



Dkk-2 (183D2D): sc-517634

BACKGROUND

The Wnt genes are a group of well conserved, cysteine-rich secreted glycoproteins that are required for numerous developmental processes including embryogenesis, asymmetric cell division and central nervous system (CNS) patterning. Wnt association with the seven membrane spanning receptor Frizzled, activates Dishevelled, which downregulates glycogen synthase kinase (GSK) through serine phosphorylation, causing the accumulation of β -Catenin and subsequent regulation of developmentally significant Wnt target genes. The Dickkopf family of secreted inhibitors of Wnt signaling ensures proper morphological development by antagonizing different stages of the Wnt cascade. Dkk-2 (Dickkopf-2) is a 259-amino acid secreted protein that is composed of an N-terminal signal peptide and two conserved cysteine-rich domains, which are separated by a 50-55-amino acid linker region.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: DKK2 (human) mapping to 4q25; Dkk2 (mouse) mapping to 3 G3.

SOURCE

Dkk-2 (183D2D) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against recombinant Dkk-2 of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 100 μ g IgG γ kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

STORAGE

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

APPLICATIONS

Dkk-2 (183D2D) is recommended for detection of Dkk-2 of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000).

Suitable for use as control antibody for Dkk-2 siRNA (h): sc-37084, Dkk-2 siRNA (m): sc-37085, Dkk-2 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-37084-SH, Dkk-2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-37085-SH, Dkk-2 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-37084-V and Dkk-2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-37085-V.

Molecular Weight of Dkk-2: 28 kDa.

RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-IgG κ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgG κ 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.

RESEARCH USE

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

PROTOCOLS

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