

Pin1 (h): 293T Lysate: sc-171264

BACKGROUND

NIMA was originally shown in *Aspergillus nidulans* to be necessary for entry into mitosis. NIMA-related mammalian proteins have since been identified as Nek1, Nek2 and Nek3. High expression of Nek1 is seen in male and female germ cell lines of mouse. Nek2 is the closest known mammalian relative to NIMA. Like NIMA, Nek2 expression peaks at the G₂ to M phase transition. Pin1 was originally identified as a NIMA-interacting protein. Pin1 is a peptidyl-prolyl *cis/trans* isomerase (PPlase), which specifically binds to phosphoserine-proline or phosphothreonine-proline bonds in mitotic phosphoproteins. While previously identified PPlases have been shown to be involved in protein folding, assembly and transport, Pin1 is the first PPlase to be identified as a required protein for cell viability.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: PIN1 (human) mapping to 19p13.2.

PRODUCT

Pin1 (h): 293T Lysate represents a lysate of human Pin1 transfected 293T cells and is provided as 100 µg protein in 200 µl SDS-PAGE buffer.

APPLICATIONS

Pin1 (h): 293T Lysate is suitable as a Western Blotting positive control for human reactive Pin1 antibodies. Recommended use: 10-20 µl per lane.

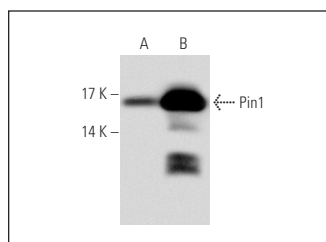
Control 293T Lysate: sc-117752 is available as a Western Blotting negative control lysate derived from non-transfected 293T cells.

Pin1 (G-8): sc-46660 is recommended as a positive control antibody for Western Blot analysis of enhanced human Pin1 expression in Pin1 transfected 293T cells (starting dilution 1:100, dilution range 1:100-1:1,000).

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.

DATA



Pin1 (G-8): sc-46660. Western blot analysis of Pin1 expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A) and human Pin1 transfected: sc-171264 (B) 293T whole cell lysates.

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.