

HXK I (A-7): sc-271865

BACKGROUND

The hexokinases utilize Mg-ATP as a phosphoryl donor to catalyze the first step of intracellular glucose metabolism, the conversion of glucose to glucose-6-phosphate. Four hexokinase isoenzymes have been identified, including hexokinase I (HXK I), hexokinase II (HXK II), hexokinase III (HXK III) and hexokinase IV (HXK IV, also designated glucokinase or GCK). Hexokinases I-III each contain an N-terminal cluster of hydrophobic amino acids. Glucokinase lacks the N-terminal hydrophobic cluster. The hydrophobic cluster is thought to be necessary for membrane binding. This is substantiated by the finding that glucokinase has lower affinity for glucose than do the other hexokinases. HXK I has been shown to be expressed in brain, kidney and heart tissues as well as in hepatoma cell lines. HXK II is involved in the uptake and utilization of glucose by adipose and skeletal tissues. Of the hexokinases, HXK III has the highest affinity for glucose. Glucokinase is expressed in pancreatic β cells where it functions as a glucose sensor, determining the "set point" for Insulin secretion.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: HK1 (human) mapping to 10q22.1; Hk1 (mouse) mapping to 10 B4.

SOURCE

HXK I (A-7) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 13-37 at the N-terminus of HXK I of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 μ g IgG₁ kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-271865 P, (100 μ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% stabilizer protein).

APPLICATIONS

HXK I (A-7) is recommended for detection of HXK I of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 μ g per 100-500 μ 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).

HXK I (A-7) is also recommended for detection of HXK I in additional species, including canine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for HXK I siRNA (h): sc-39044, HXK I siRNA (m): sc-39045, HXK I shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-39044-SH, HXK I shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-39045-SH, HXK I shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-39044-V and HXK I shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-39045-V.

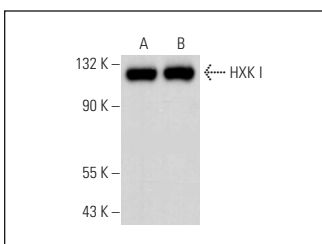
Molecular Weight of HXK I: 120 kDa.

Positive Controls: HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200, human brain extract: sc-364375 or human cerebral cortex extract: sc-516707.

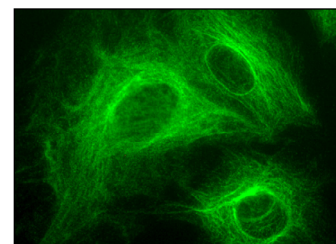
RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-IgG κ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgG κ BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz® Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) Immunofluorescence: use m-IgG κ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgG κ BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz® Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz® Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

DATA



HXK I (A-7): sc-271865. Western blot analysis of HXK I expression in human brain (A) and human cerebral cortex (B) tissue extracts.



HXK I (A-7): sc-271865. Immunofluorescence staining of formalin-fixed Hep G2 cells showing cytoplasmic and membrane localization.

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.