Calpain 6 (1395CT446.22.5): sc-517318



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BACKGROUND

Calpains are calcium-activated thiol proteases involved in intracellular processing of proteins and signal transduction. The classic calpains are heterodimers with one large subunit, one small subunit and five EF-hand-calcium binding structures. The large subunit varies between family members and can be active without the small subunit. Calpain 6 (Capn6), also designated calpamodulin, CalpM or calpain-like protease X-linked, belongs to the peptidase C-2 family of proteins. It is exclusively expressed in placenta and may play a role in embryogenesis. Calpain 6, in addition to Calpain 10 and Calpain 5, differs from other subfamily members by the presence of a T-domain that is homologous to the *Caenorhabditis elegans* protein Tra-3. Calpain 6 is distinct from other calpains in that it lacks the cysteine and histidine residues required for protease activity. Overexpression of Calpain 6 leads to failure of cytokinesis and formation of microtubule bundles. This results in cells containing multiple nuclei. Calpain 6 may function in Actin organization and microtubule stability.

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STORAGE

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

CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: CAPN6 (human) mapping to Xg23.

SOURCE

Calpain 6 (1395CT446.22.5) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against a recombinant protein corresponding to Calpain 6 of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 100 μg lgG_1 in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

APPLICATIONS

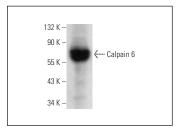
Calpain 6 (1395CT446.22.5) is recommended for detection of Calpain 6 of human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 μ g per 100-500 μ g of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)] and flow cytometry (1 μ g per 1 x 10⁶ cells).

Suitable for use as control antibody for Calpain 6 siRNA (h): sc-62066, Calpain 6 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-62066-SH and Calpain 6 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-62066-V.

Molecular Weight of Calpain 6: 74 kDa.

Positive Controls: human placenta extract: sc-363772.

DATA



Calpain 6 (1395CT446.22.5): sc-517318. Western blot analysis of Calpain 6 expression in human placenta tissue extract.

RESEARCH USE

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

PROTOCOLS

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