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MELK-pY438 Antibody

Phosphosite-specific polyclonal antibody for monitoring the phosphorylation of human protein-serine/threonine kinase MELK

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Target Protein

Name Long:	Maternal embryonic leucine zipper kinase
Alias:	hMELK; hPK38; KIAA0175; Maternal embryonic leucine zipper kinase; MELK; pEg3 kinase; Protein kinase PK38
UniProt ID:	Q14680
Sequence Predicted Mass (KDa):	74.642 (651 AA; Q14680); 71.174 (619 AA; Q14680-6); 70.150 (610 AA; Q14680-7); 69.116 (603 AA; Q14680-8); 66.547 (580 AA; Q14680-5); 66.399 (580 AA; Q14680-2); 59.576 (520 AA; Q14680-4); 52.528 (457 AA; Q14680-3)
Observed SDS-PAGE Mass (KDa):	70-75

Immunogen

Antibody Immunogen Source:	Human MELK sequence peptide Cat. No.: PE-04AOA01
Antibody Immunogen Sequence:	NEE(pY)FMF(bA)C (bA) = beta-alanine
Location in Target:	Corresponds to amino acid residues N435 to F441; In the C-terminal third of the protein kinase. This is the major in vivo phosphorylation site in MELK.
Peptide Type:	For phosphosite-specific recognition of target.
Target Phosphosite:	Tyr-438

Production

Antibody Host Species:	Rabbit
Antibody Type:	Polyclonal
Antibody Ig Isotype Clone Lot:	Immunoglobulin G
Production Method:	The immunizing peptide was produced by solid phase synthesis on a multipep peptide synthesizer and purified by reverse-phase hplc chromatography. Purity was assessed by analytical hplc and the amino acid sequence confirmed by mass spectrometry analysis. This peptide was coupled to KLH prior to immunization into rabbits. New Zealand White rabbits were subcutaneously injected with KLH-coupled immunizing peptide every 4 weeks for 4 months. The sera from each animal was applied onto an agarose column to which the immunogen peptide was thio-linked. Antibody was eluted from the column with 0.1 M glycine, pH 2.5. Subsequently, the antibody solution was neutralized to pH 7.0 with saturated Tris.This antibody was also subject to negative purification over phosphotyrosine-agarose.
Antibody Amount:	25 µg
Antibody Concentration:	0.5 / 0.5 mg/ml
Lot Number:	150305 / 160121
Storage Buffer:	Phosphate buffered saline (PBS) pH7.4, 0.05% Thimerasol
Storage Conditions and Stability:	For long term storage, keep frozen at -40°C or lower. Stock solution can be kept at +4°C for more than 3 months. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

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Applications

Product Use:	Western blotting | Antibody microarrays
Antibody Dilution Recommended:	2 µg/ml for immunoblotting
Antibody Species Reactivity:	Human, mouse, rat and many other mammals
Overall Antibody Specificity:	Very high selectivity
Antibody Cross Reactivities:	No significant cross-reactive proteins detected in phenylarsine oxide (PAO)+vanadate-treated HeLa cells, EGF-treated A431 cells and insulin-treated MCF7 cells, when these cells were homogenized in SDS-PAGE sample buffer.