BACKGROUND

Two inhibitors of protein phosphatase 1 (PP1) include the phosphatase inhibitor 1 (IPP-1) and phosphatase inhibitor 2 (IPP-2). IPP-2, also known as I-2, interacts with the catalytic subunit of PP1 to form the heterodimer PP1I. The PP1I complex is present in the cytosol of cells in a broad range of vertebrate and invertebrate species. Although the heterodimer itself is inactive, a reversible phosphorylation of IPP-2 at Thr 72 by glycogen-synthase-kinase (GSK3) initiates activation of the heterodimer complex in vitro. Phosphorylation of IPP-2 by casein kinase-II at Ser 86, Ser 120, and Ser 121 enhances the rate of phosphorylation by GSK3 at Thr 72 and effectively activates the heterodimer complex. Besides moderating PP1 activity, IPP-2 may play a role as a chaperone for the correct folding of PP1. The gene for human IPP-2 maps to chromosome 3q29 in the major histocompatibility complex region.

REFERENCES


CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: PPP1R2 (human) mapping to 3q29, Ppplr2 (mouse) mapping to 16 B2.

SOURCE

IPP-2 (70.5) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against recombinant IPP-2 of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 100 µg IgG_{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

IPP-2 (70.5) is recommended for detection of IPP-2 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), 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).


Molecular Weight of IPP-2: 31 kDa.

Positive Controls: Raji whole cell lysate: sc-364236, NIH/3T3 whole cell lysate: sc-2210 or mouse skeletal muscle extract: sc-364250.

RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended:
1) Western Blotting: use m-IgGκ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgGκ BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker™ 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).
4) Immunohistochemistry: use m-IgGκ BP-HRP: sc-516102 with DAB, 50X: sc-24982 and Immunohistomount: sc-45086, or Orgeo/Limonene Mount: sc-45087.

DATA

IPP-2 (70.5): sc-130392. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded human placenta tissue showing nuclear localization.

RESEARCH USE

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

PROTOCOLS

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