# POSH (YY-5): sc-100815



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#### **BACKGROUND**

Rho, Rac and Cdc42 are members of the small GTPase family. These proteins act as molecular switches, cycling between an active GTP-bound state and an inactive GDP-bound state. Activation of these proteins results in rearrangements of filamentous Actin and the formation of Actin stress fibers. Many of the targets of these GTPases are involved in signal transduction events mediated by Src3 homology (SH3) domains. POSH, for "plenty of SH3s", is a Rac binding protein with four SH3 domains. POSH preferentially interacts with the GTP form of Rac and not with the GDP-bound Rac. Ectopic expression of POSH elicits JNK activation and nuclear translocation of NF $\kappa$ B, suggesting that POSH is involved in Rac regulation of these kinase pathways. Overexpression of POSH has also been shown to induce apoptosis.

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# CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: SH3RF1 (human) mapping to 4q32.3; Sh3rf1 (mouse) mapping to 8 B3.1.

# **SOURCE**

POSH (YY-5) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against recombinant POSH of human origin.

## **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 100  $\mu g \, lg G_{2a}$  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.

### **PROTOCOLS**

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#### **APPLICATIONS**

POSH (YY-5) is recommended for detection of POSH of mouse, rat and human 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)] and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

Suitable for use as control antibody for POSH siRNA (h): sc-36293, POSH siRNA (m): sc-36294, POSH shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-36293-SH, POSH shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-36294-SH, POSH shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36293-V and POSH shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36294-V.

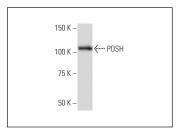
Molecular Weight of POSH: 110 kDa.

Positive Controls: KNRK whole cell lysate: sc-2214 or HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200.

### **RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS**

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-lgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-lgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker<sup>TM</sup> Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz<sup>®</sup> 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).

# DATA



POSH (YY-5): sc-100815. Western blot analysis of POSH expression in Hel a whole cell lysate.

## **SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS**

 Cunningham, C.A., et al. 2016. POSH regulates CD4+ T cell differentiation and survival. J. Immunol. 196: 4003-4013.

#### **RESEARCH USE**

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