**BACKGROUND**

Essential meiotic endonuclease 1 (Eme1), a member of the Eme1/Mms4 family, associates with MUS81 to constitute a heterodimeric endonuclease that has been implicated in mitotic and meiotic recombination in eukaryotes. The MUS81-Eme1 complex cleaves branched DNA structures, especially those arising during stalled DNA replication such as replication forks and 3’ DNA flaps. When purified from yeast, this complex cleaves synthetic Holliday junctions into linear duplex DNA. These findings provide compelling evidence that MUS81-Eme1 complexes are essential elements of the eukaryotic nuclear Holliday junction resolvase. Eme1 may also be required in mitosis for the processing of collapsed replication forks. Eme1 is typically localized to the nucleolus and is recruited to regions of DNA damage in S phase cells.

**REFERENCES**


**CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: EME1 (human) mapping to 17q21.33.

**SOURCE**

Eme1 (E-6) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 1-300 mapping at the N-terminus of Eme1 of human origin.

**PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200 µg IgG kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

**APPLICATIONS**

Eme1 (E-6) is recommended for detection of Eme1 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 1:30-1:300).

Suitable for use as control antibody for Eme1 siRNA (h): sc-72080, Eme1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-72080-SH and Eme1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-72080-V.

Molecular Weight of Eme1: 65 kDa.

Positive Controls: K-562 whole cell lysate: sc-2203, HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200 or Jurkat whole cell lysate: sc-2204.

**RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS**

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended:

1) Western Blotting: use m-IgG BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgG BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, TBS Blotto A Blocking Reagent: sc-2333 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml).


**DATA**

**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 [Eme1 (MTA31 7h2/1): sc-53275](#) for Eme1 antibody conjugates, including AC, HRP, FITC, PE, Alexa Fluor® 488 and Alexa Fluor® 647.