

# ZIP-kinase (G-1): sc-514331

## BACKGROUND

DAP (death associated protein) kinase and ZIP kinase are members of a novel protein kinase family, the members of which have the capacity to mediate apoptosis through their catalytic activities. DAP kinase contains a "death domain" and has been shown to mediate  $\gamma$  interferon-induced apoptosis. The introduction of DAP kinase into highly metastatic carcinoma clones lacking DAP kinase expression was shown to result in the suppression of metastasis, thus linking suppression of apoptosis to metastasis. ZIP kinase contains a leucine zipper domain, which is necessary for homodimerization and for interaction with other leucine zipper proteins. ZIP kinase dimerizes with ATF-4, an ATF/CREB transcription factor family member that contains a leucine zipper. Overexpression of ZIP kinase was shown to result in morphological changes associated with apoptosis in NIH/3T3 cells.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: DAPK3 (human) mapping to 19p13.3.

## SOURCE

ZIP-kinase (G-1) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 2-23 at the N-terminus of ZIP-kinase of human origin.

## PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200  $\mu$ g IgG<sub>1</sub> 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-514331 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% stabilizer protein).

## RESEARCH USE

For research use only, not for use in diagnostic procedures.

## APPLICATIONS

ZIP-kinase (G-1) is recommended for detection of ZIP-kinase of human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2  $\mu$ g per 100-500  $\mu$ 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).

Suitable for use as control antibody for ZIP-kinase siRNA (h): sc-38983, ZIP-kinase shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-38983-SH and ZIP-kinase shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-38983-V.

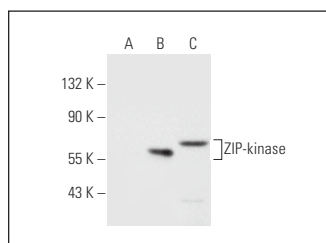
Molecular Weight of ZIP-kinase: 52 kDa.

Positive Controls: HUV-EC-C whole cell lysate: sc-364180, chemically-treated HCT-116 whole cell lysate or ZIP-kinase (h): 293T Lysate: sc-373091.

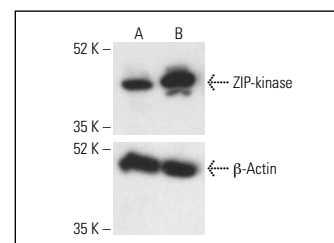
## RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

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



ZIP-kinase (G-1): sc-514331. Western blot analysis of ZIP-kinase expression in non-transfected 293T: sc-117752 (A), human ZIP-kinase transfected 293T: sc-373091 (B) and HUV-EC-C (C) whole cell lysates.



ZIP-kinase (G-1): sc-514331. Western blot analysis of ZIP-kinase expression in untreated (A) and chemically-treated (B) HCT-116 whole cell lysates.  $\beta$ -Actin (C4): sc-47778 used as loading control. Detection reagent used: m-IgG Fc BP-HRP: sc-525409.

## STORAGE

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

## PROTOCOLS

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