

# MAGE-G1 (N-15): sc-160508

## 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 that are expressed in tumors of different histologic types and in normal testis and placenta. MAGE-G1 (melanoma-associated antigen G1), also known as HCA4 (hepatocellular carcinoma-associated protein 4) or NDNL2 (necdin-like protein 2), is a 304 amino acid nuclear and cytoplasmic protein that is ubiquitously expressed and contains one MAGE domain. Functioning as a growth suppressor, MAGE-G1 influences the entry of cells into cell cycle arrest. The gene encoding MAGE-G1 maps to human chromosome 15q13.1.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: NDNL2 (human) mapping to 15q13.1.

## SOURCE

MAGE-G1 (N-15) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the N-terminus of MAGE-G1 of human origin.

## PRODUCT

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

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-160508 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

## APPLICATIONS

MAGE-G1 (N-15) is recommended for detection of MAGE-G1 of human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), 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); non cross-reactive with MAGE-G2.

Suitable for use as control antibody for MAGE-G1 siRNA (h): sc-90118, MAGE-G1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-90118-SH and MAGE-G1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-90118-V.

Molecular Weight of MAGE-G1: 34 kDa.

## 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<sup>™</sup> compatible donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2033 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:5000), Cruz Marker<sup>™</sup> Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, TBS Blotto A Blocking Reagent: sc-2333 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) 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<sup>™</sup> Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

## 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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