

MAP3K4 Antibody (monoclonal) (M02)

Mouse monoclonal antibody raised against a partial recombinant MAP3K4.

Catalog # AT2775a

Product Information

Application	WB, IHC
Primary Accession	Q9Y6R4
Other Accession	NM_005922
Reactivity	Human, Mouse
Host	mouse
Clonality	monoclonal
Isotype	IgG1 Kappa
Clone Names	6C6
Calculated MW	181685

Additional Information

Gene ID	4216
Other Names	Mitogen-activated protein kinase kinase kinase 4, MAP three kinase 1, MAPK/ERK kinase kinase 4, MEK kinase 4, MEKK 4, MAP3K4, KIAA0213, MAPKKK4, MEKK4, MTK1
Target/Specificity	MAP3K4 (NP_005913, 1201 a.a. ~ 1300 a.a) partial recombinant protein with GST tag. MW of the GST tag alone is 26 KDa.
Dilution	WB~~1:500~1000 IHC~~1:100~500
Format	Clear, colorless solution in phosphate buffered saline, pH 7.2 .
Storage	Store at -20°C or lower. Aliquot to avoid repeated freezing and thawing.
Precautions	MAP3K4 Antibody (monoclonal) (M02) is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

Background

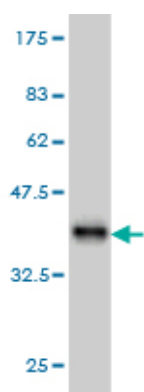
The central core of each mitogen-activated protein kinase (MAPK) pathway is a conserved cascade of 3 protein kinases: an activated MAPK kinase kinase (MAPKKK) phosphorylates and activates a specific MAPK kinase (MAPKK), which then activates a specific MAPK. While the ERK MAPKs are activated by mitogenic stimulation, the CSBP2 and JNK MAPKs are activated by environmental stresses such as osmotic shock, UV irradiation, wound stress, and inflammatory factors. This gene encodes a MAPKKK, the MEKK4 protein, also called MTK1. This protein contains a protein kinase catalytic domain at the C terminus. The N-terminal nonkinase domain may contain a regulatory domain. Expression of MEKK4 in mammalian cells activated the CSBP2 and JNK MAPK pathways, but not the ERK pathway. In vitro kinase studies indicated that recombinant MEKK4 can specifically phosphorylate and activate PRKMK6 and SERK1, MAPKKs that activate CSBP2 and JNK,

respectively but cannot phosphorylate PRKMK1, an MAPKK that activates ERKs. MEKK4 is a major mediator of environmental stresses that activate the CSBP2 MAPK pathway, and a minor mediator of the JNK pathway. Two alternatively spliced transcripts encoding distinct isoforms have been described.

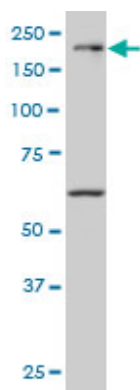
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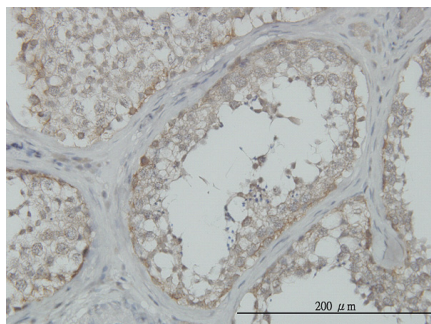
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Antibody Reactive Against Recombinant Protein. Western Blot detection against Immunogen (36.63 KDa) .



MAP3K4 monoclonal antibody (M02), clone 6C6 Western Blot analysis of MAP3K4 expression in NIH/3T3 (Cat # AT2775a)



Immunoperoxidase of monoclonal antibody to MAP3K4 on formalin-fixed paraffin-embedded human testis. [antibody concentration 3 ug/ml]