# cleaved Rock-1 (154C1465): sc-52953



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## **BACKGROUND**

Rho, the Ras-related small GTPase, is responsible for the regulation of Actin-based cytoskeletal structures including stress fibers, focal adhesions and the contractile ring apparatus. Rho proteins function as molecular switches that are able to turn cytokinesis on and off. Although little is known about signaling downstream of Rho, a host of putative Rho effector proteins have been described, including rhophilin, rhotekin, citron and the serine/threonine kinase, protein kinase N. Two additional Rho-activated serine/threonine kinases have been described, designated Rock-1 and Rock-2 (also referred to as Roka) for Rho-associated coil-containing protein kinase. Rock-1 and Rock-2 share a structural similarity with myotonic dystrophy kinase.

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## **CROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: ROCK1 (human) mapping to 18q11.1; Rock1 (mouse) mapping to 18 A1.

#### **SOURCE**

cleaved Rock-1 (154C1465) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against the caspase-3 cleavage site (corresponding to amino acids 1113/1114) of Rock-1 of human origin.

# **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 100  $\mu g$  lgG in 1.0 ml PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

## **APPLICATIONS**

cleaved Rock-1 (154C1465) is recommended for detection of the cleaved C-terminus of Rock-1 of mouse, rat, human and canine origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000) and immuno-precipitation [1-2  $\mu$ g per 100-500  $\mu$ g of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)]; also recommended for detection of the full-length protein.

Suitable for use as control antibody for Rock-1 siRNA (h): sc-29473, Rock-1 siRNA (m): sc-36432, Rock-1 siRNA (r): sc-72179, Rock-1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-29473-SH, Rock-1 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-36432-SH, Rock-1 shRNA Plasmid (r): sc-72179-SH, Rock-1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29473-V, Rock-1 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36432-V and Rock-1 shRNA (r) Lentiviral Particles: sc-72179-V.

Molecular Weight of full length Rock-1: 158 kDa.

Molecular Weight of cleaved Rock-1: 130 kDa.

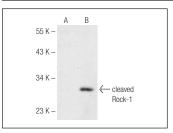
Molecular Weight of Rock-1 cleavage fragment: 32 kDa.

Positive Controls: Jurkat + staurosporine cell lysate: sc-24719.

## **STORAGE**

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

## DATA



Western blot analysis of cleaved Rock-1 expression in untreated (A) and Staurosporine (sc-3510) treated (B) Jurkat whole cell lysates. Antibody tested include cleaved Rock-1 (154C1465): sc-52953 (A,B). Note cleaved Rock-1 expression in Lane B.

#### **SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS**

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#### **PROTOCOLS**

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