BICD2 (E-12): sc-393631



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BACKGROUND

BICD2 [bicaudal D homolog 2 (*Drosophila*)], whose alternative names include protein bicaudal D homolog 2, Bic-D 2, KIAA0699 or bA526D8.1, is one of two human homologs of *Drosophila* BICD and consists of 824 amino acids. BICD2 is ubiquitously expressed and localizes to the Golgi apparatus, cytoplasm and cytoskeleton. BICD2 colocalizes with Rab 6A on the *trans*-Golgi network (TGN) and on cytoplasmic vesicles, and is known to recruit the dynein-dynactin motor complex to regulate coat complex coatomer protein I (COPI)-independent Golgi-to-endoplasmic reticulum vacuolar transport. BICD2 is phosphorylated by NEK9 *in vitro*, and interacts with Dynactin 2. Existing as two isoforms due to alternative splicing events, BICD2 is encoded by a gene mapping to human chromosome 9.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: BICD2 (human) mapping to 9q22.31; Bicd2 (mouse) mapping to 13 A5.

SOURCE

BICD2 (E-12) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 154-173 near the N-terminus of BICD2 of human origin.

PRODUCT

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

BICD2 (E-12) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-393631 AC), 500 μ g/ 0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; to HRP (sc-393631 HRP), 200 μ g/ml, for WB, IHC(P) and ELISA; to either phycoerythrin (sc-393631 PE), fluorescein (sc-393631 FITC), Alexa Fluor 488 (sc-393631 AF488), Alexa Fluor 546 (sc-393631 AF546), Alexa Fluor 594 (sc-393631 AF594) or Alexa Fluor 647 (sc-393631 AF647), 200 μ g/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM; and to either Alexa Fluor 680 (sc-393631 AF680) or Alexa Fluor 790 (sc-393631 AF790), 200 μ g/ml, for Near-Infrared (NIR) WB, IF and FCM.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-393631 P, (100 μ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% stabilizer protein).

APPLICATIONS

BICD2 (E-12) is recommended for detection of BICD2 of mouse, rat and 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), immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

BICD2 (E-12) is also recommended for detection of BICD2 in additional species, including equine and porcine.

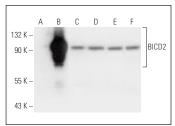
Suitable for use as control antibody for BICD2 siRNA (h): sc-92831, BICD2 siRNA (m): sc-141701, BICD2 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-92831-SH, BICD2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-141701-SH, BICD2 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-92831-V and BICD2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-141701-V.

Molecular Weight (predicted) of BICD2: 94 kDa.

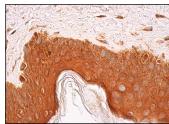
Molecular Weight (observed) of BICD2: 104 kDa.

Positive Controls: BICD2 (m): 293T Lysate: sc-118810, MES-SA/Dx5 cell lysate: sc-2284 or SK-MEL-28 cell lysate: sc-2236.

DATA



BICD2 (E-12): sc-393631. Western blot analysis of BICD2 expression in non-transfected 293T: sc-117752 (A), mouse BICD2 transfected 293T: sc-118810 (B), MES-SA/Dx5 (C), SK-MEL-28 (D), HeLa (E) and T24 (F) whole cell lysates.



BICD2 (E-12): sc-393631. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human skin tissue showing cytoplasmic staining of keratinocytes, Fibroblasts, Langerhans cells and melanocytes.

SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

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STORAGE

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