HSP 27 (h): 293 Lysate: sc-113042



The Power to Question

BACKGROUND

The heat shock proteins (HSPs) comprise a group of highly conserved, abundantly expressed proteins with diverse functions, including the assembly and sequestering of multiprotein complexes, transportation of nascent polypeptide chains across cellular membranes and regulation of protein folding. Heat shock proteins (also known as molecular chaperones) fall into six general families: HSP 90, HSP 70, HSP 60, the low molecular weight HSPs, the immunophilins and the HSP 110 family. The low molecular weight family includes HSP 10, HSP 20, HSP 27, HSP 32 and HSP 40. HSP 27 is a constitutively expressed cytoplasmic protein that co-localizes to the nucleus upon stress induced by insult. Heat, cytokines and hormones are among the factors that stimulate the synthesis of HSP 27. *In vitro*, HSP 27 becomes highly phosphorylated following exposure to stress. The discovery that HSP 27 is regulated by hormones such as estrogen has led to studies establishing a relationship between HSP 27 and breast cancer.

REFERENCES

- Ritossa, F. 1962. A new puffing pattern induced by temperature shock and DNP in *Drosophila*. Experientia 18: 571-573.
- Lemeaux, P.G., Herendeen, S.L., Bloch, P.L. and Neidhardt, F.C. 1978. Transient rates of synthesis of individual polypeptides in *E. coli* following temperature shifts. Cell 13: 427-434.
- Kelley, P. and Schlesinger, M.J. 1978. The effect of amino acid analogues and heat shock on gene expression in chicken embryo fibroblasts. Cell 15: 1277-1286.
- Schlesinger, M.J., Ashburner, M. and Tissieres, A., eds. 1982. Heat Shock: from Bacteria to Man. Cold Spring Harbor, New York: Cold Spring Harbor Press.
- Ciocca, D.R., Oesterreich, S., Chamness, G.C., McGuire, W.L. and Fuqua, S.A. 1993. Biological and clinical implications of heat shock protein 27,000 (HSP 27): a review. J. Natl. Cancer Inst. 85: 1558-1570.
- Todd, M.J., Viitanen, P.V. and Lorimer, G.H. 1994. Dynamics of the chaperonin ATPase cycle: implications for facilitated protein folding. Science 265: 659-666.
- Freshney, N.W., Rawlinson, L., Guesdon, F., Jones, E., Cowley, S., Hsuan, J. and Saklatvala, J. 1994. Interleukin-1 activates a novel protein kinase cascade that results in the phosphorylation of HSP 27. Cell 78: 1039-1049.
- 8. Mehlen, P., Mehlen, A., Guillet, D., Preville, X. and Arrigo, A.P. 1995. Tumor necrosis factor-α induces change in the phosphorylation, cellular localization, and oligomerization of human HSP 27, a stress protein that confers cellular resistance to this cytokine. J. Cell. Biochem. 58: 248-259.
- Satoh, J. and Kim, S.U. 1995. Cytokines and growth factors induce HSP 27 phosphorylation in human astrocytes. J. Neuropathol. Exp. Neurol. 54: 504-512.

CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: HSPB1 (human) mapping to 7q11.23.

PRODUCT

HSP 27 (h): 293 Lysate represents a lysate of human HSP 27 transfected 293 cells and is provided as 100 μ g protein in 200 μ l SDS-PAGE buffer.

APPLICATIONS

HSP 27 (h): 293 Lysate is suitable as a Western Blotting positive control for human reactive HSP 27 antibodies. Recommended use: 10-20 µl per lane.

Control 293 Lysate: sc-110760 is available as a Western Blotting negative control lysate derived from non-transfected 293 cells.

STORAGE

Store at -20° C. Repeated freezing and thawing should be minimized. Sample vial should be boiled once prior to use. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

RESEARCH USE

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

PROTOCOLS

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

Santa Cruz Biotechnology, Inc. 1.800.457.3801 831.457.3801 Fax 831.457.3801 Europe +00800 4573 8000 49 6221 4503 0 www.scbt.com