



Tap42 (yD-15): sc-33283

BACKGROUND

In *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*, the target of rapamycin (Tor) pathway, mediates cell proliferation and growth. Two A phosphatase associated protein (Tap42) is part of the Tor signalling pathway and is involved in transcriptional modulation. Tap42 is phosphorylated by Tor and interacts with the catalytic subunits of protein phosphatase 2A (PP2A) and closely related phosphatase Sit4 via their N-terminal domains. Tap42 can also interact with Pph3 and Ppg1, two 2A-like phosphatases. Tap42 acts as an inhibitor of PP2A phosphatase, and the complex between Tap42 and the catalytic subunit of PP2A acts via a Rho GTPase-dependent mechanism to regulate the actin cytoskeleton in *S. cerevisiae*. Upon treatment with rapamycin, Tap42 interacts with TIP41, which binds to and inhibits Tap42. In mammals, the homolog of Tap42 is known as $\alpha 4$.

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SOURCE

Tap42 (yD-15) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the N-terminus of Tap42 of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* origin.

PRODUCT

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

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-33283 P, (100 μ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

STORAGE

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

APPLICATIONS

Tap42 (yD-15) is recommended for detection of Tap42 of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

Molecular Weight of Tap42: 42 kDa.

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.

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PROTOCOLS

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