

PRODUCT DATA SHEET

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Akt (Phospho-Ser124) polyclonal antibody

Catalog: AP0527 Host: Rabbit Reactivity: Human, Rat, Mouse

BackGround:

Akt, also referred to as PKB or Rac, plays a critical role in controlling cell survival and apoptosis. This protein kinase is activated by insulin and various growth and survival factors to function in a wortmannin-sensitive pathway involving PI3 kinase. Akt is activated by phospholipid binding and activation loop phosphorylation at Thr308 by PDK1 and by phosphorylation within the carboxy terminus at Ser473. The previously elusive PDK2 responsible for phosphorylation of Akt at Ser473 has been identified as mammalian target of rapamycin (mTOR) in a rapamycin-insensitive complex with rictor and Sin1. Akt promotes cell survival by inhibiting apoptosis through phosphorylation and inactivation of several targets, including Bad, forkhead transcription factors, c-Raf, and caspase-9. PTEN phosphatase is a major negative regulator of the PI3K/Akt signaling pathway. LY294002 is a specific PI3 kinase inhibitor. Another essential Akt function is the regulation of glycogen synthesis through phosphorylation and inactivation of GSK-3α and β. Akt may also play a role in insulin stimulation of glucose transport. In addition to its role in survival and glycogen synthesis, Akt is involved in cell cycle regulation by preventing GSK-3β-mediated phosphorylation and degradation of cyclin D1 and by negatively regulating the cyclin-dependent kinase inhibitors p27 Kip1 and p21 Waf1/Cip1. Akt also plays a critical role in cell growth by directly phosphorylating mTOR in a rapamycin-sensitive complex containing raptor. More importantly, Akt phosphorylates and inactivates tuberin (TSC2), an inhibitor of mTOR within the mTOR-raptor complex.

JNK reactivates Akt after ischemic injury by phosphorylating Thr450, a priming event for subsequent phosphorylation by 3-phosphoinositide-dependent protein kinase.

Product:

Rabbit IgG, 1mg/ml in PBS with 0.02% sodium azide, 50% glycerol, pH7.2.

Molecular Weight:

~ 60 kDa

Swiss-Prot:

P31751, Q9Y243, P31749

Purification&Purity:

The antibody was affinity-purified from rabbit antiserum by affinity-chromatography using epitope-specific immunogen and the purity is > 95% (by SDS-PAGE).

Applications:

WB: 1:500~1:1000

IF: 1:50~200

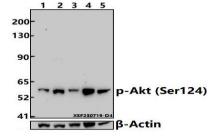
Storage&Stability:

Store at $4 \, \mathbb{C}$ short term. Aliquot and store at $-20 \, \mathbb{C}$ long term. Avoid freeze-thaw cycles.

Specificity:

Akt (Phospho-Ser124) polyclonal antibody detects endogenous levels of Akt protein only when phosphorylated at Ser124.

DATA:



Western blot (WB) analysis of Akt (Phospho-Ser124) polyclonal anti-

body at 1:500 dilution

Lane1:HEK293T whole cell lysate(30ug)

Lane2:HEK293T treated with insulin(1 uM,30 minutes) whole cell ly-sate(30ug)

Lane3:MCF-7 whole cell lysate(30ug)

Lane4:BV2 whole cell lysate(30ug)

Lane5:PC12 whole cell lysate(30ug)

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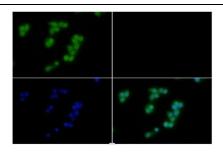
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Immunofluorescence analysis of MCF-7 cells using Akt (Phospho-Ser124) pAb at dilution of 1:200 (40x lens).

Note:

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

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