

# KIFC1 (M-63): sc-100947

## BACKGROUND

The kinesins constitute a large family of microtubule-dependent motor proteins, which are responsible for the distribution of numerous organelles, vesicles and macromolecular complexes throughout the cell. Individual kinesin members play crucial roles in cell division, intracellular transport and membrane trafficking events including endocytosis and transcytosis. KIFC1 (kinesin family member C1), also known as HSET or KNSL2 (kinesin-like protein 2), is a 673 amino acid protein that belongs to the kinesin-like family of proteins. KIFC1 localizes to the nucleus and contains a C-terminal kinesin-motor domain. Functioning as a minus-end directed microtubule-dependent motor, KIFC1 works together with NuMA and cytoplasmic Dynein to organize microtubule minus ends at spindle poles. HeLa cells deficient in KIFC1 exhibit multipolar mitotic spindles, suggesting that KIFC1 is essential for bipolar spindle formation.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: KIFC1 (human) mapping to 6p21.32.

## SOURCE

KIFC1 (M-63) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against recombinant KIFC1 of human origin.

## PRODUCT

Each vial contains 100 µg IgG<sub>2a</sub> kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

## APPLICATIONS

KIFC1 (M-63) is recommended for detection of KIFC1 of 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)], immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500), immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

Suitable for use as control antibody for KIFC1 siRNA (h): sc-95157, KIFC1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-95157-SH and KIFC1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-95157-V.

Molecular Weight of KIFC1: 74 kDa.

Positive Controls: HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200.

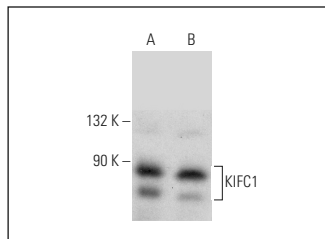
## RESEARCH USE

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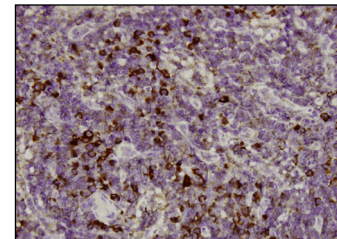
## STORAGE

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

## DATA



KIFC1 (M-63): sc-100947. Western blot analysis of KIFC1 expression in HeLa (A) and 293T (B) whole cell lysates.



KIFC1 (M-63): sc-100947. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded human lymph node tissue showing cytoplasmic localization.

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## PROTOCOLS

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