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Lamin B2 (2Q1130): sc-71484



BACKGROUND

A unique family of cysteine proteases has been described that differs in sequence, structure and substrate specificity from any previously described protease family. This family, termed CED-3/ICE, functions as key components of the apoptotic machinery and act to destroy specific target proteins which are critical to cellular longevity. Nuclear lamins are critical to maintaining the integrity of the nuclear envelope and cellular morphology as components of the nuclear lamina, a fibrous layer on the nucleoplasmic side of the inner nuclear membrane, which is thought to provide a framework for the nuclear envelope and may also interact with chromatin. B-type lamins undergo a series of modifications such as farnesylation and phosphorylation. Increased phosphorylation of the lamins occurs before envelope disintegration and probably plays a role in regulating Lamin associations. Nuclear Lamin B is fragmented as a consequence of apoptosis by an unidentified member of the ICE family.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: LMNB2 (human) mapping to 19p13.3; Lmnb2 (mouse) mapping to 10 C1.

SOURCE

Lamin B2 (201130) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against the detergent insoluble fraction of PtK1 kidney cell line of kangaroo rat origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 50 $\mu g~lgG_1$ in 0.5 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

APPLICATIONS

Lamin B2 (201130) is recommended for detection of an epitope located in the C-terminal part of Lamin B2 of mouse, rat, human and *Xenopus laevis* 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 flow cytometry (1 μ g per 1 x 10⁶ cells).

Suitable for use as control antibody for Lamin B2 siRNA (h): sc-61885, Lamin B2 siRNA (m): sc-61886, Lamin B2 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-61885-SH, Lamin B2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-61886-SH, Lamin B2 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-61885-V and Lamin B2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-61886-V.

Molecular Weight of Lamin B2: 67 kDa.

Positive Controls: U-2 OS cell lysate: sc-2295, HL-60 whole cell lysate: sc-2209 or Lamin B2 (m): 293T Lysate: sc-121281.

DATA



Lamin B2 (201130): sc-71484. Western blot analysis of Lamin B2 expression in non-transfected 2931: sc-117752 (**A**), mouse Lamin B2 transfected 2931: sc-121281 (**B**) and HL-60 (**C**) whole cell lysates.

STORAGE

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

RESEARCH USE

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

PROTOCOLS

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