

LKB1 (M-18): sc-5640

BACKGROUND

Peutz-Jeghers syndrome (PJS) is a rare hereditary disease characterized by melanocytic macules lips, gastrointestinal hamartomatous polyps and an increased risk for many classes of cancer. LKB1 (also designated STK11 and PJS) has been identified as the gene mutated in PJS. LKB1 is a 433 amino acid serine/threonine kinase with strong homology to the *Xenopus* cytoplasmic protein kinase XEEK1 and weaker similarity to many other protein kinases. LKB1 is ubiquitously expressed and many frameshift, deletion and splicing mutations have been identified in PJS patients. Despite the increased risk of cancer for PJS patients, LKB1 does not appear to play a major role in colorectal, testicular or breast cancers.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: (mouse) mapping to 10 C1.

SOURCE

LKB1 (M-18) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of LKB1 of mouse 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-5640 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

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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APPLICATIONS

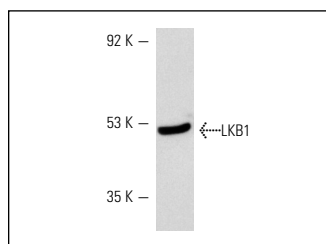
LKB1 (M-18) is recommended for detection of LKB1 of mouse and rat origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 µg per 100-500 µg of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)], immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

Suitable for use as control antibody for LKB1 siRNA (m): sc-35817, LKB1 siRNA (r): sc-270074, LKB1 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-35817-SH, LKB1 shRNA Plasmid (r): sc-270074-SH, LKB1 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-35817-V and LKB1 shRNA (r) Lentiviral Particles: sc-270074-V.

Molecular Weight of LKB1: 52 kDa.

Positive Controls: mouse kidney extract: sc-2255.

DATA



LKB1 (M-18): sc-5640. Western blot analysis of LKB1 expression in mouse kidney extract.

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RESEARCH USE

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