

# PP1 $\alpha$ (G-4): sc-271762

## BACKGROUND

In eukaryotes, the phosphorylation and dephosphorylation of proteins on serine and threonine residues is an essential means of regulating a broad range of cellular functions, including division, homeostasis and apoptosis. A group of proteins that are intimately involved in this process are the protein phosphatases. In general, the protein phosphatase (PP) holoenzyme is a trimeric complex composed of a regulatory subunit, a variable subunit and a catalytic subunit. Four major families of protein phosphatase catalytic subunit have been identified, designated PP1, PP2A, PP2B (calcineurin) and PP2C. An additional protein phosphatase catalytic subunit, PPX (also known as PP4) is a putative member of a novel PP family. The PP1 family is comprised of subfamily members PP1 $\alpha$ , PP1 $\beta$  and PP1 $\gamma$ , which are Mg-ATP-dependent enzymes. PP1 inactivity is maintained through its association with the inhibitory protein NIPP1 (nuclear inhibitor of PP1). Phosphorylation of NIPP1 by cAMP-PK or casein kinase II results in the release of active PP1.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: PPP1CA (human) mapping to 11q13.2; Ppp1ca (mouse) mapping to 19 A.

## SOURCE

PP1 $\alpha$  (G-4) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 297-326 at the C-terminus of PP1 $\alpha$  of human origin.

## PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200  $\mu$ g IgG<sub>1</sub> kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

PP1 $\alpha$  (G-4) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-271762 AC), 500  $\mu$ g/0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; to HRP (sc-271762 HRP), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for WB, IHC(P) and ELISA; to either phycoerythrin (sc-271762 PE), fluorescein (sc-271762 FITC), Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 488 (sc-271762 AF488), Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 546 (sc-271762 AF546), Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 594 (sc-271762 AF594) or Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 647 (sc-271762 AF647), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM; and to either Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 680 (sc-271762 AF680) or Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 790 (sc-271762 AF790), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for Near-Infrared (NIR) WB, IF and FCM.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-271762 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% stabilizer protein).

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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.

## APPLICATIONS

PP1 $\alpha$  (G-4) is recommended for detection of PP1 $\alpha$  of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2  $\mu$ g per 100-500  $\mu$ g of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)], 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).

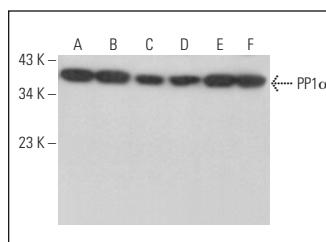
PP1 $\alpha$  (G-4) is also recommended for detection of PP1 $\alpha$  in additional species, including canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for PP1 $\alpha$  siRNA (h): sc-36299, PP1 $\alpha$  siRNA (m): sc-36300, PP1 $\alpha$  shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-36299-SH, PP1 $\alpha$  shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-36300-SH, PP1 $\alpha$  shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36299-V and PP1 $\alpha$  shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36300-V.

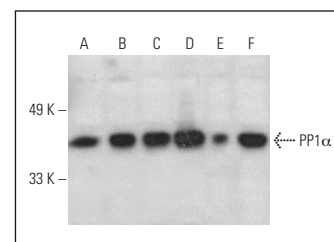
Molecular Weight of PP1 $\alpha$ : 37 kDa.

Positive Controls: Jurkat whole cell lysate: sc-2204, KNRK whole cell lysate: sc-2214 or NIH/3T3 whole cell lysate: sc-2210.

## DATA



PP1 $\alpha$  (G-4): sc-271762. Western blot analysis of PP1 $\alpha$  expression in BT-20 (A), PC-12 (B), C32 (C), SK-BR-3 (D), Jurkat (E) and KNRK (F) whole cell lysates.



PP1 $\alpha$  (G-4) HRP: sc-271762 HRP. Direct western blot analysis of PP1 $\alpha$  expression in SK-BR-3 (A), Jurkat (B), KNRK (C), NIH/3T3 (D), BYDP (E) and MCF7 (F) whole cell lysates.

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## RESEARCH USE

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