

MAGE-C1 (F-2): sc-377473

BACKGROUND

The melanoma-associated antigen (MAGE) family consists of a number of antigens recognized by cytotoxic T lymphocytes. The MAGE genes were initially isolated from different kinds of tumors. Based on their virtually exclusive tumor-specific expression in adult tissues, they have been used as targets for cancer immunotherapy. MAGE genes encode for tumor-rejection antigens and are expressed in tumors of different histologic types, but not in normal tissues, with the exception of testis and placenta. Although a large number of MAGE genes have now been identified and extensively studied in tumors of various origin, their function in normal cells remains unknown. Also referred to as CT7, MAGE-C1 is a member of the MAGE family that is expressed in multiple myeloma and that correlates with plasma-cell proliferation.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: MAGEC1 (human) mapping to Xq27.2.

SOURCE

MAGE-C1 (F-2) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 1-175 mapping at the N-terminus of MAGE-C1 of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 µg IgG_{2a} kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

APPLICATIONS

MAGE-C1 (F-2) is recommended for detection of MAGE-C1 of human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, 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 solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

Suitable for use as control antibody for MAGE-C1 siRNA (h): sc-62579, MAGE-C1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-62579-SH and MAGE-C1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-62579-V.

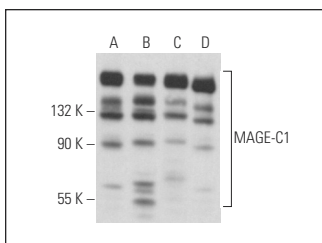
Molecular Weight of MAGE-C1: 124 kDa.

Positive Controls: NCI-H929 whole cell lysate: sc-364786, TT whole cell lysate: sc-36419 or U266 whole cell lysate: sc-364800.

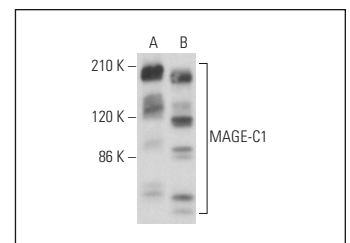
RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

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). 3) Immunofluorescence: use m-IgGκ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgGκ BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz® Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz® Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

DATA



MAGE-C1 (F-2): sc-377473. Western blot analysis of MAGE-C1 expression in AN3CA (A), NCI-H929 (B), TT (C) and U266 (D) whole cell lysates.



MAGE-C1 (F-2): sc-377473. Western blot analysis of MAGE-C1 expression in A2058 (A) and U-2 OS (B) whole cell lysates.

STORAGE

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

RESEARCH USE

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



See **MAGE-C1 (CT7-33): sc-53868** for MAGE-C1 antibody conjugates, including AC, HRP, FITC, PE, and Alexa Fluor® 488, 546, 594, 647, 680 and 790.