

# ATMIN (T-20): sc-51465

## BACKGROUND

ATMIN (ATM/ATR-substrate Chk2-interacting Zn<sup>2+</sup>-finger protein) is a DNA damage response protein. It functions as a scaffold protein in the lesion-specific Rad51 focus forming pathway. In response to DNA methylating agents and persistent single stranded DNA gaps, ATMIN forms Rad51-containing foci for DNA repair. The ATMIN foci are MLH1-dependent. ATMIN is similar in structure and function to Mdt1. It consists of an N-terminal nucleic acid binding domain, a nuclear localization signal and a C-terminal SQ/TQ cluster domain (SCD). ATMIN interacts with the Forkhead-associated (FHA) domain of Chk2 via its SCD and may be a substrate for ATM/ATR kinase. A lack in functional ATMIN results in impaired Rad51 focus formation and leads to increased DNA damage-induced apoptosis.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: ATMIN (human) mapping to 16q23.2.

## SOURCE

ATMIN (T-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of ATMIN 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.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-51465 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

Available as TransCruz reagent for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications, sc-51465 X, 200 µg/0.1 ml.

## STORAGE

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

## APPLICATIONS

ATMIN (T-20) is recommended for detection of ATMIN of human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), 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).

ATMIN (T-20) is also recommended for detection of ATMIN in additional species, including bovine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for ATMIN siRNA (h): sc-105098, ATMIN shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-105098-SH and ATMIN shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-105098-V.

ATMIN (T-20) X TransCruz antibody is recommended for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications.

Molecular Weight of ATMIN: 115 kDa.

Positive Controls: JAR cell lysate: sc-2276.

## 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.

## RESEARCH USE

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

## PROTOCOLS

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