PMCA1/4 (6D131): sc-71907



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BACKGROUND

The plasma membrane Ca^{2+} -pumping ATPase (PMCA) mRNAs are encoded on four genes designated PMCA1-4. PMCA4b is the major PMCA expressed in developing mammary tissue. During lactation, PMCA1b expression increases while PMCA4b expression decreases, indicating that PMCAs play a critical role in maintaining cellular Ca^{2+} homeostasis. In addition, human PMCA4b may have an important role in regulating intracellular Ca^{2+} in the apoptotic cell. PMCA4b is cleaved at Asp 1080 by caspase-3 to produce a single fragment that is fully active, responding much faster to an increase in Ca^{2+} than the autoinhibited form. Both PMCA1 and PMCA4 are expressed at similar levels in astrocytes and in neurons.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: ATP2B1 (human) mapping to 12q21.33, ATP2B4 (human) mapping to 1q32.1; Atp2b1 (mouse) mapping to 10 C3, Atp2b4 (mouse) mapping to 1 E4.

SOURCE

PMCA1/4 (6D131) is a mouse monoclonal antibody epitope mapping to amino acids 719-738 of PMCA4b of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 $\mu g \ lgG_{2a}$ kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

STORAGE

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

APPLICATIONS

PMCA1/4 (6D131) is recommended for detection of PMCA1b, PMCA4a and PMCA4b of mouse, rat, human and *Arabidopsis thaliana* 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 immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500).

PMCA1/4 (6D131) is also recommended for detection of PMCA1b, PMCA4a and PMCA4b in additional species, including bovine, feline and canine.

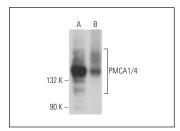
Molecular Weight of PMCA1/4: 129-140 kDa.

Positive Controls: HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200, JAR cell lysate: sc-2276 or Hep G2 cell lysate: sc-2227.

RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-lgG κ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-lgG κ BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz MarkerTM Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz[®] Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 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 m-lgG κ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-lgG κ BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz[®] Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz[®] Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850. 4) Immunohistochemistry: use m-lgG κ BP-HRP: sc-516102 with DAB, 50X: sc-24982 and Immunohistomount: sc-45086, or Organo/Limonene Mount: sc-45087.

DATA



PMCA1/4 (6D131): sc-71907. Western blot analysis of PMCA1/4 expression in HeLa (**A**) and Hep G2 (**B**) whole cell lysates.

SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

 Schmidt, N., et al. 2017. Neuroplastin and basigin are essential auxiliary subunits of plasma membrane Ca²⁺-ATPases and key regulators of Ca²⁺clearance. Neuron 96: 827-838.

RESEARCH USE

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