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MAGE-A1 (I-21): sc-130160

BACKGROUND

The melanoma-associated antigen (MAGE) family consists of a number of antigens recognized by cytotoxic T lymphocytes. The MAGE genes were initially isolated from different kinds of tumors, and based on their virtually exclusive tumor-specific expression in adult tissues, they have been used as targets for cancer immunotherapy. MAGE genes encode for tumor-rejection antigens and are expressed in tumors of different histologic types, but not in normal tissues, with the exception of testis and placenta. Although a large number of MAGE genes have now been identified and extensively studied in tumors of various origin, their function in normal cells remains unknown.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: MAGEA1 (human) mapping to Xq28.

STORAGE

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

PROTOCOLS

See our web site at www.scbt.com or our catalog for detailed protocols and support products.

SOURCE

MAGE-A1 (I-21) is a purified rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of MAGE-A1 of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 100 µg IgG in 1.0 ml PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

APPLICATIONS

MAGE-A1 (I-21) is recommended for detection of MAGE-A1 of human origin by immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500), immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

Suitable for use as control antibody for MAGE-A1 siRNA (h): sc-37313, MAGE-A1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-37313-SH and MAGE-A1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-37313-V.

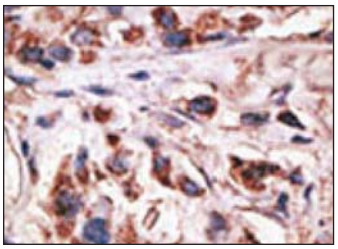
Molecular Weight of MAGE-A1: 46 kDa.

Positive Controls: A-375 cell lysate: sc-3811, SK-MEL-28 cell lysate: sc-2236 or U-87 MG cell lysate: sc-2411.

RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support (secondary) reagents are recommended: 1) Immunofluorescence: use goat anti-rabbit IgG-FITC: sc-2012 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) or goat anti-rabbit IgG-TR: sc-2780 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz™ Mounting Medium: sc-24941. 2) Immunohistochemistry: use ImmunoCruz™: sc-2051 or ABC: sc-2018 rabbit IgG Staining Systems.

DATA



MAGE-A1 (I-21): sc-130160. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human cancer tissue showing cytoplasmic staining.

RESEARCH USE

For research use only, not for use in diagnostic procedures.