

ISL1 Antibody

Mouse Monoclonal Antibody to ISL1 Catalog # AO1276b

Product Information

ApplicationWB, ICC, EPrimary AccessionP61371ReactivityHumanHostMouseClonalityMonoclonal

Clone Names 1B1

Isotype Mouse IgG1 **Calculated MW** 39036

Description ISL1 (ISL1 transcription factor, LIM/homeodomain) is a member of the

LIM/homeodomain family of transcription factors. It binds to the enhancer region of the insulin gene, among others, and may play an important role in regulating insulin gene expression. It is central to the development of pancreatic cell lineages and may also be required for motor neuron

generation. Islet-1 expression defines cardiac progenitor cell populations and is required for normal cardiac development and asymmetry. Mutations in this

gene have been associated with maturity-onset diabetes of the young.

Immunogen Purified recombinant fragment of human ISL1 expressed in E. Coli.

Additional Information

Gene ID 3670

Other Names Insulin gene enhancer protein ISL-1, Islet-1, ISL1

Target/Specificity Purified recombinant fragment of human ISL1 expressed in E. Coli.

Dilution WB~~1:500~~2000 ICC~~1:200~~1000 E~~N/A

Format Ascitic fluid containing 0.03% sodium azide.

Storage Maintain refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 6 months. For long term storage store

at -20°C in small aliquots to prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

Precautions ISL1 Antibody is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or

therapeutic procedures.

Protein Information

Name ISL1

Function

DNA-binding transcriptional activator. Recognizes and binds to the consensus octamer binding site 5'-ATAATTAA-3' in promoter of target genes. Plays a fundamental role in the gene regulatory network essential for retinal ganglion cell (RGC) differentiation. Cooperates with the transcription factor POU4F2 to achieve maximal levels of expression of RGC target genes and RGC fate specification in the developing retina. Involved in the specification of motor neurons in cooperation with LHX3 and LDB1 (By similarity). Binds to insulin gene enhancer sequences (By similarity). Essential for heart development. Marker of one progenitor cell population that give rise to the outflow tract, right ventricle, a subset of left ventricular cells, and a large number of atrial cells as well, its function is required for these progenitors to contribute to the heart. Controls the expression of FGF and BMP growth factors in this cell population and is required for proliferation and survival of cells within pharyngeal foregut endoderm and adjacent splanchnic mesoderm as well as for migration of cardiac progenitors into the heart (By similarity).

Cellular Location

Nucleus {ECO:0000250 | UniProtKB:P61372}.

Tissue Location

Expressed in subsets of neurons of the adrenal medulla and dorsal root ganglion, inner nuclear and ganglion cell layers in the retina, the pineal and some regions of the brain

References

- 1. Cell. 1996 Jan 26;84(2):309-20.
- 2. J Neurosci. 2008 Mar 26;28(13):3291-7.

Images

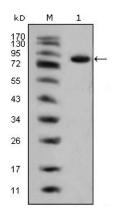


Figure 1: Western blot analysis using ISL1 mouse mAb against full-length ISL1 (aa1-349)-hIgGFc transfected HEK293 cell lysate(1).

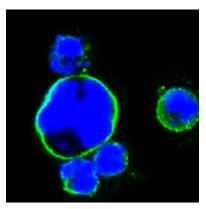


Figure 2: Confocal immunofluorescence analysis of HEK293 cells trasfected with full-length ISL1-hIgGFc using ISL1 mouse mAb (green). Blue: DRAQ5 fluorescent DNA dve.

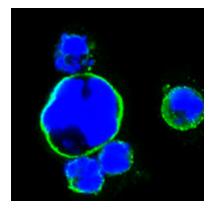


Figure 2: Confocal immunofluorescence analysis of HEK293 cells trasfected with full-length ISL1-hIgGFc using anti-ISL1 monoclonal antioby (green). Blue: DRAQ5 fluorescent DNA dye.

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