

## Product datasheet

# Human GK (Glycerol kinase) knockout HEK-293T cell line ab267328

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### Overview

<b>Product name</b>	Human GK (Glycerol kinase) knockout HEK-293T cell line
<b>Parental Cell Line</b>	HEK293T
<b>Organism</b>	Human
<b>Mutation description</b>	Knockout achieved by using CRISPR/Cas9, Homozygous: 1 bp insertion in exon 4
<b>Passage number</b>	<20
<b>Knockout validation</b>	Sanger Sequencing, Western Blot (WB)
<b>Tested applications</b>	<b>Suitable for:</b> WB
<b>Biosafety level</b>	2
<b>General notes</b>	<p><b>Recommended control:</b> Human wild-type HEK293T cell line (<a href="#">ab255449</a>). Please note a wild-type cell line is not automatically included with a knockout cell line order, if required please add recommended wild-type cell line at no additional cost using the code WILDTYPE-TMTK1.</p> <p><b>Cryopreservation cell medium:</b> Cell Freezing Medium-DMSO Serum free media, contains 8.7% DMSO in MEM supplemented with methyl cellulose.</p> <p><b>Culture medium:</b> DMEM (High Glucose) + 10% FBS</p> <p><b>Initial handling guidelines:</b> Upon arrival, the vial should be stored in liquid nitrogen vapor phase and not at -80°C. Storage at -80°C may result in loss of viability.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Thaw the vial in 37°C water bath for approximately 1-2 minutes.</li> <li>2. Transfer the cell suspension (0.8 mL) to a 15 mL/50 mL conical sterile polypropylene centrifuge tube containing 8.4 mL pre-warmed culture medium, wash vial with an additional 0.8 mL culture medium (total volume 10 mL) to collect remaining cells, and centrifuge at 201 x g (rcf) for 5 minutes at room temperature. 10 mL represents minimum recommended dilution. 20 mL represents maximum recommended dilution.</li> <li>3. Resuspend the cell pellet in 5 mL pre-warmed culture medium and count using a haemocytometer or alternative cell counting method. Based on cell count, seed cells in an appropriate cell culture flask at a density of <math>2 \times 10^4</math> cells/cm<sup>2</sup>. Seeding density is given as a guide only and should be scaled to align with individual lab schedules.</li> <li>4. Incubate the culture at 37°C incubator with 5% CO<sub>2</sub>. Cultures should be monitored daily.</li> </ol> <p><b>Subculture guidelines:</b></p> <p>All seeding densities should be based on cell counts gained by established methods. A guide seeding density of <math>2 \times 10^4</math> cells/cm<sup>2</sup> is recommended.</p>

A partial media change 24 hours prior to subculture may be helpful to encourage growth, if required.

Cells should be passaged when they have achieved 80-90% confluence.

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We will provide viable cells that proliferate on revival.

## Properties

Number of cells	1 x 10 <sup>6</sup> cells/vial, 1 mL
Adherent /Suspension	Adherent
Tissue	Kidney
Cell type	epithelial
STR Analysis	Amelogenin X D5S818: 8, 9 D13S317: 12, 14 D7S820: 11 D16S539: 9, 13 vWA: 16, 19 TH01: 7, 9.3 TPOX: 11 CSF1PO: 11, 12
Mycoplasma free	Yes
Storage instructions	Shipped on Dry Ice. Store in liquid nitrogen.
Storage buffer	Constituents: 8.7% Dimethylsulfoxide, 2% Cellulose, methyl ether

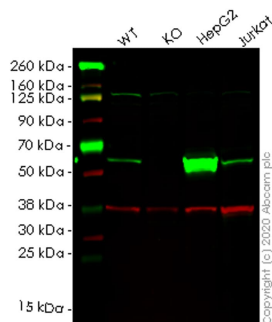
## Target

Function	Key enzyme in the regulation of glycerol uptake and metabolism.
Tissue specificity	Highly expressed in the liver, kidney and testis. Isoform 2 and isoform 3 are expressed specifically in testis and fetal liver, but not in the adult liver.
Pathway	Polyol metabolism; glycerol degradation via glycerol kinase pathway; sn-glycerol 3-phosphate from glycerol: step 1/1.
Involvement in disease	Defects in GK are the cause of GK deficiency (GKD) [MIM:307030]. This disease can be either symptomatic with episodic metabolic and CNS decompensation or asymptomatic with hyperglycerolemia and hyperglyceroluria only.
Sequence similarities	Belongs to the FGGY kinase family.
Cellular localization	Mitochondrion outer membrane. Cytoplasm. In sperm and fetal tissues, the majority of the enzyme is bound to mitochondria, but in adult tissues, such as liver found in the cytoplasm.

## Applications

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Application	Abreviews	Notes
WB		Use at an assay dependent concentration. Predicted molecular weight: 61 kDa.



Western blot - Human GK (Glycerol kinase)  
knockout HEK293T cell line (ab267328)

**All lanes** : Anti-Glycerol kinase antibody [EPR6567] ([ab126599](#)) at 1/500 dilution

**Lane 1** : Wild-type HEK-293T (Human epithelial cell line from embryonic kidney transformed with large T antigen) whole cell lysate

**Lane 2** : GK knockout HEK-293T (Human epithelial cell line from embryonic kidney transformed with large T antigen) whole cell lysate

**Lane 3** : HepG2 (Human liver hepatocellular carcinoma cell line) whole cell lysate

**Lane 4** : Jurkat (Human T cell leukemia cell line from peripheral blood) whole cell lysate

Lysates/proteins at 20 µg per lane.

### Secondary

**All lanes** : Goat anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (IRDye® 800CW) preadsorbed ([ab216773](#)) at 1/10000 dilution

**Predicted band size:** 61 kDa

**Observed band size:** 61 kDa

**Lanes 1-4:** Merged signal (red and green). Green - [ab126599](#) observed at 61 kDa. Red - loading control [ab8245](#) observed at 36 kDa.

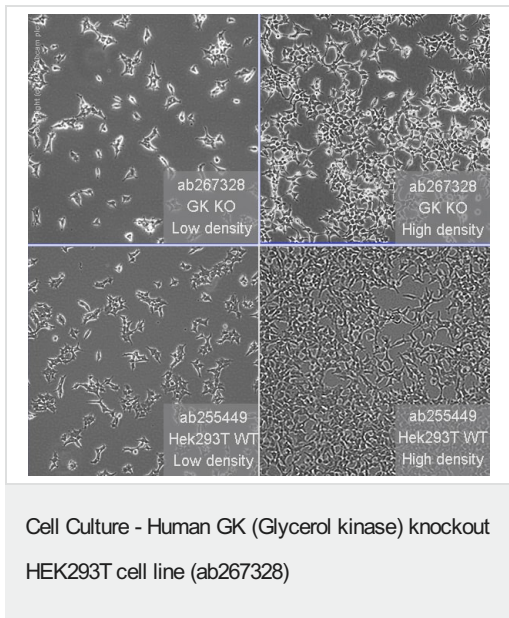
[ab126599](#) Anti-Glycerol kinase antibody [EPR6567] was shown to specifically react with Glycerol kinase in wild-type HEK-293T cells. Loss of signal was observed when knockout cell line ab267328 (knockout cell lysate [ab257966](#)) was used. Wild-type and Glycerol kinase knockout samples were subjected to SDS-PAGE.

[ab126599](#) and Anti-GAPDH antibody [6C5] - Loading Control ([ab8245](#)) were incubated overnight at 4°C at 1 in 500 dilution and 1 in 20000 dilution respectively. Blots were developed with Goat anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (IRDye® 800CW) preadsorbed ([ab216773](#)) and Goat anti-Mouse IgG H&L (IRDye® 680RD) preadsorbed ([ab216776](#)) secondary antibodies at 1 in 20000 dilution for 1 hour at room temperature before imaging.

Mut	CCAACATAAAAGCTATTGGTGTGAGCAACCAGAGGGAAACCACTGTAGTCTGGGACAAG
WT	CCAACATAAAAGCTATTGGTGTGAGCAACCAGAGGGAAACCACTGTAGTCTGGGACAAG

Sanger Sequencing - Human GK knockout  
HEK293T cell line (ab267328)

Homozygous: 1 bp insertion in exon4



Representative images of GK knockout HEK293T cells, low and high confluency examples (top left and right respectively) and wild-type HEK293T cells, low and high confluency (bottom left and right respectively) showing typical adherent, epithelial-like morphology. Images were captured at 10X magnification using a EVOS M5000 microscope.

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