# BAP1 (1G8): sc-81616



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## **BACKGROUND**

Mutations within the BRCA1 gene, localized to chromosome 17q, are believed to account for approximately 45% of families with increased incidence of both early-onset breast cancer and ovarian cancer. The BRCA1 gene is expressed in numerous tissues, including breast and ovary, and encodes a predicted protein of 1,863 amino acids. This protein contains a RING domain near the N-terminus and appears to encode a tumor suppressor. BARD1 (BRCA1-associated RING domain protein 1) and BAP1 (BRCA1-associated protein 1) have both been shown to bind to the N-terminus of BRCA1 and are potential mediators of tumor suppression. BARD1 contains an N-terminal RING domain and three tandem ankyrin repeats. The C-terminus of BARD1 contains a region with sequence homology to BRCA1, termed the BRCT domain. BAP1 is a ubiquitin hydrolase and has been shown to enhance BRCA1-mediated cell growth suppression.

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## **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: BAP1 (human) mapping to 3p21.1.

#### **STORAGE**

Store at 4° C, \*\*D0 NOT FREEZE\*\*. Stable for one year from the date of shipment. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

### **PROTOCOLS**

See our web site at www.scbt.com or our catalog for detailed protocols and support products.

#### **SOURCE**

BAP1 (1G8) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against full length BAP1 of human origin.

## **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g$   $lgG_1$  in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

## **APPLICATIONS**

BAP1 (1G8) is recommended for detection of BAP1 of human origin by immunoprecipitation [1-2 µg per 100-500 µg of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)] and immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500).

Suitable for use as control antibody for BAP1 siRNA (h): sc-29787, BAP1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-29787-SH and BAP1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29787-V.

Molecular Weight of BAP1: 91 kDa.

Positive Controls: A-431 nuclear extract: sc-2122, HeLa nuclear extract: sc-2120 or A-431 whole cell lysate: sc-2201.

## **RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS**

To ensure optimal results, the following support (secondary) reagents are recommended: 1) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 2) Immunofluorescence: use goat antimouse IgG-FITC: sc-2010 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) or goat anti-mouse IgG-TR: sc-2781 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz™ Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

## **RESEARCH USE**

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

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