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## Product datasheet

# Anti-MEK4/MKK4 antibody [EP615Y] - BSA and Azide free ab242052





RabMAb

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#### Overview

Product name Anti-MEK4/MKK4 antibody [EP615Y] - BSA and Azide free

**Description**Rabbit monoclonal [EP615Y] to MEK4/MKK4 - BSA and Azide free

Host species Rabbit

Tested applications Suitable for: WB

Unsuitable for: ICC/IF

Species reactivity Reacts with: Mouse, Rat, Human

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

**General notes** ab242052 is the carrier-free version of <u>ab33912</u>.

Our <u>carrier-free</u> antibodies are typically supplied in a PBS-only formulation, purified and free of BSA, sodium azide and glycerol. The carrier-free buffer and high concentration allow for increased conjugation efficiency.

This conjugation-ready format is designed for use with fluorochromes, metal isotopes, oligonucleotides, and enzymes, which makes them ideal for antibody labelling, functional and cell-based assays, flow-based assays (e.g. mass cytometry) and Multiplex Imaging applications.

Use our <u>conjugation kits</u> for antibody conjugates that are ready-to-use in as little as 20 minutes with <1 minute hands-on-time and 100% antibody recovery: available for fluorescent dyes, HRP, biotin and gold.

This product is compatible with the Maxpar<sup>®</sup> Antibody Labeling Kit from Fluidigm, without the need for antibody preparation. Maxpar<sup>®</sup> is a trademark of Fluidigm Canada Inc.

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

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#### **Properties**

Form Liquid

**Storage instructions** Shipped at 4°C. Store at +4°C. Do Not Freeze.

Storage buffer pH: 7.2

Constituent: PBS

Carrier free Yes

Purity Protein A purified

**Purification notes** <u>ab33912</u> is a purified lgG.

ClonalityMonoclonalClone numberEP615Y

**Isotype** IgG

#### **Applications**

The Abpromise guarantee Our Abpromise guarantee covers the use of ab242052 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		Use at an assay dependent concentration. 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.

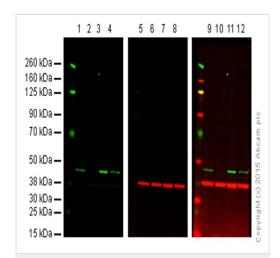
Contains 1 protein kinase domain.

Post-translational

modifications

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

#### **Images**



Western blot - Anti-MEK4/MKK4 antibody [EP615Y]

- BSA and Azide free (ab242052)

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 - <u>ab33912</u> 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 ab8245 (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 (ab216773) and Goat anti-Mouse IgG H&L (IRDye® 680RD) preadsorbed (ab216776) secondary antibodies at 1/10 000 dilution for 1 h at room temperature before imaging.

This data was developed using the same antibody clone in a different buffer formulation containing PBS, BSA, glycerol, and sodium azide (ab33912).

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