession Q06413

Protein length Full length protein

Animal free No

Nature Recombinant

Species Human

Sequence MGRKKIQITRIMDERNRQVTFTKRKFGLMKKAYELSVLCDC

EIALIIFNS TNKLFQYASTDMDKVLLKYTEYNEQ

HESRTNSDIVETLRKKGLNGCDS

PDPDADDSVGHSPESEDKYRKINEDIDLMISRQRLCAVPP

PNFEMPVSIP VS

SHNSLVYSNPVSSLGNPNLLPLAHPSLQRNSMSPGVTHR PPSAGNT GGLMGGDLTSGAGTSAGNGYGNPRNSPGL

LVSPGNLNKNMQAKSPPPM

NLGMNNRKPDLRVLIPPGSKNTMPSVSEDVDLLLNQRINN

SQSAQSLATP VVSVAT

PTLPGQGMGGYPSAISTTYGTEYSLSSADLSSLSGFNTAS AL HLGSVTGWQQQHLHNMQPSALSQLGACTSTHLS

QSSNLSLPSTQSLNI

KSEPVSPPRDRTTTPSRYPQHTRHEAGRSPVDSLSSCSS

SYDGSDREDHR NEFHSPIGLT RPSPDERESPSVKRMRLSE

Predicted molecular weight 78 kDa including tags

Amino acids 1 to 469

Specifications

Our Abpromise quarantee covers the use of ab114241 in the following tested applications.

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

Applications ELISA

SDS-PAGE

Western blot

Form

Liquid

Additional notes

Preparation and Storage

Stability and Storage

Shipped on dry ice. Upon delivery aliquot and store at -80°C. Avoid freeze / thaw cycles.

pH: 8.00

Constituents: 0.3% Glutathione, 0.79% Tris HCI

General Info

Function

Transcription activator which binds specifically to the MEF2 element present in the regulatory regions of many muscle-specific genes. Controls cardiac morphogenesis and myogenesis, and is also involved in vascular development. Plays an essential role in hippocampal-dependent learning and memory by suppressing the number of excitatory synapses and thus regulating basal and evoked synaptic transmission. Crucial for normal neuronal development, distribution, and electrical activity in the neocortex. Necessary for proper development of megakaryocytes and platelets and for bone marrow B lymphopoiesis. Required for B-cell survival and proliferation in response to BCR stimulation, efficient lgG1 antibody responses to T-cell-dependent antigens and for normal induction of germinal center B cells. May also be involved in neurogenesis and in the development of cortical architecture (By similarity). Isoform 3 and isoform 4, which lack the repressor domain, are more active than isoform 1 and isoform 2.

Tissue specificity

Expressed in brain and skeletal muscle.

Involvement in disease

Defects in MEF2C are the cause of mental retardation-stereotypic movements-epilepsy and/or cerebral malformations (MRSME) [MIM:613443]. It is a disorder characterized by severe mental retardation, absent speech, hypotonia, poor eye contact and stereotypic movements. Dysmorphic features include high broad forehead with variable small chin, short nose with anteverted nares, large open mouth, upslanted palpebral fissures and prominent eyebrows. Some patients have seizures.

Sequence similarities

Belongs to the MEF2 family. Contains 1 MADS-box domain.

Contains 1 Mef2-type DNA-binding domain.

Developmental stage

Expression is highest during the early stages of postnatal development, at later stages levels greatly decrease.

Domain

The beta domain, missing in a number of isoforms, is required for enhancement of transcriptional activity.

Post-translational modifications

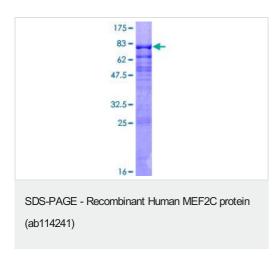
Phosphorylation on Ser-59 enhances DNA binding activity (By similarity). Phosphorylation on Ser-396 is required for Lys-391 sumoylation and inhibits transcriptional activity.

Acetylated by p300 on several sites in diffentiating myocytes. Acetylation on Lys-4 increases DNA binding and transactivation.

Sumoylated on Lys-391 by SUMO2 but not by SUMO1 represses transcriptional activity. Proteolytically cleaved in cerebellar granule neurons, probably by caspase 7, following neurotoxicity. Preferentially cleaves the CDK5-mediated hyperphosphorylated form which leads to

neuron apoptosis and transcriptional inactivation.

Images



12.5% SDS-PAGE showing ab114241 at approximately 77.66kDa stained with Coomassie Blue.

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