# Mpk1 (y-244): sc-20168



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#### **BACKGROUND**

Yeasts maintain the integrity of their cell walls via a MAP kinase cascade. This cascade consists of a MAP kinase (mitogen-activated protein kinase, also called ERK, for extracellular regulated kinase) as well as several upstream regulatory kinases (MAPKKs or MEKs, for MAP/ERK kinase). Pkc1 (also designated Sst1), a yeast homolog of the mammalian PKC  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  isoforms, transmits extracellular signals to Bck1, a MAPKKK (also called Slk1, Ssp31 or Las3). Bck1 then activates two MAPKKs, Mkk1 and Mkk2 (also referred to as Ssp32 and Ssp33, respectively). These in turn activate the MAP kinase Mpk1 (also called Slt2). Mutants lacking any component of this cascade exhibit a defect in cell lysis resulting from deficient cell wall synthesis. Bck2 (also designated Ctr7) has been identified as a suppressor of Pkc1 and Mpk1 deletions.

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# **SOURCE**

Mpk1 (y-244) is a rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against amino acids 241-484 of Mpk1 of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* 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**

Mpk1 (y-244) is recommended for detection of Mpk1 of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 µg per 100-500 µg of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)] and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

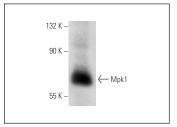
Molecular Weight of Mpk1: 60 kDa.

Positive Controls: Saccharomyces cerevisiae whole cell lysate.

#### **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).

#### **DATA**



Mpk1 (y-244): sc-20168. Western blot analysis of Mpk1 expression in *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* whole cell lycate

### **SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS**

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#### **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.



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