# TS (H-265): sc-134525



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## **BACKGROUND**

Thymidylate synthase (TS), also designated TYMS, TMS, TSase and HsT422, uses 5,10-methylenetetrahydrofolate (methylene-THF) as a cofactor in the synthesis of 2'-deoxythymidine-5'-monophosphate (dTMP), an essential precursor for DNA biosynthesis. TS is an RNA-binding protein that can interact with its own mRNA. The TS/mRNA ribonucleoprotein complex can also associate with a number of other cellular mRNAs, including those corresponding to the p53 tumor suppressor gene and the Myc family of transcription factors. Inhibition of DNA replication and cell death resulting from thymidine depletion occurs when TS enzyme activity is inhibited with substrate or cofactor analogs, making the TS enzyme an important target for chemotherapy. Cancer cells are sensitive to thymidine depletion, as they multiply rapidly.

## **REFERENCES**

- Hardy, L.W., et al. 1987. Atomic structure of thymidylate synthase: target for rational drug design. Science 235: 448-455.
- 2. Ross, P., Oet al. 1990. Cloning and characterization of the thymidylate synthase gene from *Lactococcus lactis* subsp. *lactis*. Appl. Environ. Microbiol. 56: 2156-2163.

### CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: TYMS (human) mapping to 18p11.32; Tyms (mouse) mapping to 5 B1.

## **SOURCE**

TS (H-265) is a rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against amino acids 49-313 mapping at the C-terminus of TS of human origin.

## **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g$  lgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

# **APPLICATIONS**

TS (H-265) is recommended for detection of TS of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2  $\mu$ g per 100-500  $\mu$ 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).

TS (H-265) is also recommended for detection of TS in additional species, including equine, canine, porcine and avian.

Suitable for use as control antibody for TS siRNA (h): sc-44978, TS siRNA (m): sc-44979, TS shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-44978-SH, TS shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-44979-SH, TS shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44978-V and TS shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44979-V.

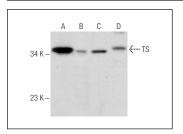
Molecular Weight of TS: 36 kDa.

Positive Controls: HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200, SH-SY5Y cell lysate: sc-3812 or HL-60 whole cell lysate: sc-2209.

### **RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS**

To ensure optimal results, the following support (secondary) reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use goat anti-rabbit IgG-HRP: sc-2004 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:100,000) or Cruz Marker™ compatible goat anti-rabbit IgG-HRP: sc-2030 (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 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.

## **DATA**



TS (H-265): sc-134525. Western blot analysis of TS expression in HeLa ( $\bf A$ ), SH-SY5Y ( $\bf B$ ), HL-60 ( $\bf C$ ) and Jurkat ( $\bf D$ ) whole cell lysates.

# **STORAGE**

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

## **RESEARCH USE**

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

#### **PROTOCOLS**

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