Product datasheet

Anti-Telomerase reverse transcriptase antibody [Y182]
ab32020

Overview

Product name: Anti-Telomerase reverse transcriptase antibody [Y182]
Description: Rabbit monoclonal [Y182] to Telomerase reverse transcriptase
Host species: Rabbit
Tested applications: Suitable for: WB, Flow Cyt, IP, IHC-P, IHC-Fr
Unsuitable for: ICC/IF
Species reactivity: Reacts with: Cow, Human
Immunogen: Synthetic peptide within Human Telomerase reverse transcriptase aa 1100-1200 (C terminal).
The exact sequence is proprietary.
General notes: Mouse: We have preliminary internal testing data to indicate this antibody may not react with this species. Please contact us for more information.

Our RabMab® technology is a patented hybridoma-based technology for making rabbit monoclonal antibodies. For details on our patents, please refer to RabMab® patents
This product is a recombinant rabbit monoclonal antibody.

Properties

Form: Liquid
Storage instructions: Shipped at 4°C. Upon delivery aliquot and store at -20°C. Avoid freeze / thaw cycles.
Storage buffer: pH: 7.20
Preservative: 0.01% Sodium azide
Constituents: 49% PBS, 50% Glycerol, 0.05% BSA
Purification notes: Cells supernatant
Clonality: Monoclonal
Clone number: Y182
Isotype: IgG
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Target

Function
Telomerase is a ribonucleoprotein enzyme essential for the replication of chromosome termini in most eukaryotes. Active in progenitor and cancer cells. Inactive, or very low activity, in normal somatic cells. Catalytic component of the telomerase holoenzyme complex whose main activity is the elongation of telomeres by acting as a reverse transcriptase that adds simple sequence repeats to chromosome ends by copying a template sequence within the RNA component of the enzyme. Catalyzes the RNA-dependent extension of 3'-chromosomal termini with the 6-nucleotide telomeric repeat unit, 5'-TTAGGG-3'. The catalytic cycle involves primer binding, primer extension and release of product once the template boundary has been reached or nascent product translocation followed by further extension. More active on substrates containing 2 or 3 telomeric repeats. Telomerase activity is regulated by a number of factors including telomerase complex-associated proteins, chaperones and polypeptide modifiers. Modulates Wnt signaling. Plays important roles in aging and antiapoptosis.

Tissue specificity
Expressed at a high level in thymocyte subpopulations, at an intermediate level in tonsil T lymphocytes, and at a low to undetectable level in peripheral blood T lymphocytes.

Involvement in disease
Note=Activation of telomerase has been implicated in cell immortalization and cancer cell pathogenesis.
Defects in TERT are associated with susceptibility to aplastic anemia (AA) [MIM:609135]. AA is a rare disease in which the reduction of the circulating blood cells results from damage to the stem cell pool in bone marrow. In most patients, the stem cell lesion is caused by an autoimmune attack. T-lymphocytes, activated by an endogenous or exogenous, and most often unknown antigenic stimulus, secrete cytokines, including IFN-gamma, which would in turn be able to suppress hematopoiesis.
Note=Genetic variations in TERT are associated with coronary artery disease (CAD).
Defects in TERT are a cause of dyskeratosis congenita autosomal dominant (ADDKC) [MIM:127550]; also known as dyskeratosis congenita Scoggins type. ADDKC is a rare, progressive bone marrow failure syndrome characterized by the triad of reticulated skin

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hyperpigmentation, nail dystrophy, and mucosal leukoplakia. Early mortality is often associated with bone marrow failure, infections, fatal pulmonary complications, or malignancy. Defects in TERT are a cause of susceptibility to pulmonary fibrosis idiopathic (IPF) [MIM:178500]. Pulmonary fibrosis is a lung disease characterized by shortness of breath, radiographically evident diffuse pulmonary infiltrates, and varying degrees of inflammation and fibrosis on biopsy. It results in acute lung injury with subsequent scarring and endstage lung disease.

Sequence similarities
Belongs to the reverse transcriptase family. Telomerase subfamily. Contains 1 reverse transcriptase domain.

Domain
The primer grip sequence in the RT domain is required for telomerase activity and for stable association with short telomeric primers. The RNA-interacting domain 1 (RD1)/N-terminal extension (NTE) is required for interaction with the pseudoknot-template domain of each of TERC dimers. It contains anchor sites that bind primer nucleotides upstream of the RNA-DNA hybrid and is thus an essential determinant of repeat addition processivity. The RNA-interacting domain 2 (RD2) is essential for both interaction with the CR4-CR5 domain of TERC and for DNA synthesis.

Post-translational modifications
Ubiquitinated, leading to proteasomal degradation. Phosphorylation at Tyr-707 under oxidative stress leads to translocation of TERT to the cytoplasm and reduces its antiapoptotic activity. Dephosphorylated by SHP2/PTPN11 leading to nuclear retention. Phosphorylation by the AKT pathway promotes nuclear location.

Cellular localization

Images
ab32020 staining Telomerase reverse transcriptase in human thymus tissue sections by Immunohistochemistry (IHC-P - paraformaldehyde-fixed, paraffin-embedded sections). Tissue was fixed with formaldehyde and blocked with 3% hydrogen peroxide for 10 minutes at 25°C; antigen retrieval was by heat mediation in citrate buffer pH6.0 at 100°C for 20 minutes. Samples were incubated with primary antibody (1/100) for 20 minutes at 25°C. An undiluted HRP polymer-conjugated goat anti-rabbit IgG polyclonal was used as the secondary antibody.
Anti-Telomerase reverse transcriptase antibody [Y182] (ab32020) at 1/1000 dilution + Hela cell lysate

**Predicted band size**: 127 kDa
**Observed band size**: 122 kDa

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