# karyopherin 13 (A-9): sc-271560



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## **BACKGROUND**

Belonging to the importin  $\beta$  family, karyopherin 13 (Kap13), also known as Importin-13 (IPO13) or Ran-binding protein 13, is a 963 amino acid protein that contains 20 HEAT repeats and one importin N-terminal domain. Localizing to the nucleus as well as the cytoplasm, karyopherin 13 is expressed in fetal brain, heart, intestine and kidney. Karyopherin 13 acts as a nuclear transport receptor, participating in nuclear protein import and nuclear localization signals (NLS) in cargo substrates, in a Ras-related nuclear protein-GTPase dependent system. Karyopherin 13 mediates the nuclear import and/or export of UBC9, the RBM8A/MAGOH complex, Pax-6, eIF1AY and Ran. The gene encoding karyopherin 13 maps to human chromosome 1p34.1 and mouse chromosome 4 D2.1.

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# **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: IPO13 (human) mapping to 1p34.1; Ipo13 (mouse) mapping to 4 D2.1.

## **SOURCE**

karyopherin 13 (A-9) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of karyopherin 13 of human origin.

### **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g \ lgG_{2h}$  kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-271560 P, (100  $\mu g$  peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% stabilizer protein).

#### **STORAGE**

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

## **APPLICATIONS**

karyopherin 13 (A-9) is recommended for detection of karyopherin 13 of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2  $\mu$ g per 100-500  $\mu$ g of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)], immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

karyopherin 13 (A-9) is also recommended for detection of karyopherin 13 in additional species, including canine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for karyopherin 13 siRNA (h): sc-62521, karyopherin 13 siRNA (m): sc-62522, karyopherin 13 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-62521-SH, karyopherin 13 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-62521-V and karyopherin 13 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-62522-V.

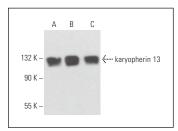
Molecular Weight of karyopherin 13: 109 kDa.

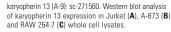
Positive Controls: Jurkat whole cell lysate: sc-2204, A-673 cell lysate: sc-2414 or HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200.

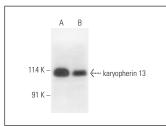
# **RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS**

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-lgGκ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-lgGκ BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker<sup>™</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). 3) Immunofluorescence: use m-lgGκ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-lgGκ BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz<sup>®</sup> Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz<sup>®</sup> Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

#### DATA







karyopherin 13 (A-9): sc-271560. Western blot analysis of karyopherin 13 expression in Jurkat (**A**) and HeLa (**B**) whole cell lysates.

# **RESEARCH USE**

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

# **PROTOCOLS**

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