

Rad51 (γ-180): sc-33626

BACKGROUND

During meiotic prophase, homologous chromosomes pair with one another, undergo genetic recombination and engage in synaptonemal complex formation. These interhomolog interactions are necessary to establish chiasmata. If homologs fail to interact, or if crossing over takes place between nonhomologous chromosomes, homologs undergo nondisjunction at meiosis I and inviable meiotic products occur. Interactions between Rad51 and Rad52 are essential for DNA homologous recombination as well as for DNA double-strand break repair in *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*. Rad54, which is inducible by X-rays, is also involved in DNA repair and recombination in *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*. Hop2 is expressed during meiosis and may function to prevent synapsis between nonhomologous chromosomes. Hop2 is localized to chromosomes prior to and during synapsis.

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SOURCE

Rad51 (γ-180) is a rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against amino acids 1-180 mapping at the N-terminus of Rad51 of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* origin.

PRODUCT

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

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.

APPLICATIONS

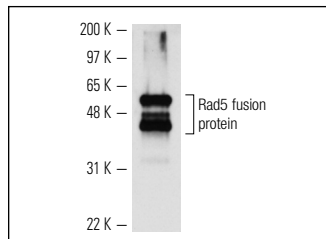
Rad51 (γ-180) is recommended for detection of Rad51 of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 µg per 100-500 µg of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)], immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

Molecular Weight of Rad51: 37 kDa.

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) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) Immunofluorescence: use goat anti-rabbit IgG-FITC: sc-2012 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) or goat anti-rabbit IgG-TR: sc-2780 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz™ Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

DATA



Rad51 (γ-180): sc-33626. Western blot analysis of yeast recombinant Rad51 fusion protein.

SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

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