

MYLK2 (H-224): sc-50516

BACKGROUND

The Ca⁺⁺/calmodulin-dependent protein kinases (CaM kinases) are a structurally related subfamily of serine/threonine kinases that includes CaMKI, CaMKII, CaMKIV and myosin light chain kinases (MLCKs). MLCK isoforms include non-muscle MLCK, smooth muscle MLCK and skeletal muscle MLCK (MLCK_{SK}). Smooth muscle MLCK, non-muscle MLCK and telokin are produced by alternative initiation of the same gene. Non-muscle MLCK is expressed in human frontal and entorhinal cortex and in hippocampus. MLCK appears to be a target for PAKs (p21-activated kinases). PAK1 interaction with MLCK results in a decrease in MLCK activity and myosin light chain phosphorylation.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: MYLK2 (human) mapping to 20q13.31; Mylk2 (mouse) mapping to 2 H1.

SOURCE

MYLK2 (H-224) is a rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against amino acids 1-224 mapping at the N-terminus of MYLK2 of human origin.

PRODUCT

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

APPLICATIONS

MYLK2 (H-224) is recommended for detection of MYLK2 of human 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).

Suitable for use as control antibody for MYLK2 siRNA (h): sc-72063, MYLK2 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-72063-SH and MYLK2 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-72063-V.

Molecular Weight of MYLK2 79 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.

STORAGE

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

RESEARCH USE

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PROTOCOLS

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