

TLK (F-20): sc-11595

BACKGROUND

The Tousled-like kinases (TLK1 and TLK2, also designated PKU- β and PKU- α , respectively) are the human homologues of the Tousled gene from *Arabidopsis thaliana*, which encodes a serine/threonine kinase that is necessary for proper organ morphogenesis. Both TLKs contain a nuclear localization signal and a predicted coiled-coil region in the N-terminal domain. TLK is ubiquitously expressed, and is prevalent in mouse testis, especially in pachytene spermatocytes and round spermatids. TLK displays a propensity to dimerize through an interaction between its coiled coil structure and is able to autophosphorylate, as well as phosphorylate exogenous substrates. TLK1 and TLK2 are regulated by the cell cycle, showing maximum activity during S phase. Subsequently, they are thought to regulate the development of multicellular organisms, including playing a key role in spermatogenesis, through a series of phosphorylations.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: TLK1 (human) mapping to 2q31.1, TLK2 (human) mapping to 17q23.2; Tlk1 (mouse) mapping to 2 C2, Tlk2 (mouse) mapping to 11 E1.

SOURCE

TLK (F-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of TLK of human origin.

STORAGE

Store at 4° C, **DO NOT FREEZE**. Stable for one year from the date of shipment. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 μ g IgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-11595 P, (100 μ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

APPLICATIONS

TLK (F-20) is recommended for detection of TLK1 and TLK2 of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 μ g per 100-500 μ g of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)], immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

TLK (F-20) is also recommended for detection of TLK1 and TLK2 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine, porcine and avian.

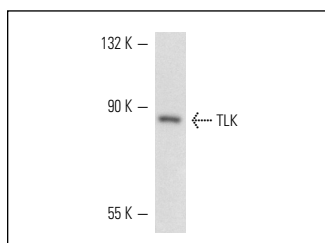
Molecular Weight of TLK: 85 kDa.

Positive Controls: rat testis extract: sc-2400.

RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support (secondary) reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2020 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:100,000) or Cruz Marker™ compatible donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2033 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:5000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, TBS Blotto A Blocking Reagent: sc-2333 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) Immunofluorescence: use donkey anti-goat IgG-FITC: sc-2024 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) or donkey anti-goat IgG-TR: sc-2783 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz™ Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

DATA



TLK (F-20): sc-11595. Western blot analysis of TLK expression in rat testis tissue extract.

RESEARCH USE

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PROTOCOLS

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