

## Pdcd-4 (G-15): sc-27122

### BACKGROUND

The transformation suppressor gene Pdcd-4 (programmed cell death gene 4) inhibits the tumor-promoter mediated transformation of mouse keratinocytes and is a potential tumor suppressor gene in the development of human lung cancer. Biochemical analysis suggests that the Pdcd-4 protein is involved in protein translation as well as in nuclear events. Pdcd-4 directly interacts with the RNA helicase eIF4A and inhibits protein synthesis by interfering with the assembly of the cap-dependent translation initiation complex. Pdcd-4 also suppresses the transactivation of AP-1 responsive promoters by c-Jun, suggesting that the transformation-suppressor activity of Pdcd-4 might be due, at least in part, to the inhibition of c-Jun activity. In addition to affecting c-Jun phosphorylation, Pdcd-4 blocks the recruitment of the co-activator p300 by c-Jun.

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### CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: PDCD4 (human) mapping to 10q25.2; Pdcd4 (mouse) mapping to 19 D2.

### SOURCE

Pdcd-4 (G-15) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of Pdcd-4 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-27122 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

### RESEARCH USE

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

### APPLICATIONS

Pdcd-4 (G-15) is recommended for detection of Pdcd-4 of mouse, rat and 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).

Pdcd-4 (G-15) is also recommended for detection of Pdcd-4 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine, porcine and avian.

Suitable for use as control antibody for Pdcd-4 siRNA (h): sc-106389, Pdcd-4 siRNA (m): sc-152123, Pdcd-4 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-106389-SH, Pdcd-4 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-152123-SH, Pdcd-4 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-106389-V and Pdcd-4 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-152123-V.

Molecular Weight of Pdcd-4: 54 kDa.

Positive Controls: SK-BR-3 nuclear extract: sc-2134, SK-BR-3 cell lysate: sc-2218 or Hep G2 cell lysate: sc-2227.

### 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™ compatible donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2033 (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) 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™ 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.

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