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Abf1 (y-90): sc-25755



BACKGROUND

Orc1 and Orc2 (also designated RRR1 or SIR5) are two of the six subunits that compase the yeast origin of replication complex (ORC). This complex binds to autonomously replicating sequences (ARS) and serves as an initiator protein for DNA replication. The minichromosome maintenance (Mcm) proteins also play an essential role in regulating DNA replication by binding to chromatin and activating the ORC-ARS complex. Cdc6, involved in limiting DNA replication to once per cell cycle, binds to the ORC and is essential for the assembly of the Mcm proteins. The transcription factor Abf1 (also designated Obf1 or Baf1) also binds to the ARS and plays a role in gene silencing as well as in DNA replication.

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SOURCE

Abf1 (y-90) is a rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against amino acids 1-90 of Abf1 of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* origin.

PRODUCT

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

STORAGE

Store at 4° C, **D0 NOT FREEZE**. Stable for one year from the date of shipment. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

PROTOCOLS

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APPLICATIONS

Abf1 (y-90) is recommended for detection of Abf1 of *Saccaromyces 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).

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) Immunopre-cipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2033 (0.5 ml agarose/ 2.0 ml).

RESEARCH USE

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