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Product datasheet

Anti-CXCR4 antibody [EPUMBR3] ab181020



Recombinant RabMAb

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Overview

Product name Anti-CXCR4 antibody [EPUMBR3]

Description Rabbit monoclonal [EPUMBR3] to CXCR4

Host species Rabbit

Specificity This antibody recognizes only the non-phosphorylated C-terminus of CXCR4 (residues 341-352).

Phosphorylation of S346/347 blocks antibody binding. PMID: 24154522, 25451233.

We recommend dephosphorylation of samples using lambda phosphatase treatment. Please

refer to application notes.

Tested applications Suitable for: Flow Cyt (Intra), WB, IHC-P, ICC/IF

Unsuitable for: IP

Species reactivity Reacts with: Mouse, Human, Recombinant fragment

Immunogen Synthetic peptide. This information is proprietary to Abcam and/or its suppliers.

(Peptide available as ab256223)

Positive control WB: Jurkat whole cell lysate. IF/ICC: Jurkat and Ramos cells. IHC-P: Retina and brain of E14

mouse embryo, Human small cell lung carcinoma tissue. Flow Cyt (intra): Jurkat cells.

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), 0.5% BSA

Purity Protein A purified

Clonality Monoclonal
Clone number EPUMBR3

Isotype IgG

Applications

The Abpromise guarantee

Our Abpromise guarantee covers the use of ab181020 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
Flow Cyt (Intra)		Use at an assay dependent concentration.
WB		1/1000 - 1/10000. Predicted molecular weight: 39 kDa.Can be blocked with CXCR4 peptide (ab256223). We recommend lambda protein phosphatase treatment of the membrane prior to primary antibody incubation (PMID 24154522). Use 800U for 1 hr at RT then rinse in wash buffer three times.
IHC-P		Use at an assay dependent concentration. Perform heat mediated antigen retrieval via the microwave method before commencing with IHC staining protocol. Boil slides seven times for five minutes each in pH 6 citrate buffer. We recommend lambda protein phosphatase treatment prior to IHC processing (PMID 24154522). Use 800U for 1 hr at RT then rinse in PBS three times.
ICC/IF		1/500. For unpurified use at 5 μg/mL.

Application notes

Is unsuitable for IP.

Target

Function

Receptor for the C-X-C chemokine CXCL12/SDF-1 that transduces a signal by increasing intracellular calcium ions levels and enhancing MAPK1/MAPK3 activation. Acts as a receptor for extracellular ubiquitin; leading to enhance intracellular calcium ions and reduce cellular cAMP levels. Involved in haematopoiesis and in cardiac ventricular septum formation. Plays also an essential role in vascularization of the gastrointestinal tract, probably by regulating vascular branching and/or remodeling processes in endothelial cells. Could be involved in cerebellar development. In the CNS, could mediate hippocampal-neuron survival. Acts as a coreceptor (CD4 being the primary receptor) for HIV-1 X4 isolates and as a primary receptor for some HIV-2 isolates. Promotes Env-mediated fusion of the virus.

Tissue specificity

Expressed in numerous tissues, such as peripheral blood leukocytes, spleen, thymus, spinal cord, heart, placenta, lung, liver, skeletal muscle, kidney, pancreas, cerebellum, cerebral cortex and medulla (in microglia as well as in astrocytes), brain microvascular, coronary artery and umbilical cord endothelial cells. Isoform 1 is predominant in all tissues tested.

Involvement in disease

Defects in CXCR4 are a cause of WHIM syndrome (WHIM) [MIM:193670]; also known as warts, hypogammaglobulinemia, infections and myelokathexis. WHIM syndrome is an immunodeficiency disease characterized by neutropenia, hypogammaglobulinemia and extensive human papillomavirus (HPV) infection. Despite the peripheral neutropenia, bone marrow aspirates from affected individuals contain abundant mature myeloid cells, a condition termed myelokathexis.

Sequence similarities

Belongs to the G-protein coupled receptor 1 family.

Domain

The amino-terminus is critical for ligand binding. Residues in all four extracellular regions contribute to HIV-1 coreceptor activity.

Post-translational modifications

Phosphorylated on agonist stimulation. Rapidly phosphorylated on serine and threonine residues in the C-terminal. Phosphorylation at Ser-324 and Ser-325 leads to recruitment of ITCH, ubiquitination and protein degradation.

Ubiquitinated by ITCH at the cell membrane on agonist stimulation. The ubiquitin-dependent mechanism, endosomal sorting complex required for transport (ESCRT), then targets CXCR4 for lysosomal degradation. This process is dependent also on prior Ser-/Thr-phosphorylation in the C-terminal of CXCR4. Also binding of ARRB1 to STAM negatively regulates CXCR4 sorting to lysosomes though modulating ubiquitination of SFR5S.

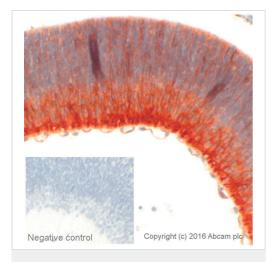
Sulfation on Tyr-21 is required for efficient binding of CXCL12/SDF-1alpha and promotes its dimerization.

O- and N-glycosylated. Asn-11 is the principal site of N-glycosylation. There appears to be very little or no glycosylation on Asn-176. N-glycosylation masks coreceptor function in both X4 and R5 laboratory-adapted and primary HIV-1 strains through inhibiting interaction with their Env glycoproteins. The O-glycosylation chondroitin sulfate attachment does not affect interaction with CXCL12/SDF-1alpha nor its coreceptor activity.

Cellular localization

Cell membrane. In unstimulated cells, diffuse pattern on plasma membrane. On agonist stimulation, colocalizes with ITCH at the plasma membrane where it becomes ubiquitinated.

Images

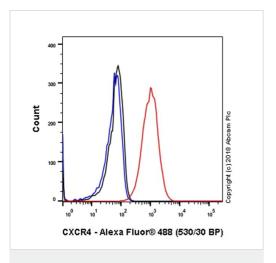


Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffinembedded sections) - Anti-CXCR4 antibody
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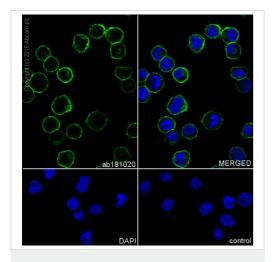
IHC image of CXCR4 staining on retina of E14 mouse embryo formalin fixed paraffin embedded tissue section. The section was pre-treated using heat mediated antigen retrieval with 10 mM sodium citrate buffer (pH6) for 20 mins in a microwave at 600W, and incubated overnight at + 4°C with ab181020 at 5 ugml. Staining of primary antibody was detected using the appropriate biotinylated secondary antibodies followed by incubation with avidin-biotinylated peroxidase solution. DAB was used as the chromogen (15 min). The section was then counterstained with haematoxylin. As a negative control (inset), an identical assay was performed on retina of E14 knockout mouse (CXCR4 -/-) embryo.

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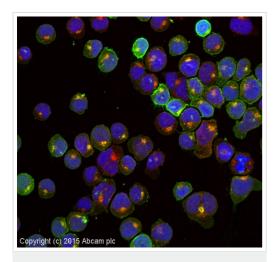
Flow Cytometry (Intracellular) - Anti-CXCR4 antibody [EPUMBR3] (ab181020)

Intracellular Flow Cytometry analysis of Jurkat (human T cell leukemia T lymphocyte) cells labeling CXCR4 with purified ab181020 at 1/200 dilution (10.23 μ g/ml) - Red. Cells were fixed with 4% paraformaldehyde . A Goat anti rabbit lgG (Alexa Fluor 488, **ab150077**) secondary antibody was used at 1/2000 dilution. Isotype control - Rabbit monoclonal lgG (**ab172730**) - Black. Unlabeled control - Blue. Untreated cells - Green

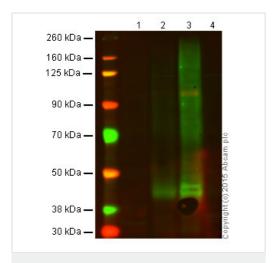


Immunocytochemistry/ Immunofluorescence - Anti-CXCR4 antibody [EPUMBR3] (ab181020)

Immunocytochemistry/Immunofluorescence analysis of Ramos (Human Burkitt's lymphoma cell line) labeling CXCR4 with purified ab181020 at 1/500 dilution. Cells were fixed with 4% PFA and permeabilized with 0.1% tritonX-100. ab150077 Goat anti rabbit lgG (Alexa Fluor[®] 488) at 1/1000 was used as the secondary antibody. Nuclei were counterstained with DAPI. PBS was used instead of the primary antibody as the negative control.



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Western blot - Anti-CXCR4 antibody [EPUMBR3] (ab181020)

ab181020 stained Jurkat cells. The cells were 100% methanol fixed for 5 minutes at -20°C and then incubated in 1%BSA / 10% normal goat serum / 0.3M glycine in 0.1% PBS-Tween for 1hour at room temperature to permeabilise the cells and block non-specific protein-protein interactions. The cells were then incubated with the antibody (ab181020 at 5 μ g/ml) overnight at +4°C. The secondary antibody (pseudo-colored green) was Goat Anti-Rabbit lgG H&L (Alexa Fluor® 488) preadsorbed (ab150081) used at a 1/1000 dilution for 1hour at room temperature. Alexa Fluor® 594 WGA was used to label plasma membranes (pseudo-colored red) at a 1/200 dilution for 1hour at room temperature. DAPI was used to stain the cell nuclei (pseudo-colored blue) at a concentration of 1.43 μ M for 1hour at room temperature.

All lanes: Anti-CXCR4 antibody [EPUMBR3] (ab181020)

Lane 1 : CHO (chinese hamster ovary cell line) whole cell lysate (negative control)

Lane 2 : Jurkat whole cell

Lane 3 : Jurkat membrane

Lane 4: Jurkat nuclear (negative control)

Lysates/proteins at 20 µg per lane.

Secondary

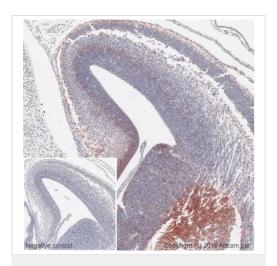
All lanes: Goat anti-rabbit at 1/10000 dilution

Predicted band size: 39 kDa Observed band size: 43 kDa

Running buffer: MOPS.

Conditions: denatured/reduced.

This blot was produced using a 4-12% Bis-Tris gel under the MOPS buffer system. The gel was run at 200V for 60 minutes before being transferred onto a Nitrocellulose membrane at 30V for 70 minutes. The membrane was then blocked for an hour before being incubated with ab181020 (anti-CXCR4) and ab7671 (loading ctrl), overnight at 4°C. Before imaging, antibody binding was detected using labelled goat anti-rabbit (H+L; green) and labelled goat anti-mouse (H+L; red) at 1:10,000 dilutions for 1hr at room temperature.

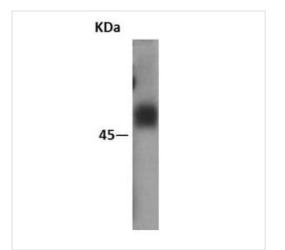


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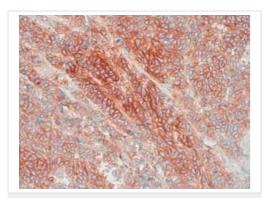
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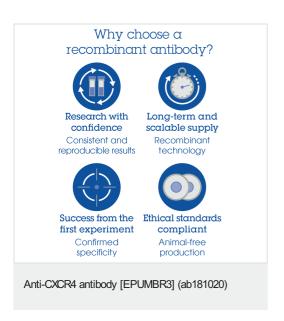
Anti-CXCR4 antibody [EPUMBR3] (ab181020) at 1/1000 dilution + CXCR4 stably expressed in HEK293 cells

Predicted band size: 39 kDa



Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffinembedded sections) - Anti-CXCR4 antibody
[EPUMBR3] (ab181020)

Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin embedded Human small cell lung carcinoma tissue labeling CXCR4 using ab181020.



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