Myt 1 (C-20): sc-6352



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BACKGROUND

Phosphorylation of Cdc2 on Threonine 14 and Tyrosine 15 is required to maintain Cdc2 in an inactive state throughout the S and G_2 phases of the cell cycle. The human Wee 1 protein, Wee 1 Hu, encodes a tyrosine-specific protein kinase that phosphorylates Cdc2 on Tyrosine 15. Myt 1, a member of the Wee 1 family of protein kinases, has been shown to phosphorylate Cdc2 on both Threonine 14 and Tyrosine 15 in a cyclin-dependent manner. Activity of both Wee 1 Hu and Myt 1 is regulated during the cell cycle, suggesting that both proteins play a role in mitotic control. Dephosphorylation of Cdc2 on Threonine 14 and Tyrosine 15 in late G_2 by Cdc25 then activates the Cdc2/cyclin B complex to allow entry into mitosis.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: PKMYT1 (human) mapping to 16p13.3; Pkmyt1 (mouse) mapping to 17 A3.3.

SOURCE

Myt 1 (C-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the C-terminus of Myt 1 of human origin.

PRODUCT

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

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-6352 P, (100 μ g 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.

APPLICATIONS

Myt 1 (C-20) is recommended for detection of Myt 1 of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 μ g per 100-500 μ 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).

Myt 1 (C-20) is also recommended for detection of Myt 1 in additional species, including equine and canine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for Myt 1 siRNA (h): sc-35997, Myt 1 siRNA (m): sc-35998, Myt 1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-35997-SH, Myt 1 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-35998-SH, Myt 1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-35997-V and Myt 1 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-35998-V.

Molecular Weight of Myt 1: 50-60 kDa.

Positive Controls: HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200, K-562 whole cell lysate: sc-2203 or SK-BR-3 cell lysate: sc-2218.

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) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) 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.

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RESEARCH USE

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



Try **Myt 1 (G-11):** sc-74523, our highly recommended monoclonal alternative to Myt 1 (C-20).