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Mad2 (C-3): sc-365813

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BACKGROUND

Cell cycle progression is subject to arrest at the mitotic spindle assembly checkpoint in response to incorrect spindle fiber assembly. Mad2 (for mitotic arrest-deficient) is a component of the mitotic spindle checkpoint. Cells with mutated Mad2 do not undergo mitotic arrest in response to incorrect spindle fiber assembly, which results in missegregation and eventual cell death. A breast carcinoma cell line with reduced Mad2 expression, T47D, was shown to complete mitosis in the presence of nocodazole, an inhibitor of mitotic spindle assembly. Mad2 is localized to unattached kinetochores during prometaphase and disassociates upon spindle fiber attachment, indicating that Mad2 regulates kinetochore binding to the spindle fibers. Human Mad2 has also been shown to associate with Insulin receptor (IR), but not IGFIR, implicating Mad2 as a mediator for IR-specific signaling. MAD2B, a Mad2 homolog, is required for the execution of the mitotic checkpoint monitoring the kinetochore-spindle attachment process and if the process is not complete, MAD2B delays the onset of anaphase.

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SOURCE

Mad2 (C-3) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 170-203 near the C-terminus of Mad2 of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 µg IgG_1 kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Mad2 (C-3) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-365813 AC), 500 µg/ 0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; to HRP (sc-365813 HRP), 200 µg/ml, for WB, IHC(P) and ELISA; to either phycoerythrin (sc-365813 PE), fluorescein (sc-365813 FITC), Alexa Fluor® 488 (sc-365813 AF488), Alexa Fluor® 546 (sc-365813 AF546), Alexa Fluor® 594 (sc-365813 AF594) or Alexa Fluor® 647 (sc-365813 AF647), 200 µg/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM; and to either Alexa Fluor® 680 (sc-365813 AF680) or Alexa Fluor® 790 (sc-365813 AF790), 200 µg/ml, for Near-Infrared (NIR) WB, IF and FCM.

APPLICATIONS

Mad2 (C-3) is recommended for detection of Mad2 of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, 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).

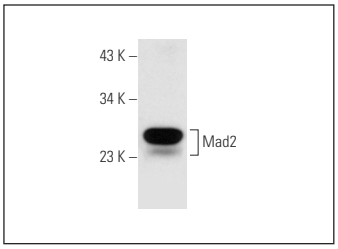
Molecular Weight of Mad2: 25 kDa.

Positive Controls: *S. cerevisiae* whole cell lysate.

RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-IgGκ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgGκ 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-IgGκ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgGκ 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



Mad2 (C-3): sc-365813. Western blot analysis of Mad2 expression in *S. cerevisiae* whole cell lysate.

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.

PROTOCOLS

See our web site at www.scbt.com for detailed protocols and support products.