## BACKGROUND

Cellular apoptosis susceptibility protein (CAS), also called Exportin 2, is a 971 amino acid member of the CSE1 family. CAS mediates Importin $\alpha$ reexport from the nucleus to the cytoplasm after import substrates have been released into the nucleoplasm. In the nucleus, CAS binds cooperatively to Importin $\alpha$ and to the GTPase Ran in its GTP-bound (active) form. This complex binds to nucleoporins as it docks to the nuclear pore complex. Once in the cytoplasm, the complex dissociates and Importin $\alpha$ is released and CAS returns to the nuclear compartment and the process begins anew. CAS can be detected highly in proliferating cells. Three isoforms of CAS have been named due to alternative splicing. Isoform 1 is the full length, 971 amino acid protein. Isoform 2 contains an alternative sequence for amino acids 190-195 and is missing amino acids 196-971. Isoform 3 contains an alternative sequence for amino acids 943-945 and is missing amino acids 946-971.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: CSE1L (human) mapping to 20q13.13; Cse1I (mouse) mapping to 2 H 3 .

## SOURCE

CAS (24) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 64-81 of CAS of human origin.

## PRODUCT

Each vial contains $50 \mu \mathrm{~g} \mathrm{IgG}{ }_{1}$ in 0.5 ml PBS with $<0.1 \%$ sodium azide and $0.1 \%$ gelatin.

## APPLICATIONS

CAS (24) is recommended for detection of CAS of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:1001:1000), immunoprecipitation $[1-2 \mu \mathrm{~g}$ per $100-500 \mu \mathrm{~g}$ of total protein ( 1 ml of cell lysate)] and immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500).
Suitable for use as control antibody for CAS siRNA (h): sc-29908, CAS siRNA (m): sc-29909, CAS shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-29908-SH, CAS shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-29909-SH, CAS shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29908-V and CAS shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29909-V.
Molecular Weight of CAS: 100 kDa .
Positive Controls: HeLa nuclear extract: sc-2120, SW480 nuclear extract: sc-2155 or MOLT-4 nuclear extract: sc-2151.

## STORAGE

Store at $4^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, ${ }^{* *}$ DO NOT FREEZE**. Stable for one year from the date of shipment. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

## DATA



CAS (24): sc-135855. Western blot analysis of CAS expression in SW480 (A), MOLT-4 (B), HeLa (C) and MCF7 (D) nuclear extracts.


CAS (24): sc-135855. Immunofluorescence staining of human fibroblast cells showing cytoplasmic localization.

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