Technical Data Sheet

Purified Mouse anti-Nucleostemin

Product Information

Material Number: 562749
Alternate Name: GNL3, E2-induced gene 3 protein, NNP47, Nucleolar GTP-binding protein 3
Size: 0.1 mg
Concentration: 0.5 mg/ml
Clone: P22-1125
Immunogen: Human Nucleostemin Recombinant Protein
Isotype: Mouse IgG1, κ
Reactivity: QC Testing: Human
Tested in Development: Mouse
Target MW: ~ 62 kDa
Storage Buffer: Aqueous buffered solution containing ≤0.09% sodium azide.

Description

Nucleostemin, also known as guanine nucleotide binding protein-like 3 (GNL3), was first identified in CNS stem cells and has subsequently been shown to be expressed in embryonic stem cells, bone-marrow derived stem cells, corneal epithelial cells, as well as multiple cancer cell lines and tumors. As its name suggests, nucleostemin is localized to the nucleolus and contains GTP-binding motifs. Nucleostemin has been implicated in cell cycle progression and the maintenance of proliferation. Interestingly, the depletion and the over-expression of nucleostemin cause cell cycle arrest. Both these mechanisms of cell cycle arrest are through a p53 dependant manner. The expression of nucleostemin is down-regulated during stem cell differentiation in vivo and in vitro.

Preparation and Storage

The monoclonal antibody was purified from tissue culture supernatant or ascites by affinity chromatography. Store undiluted at 4°C.

TOP LEFT: Western blot analysis of Nucleostemin expression in human embryonic carcinoma and mouse embryonic stem (ES) cells. Lysates from a human embryonic carcinoma cell line NCCIT (ATCC CRL-2073™, left blot) and mouse ES-E14TG2a (ATCC CRL-1821™, right blot) were probed with Purified Mouse anti-Nucleostemin monoclonal antibody at titrations of 2.0 (lane 1), 1.0 (lane 2), and 0.5 μg/ml (lane 3). Proteins were detected using HRP Goat Anti-Mouse Ig (Cat. No. 554002) and a chemiluminescent detection system.

TOP RIGHT: Immunofluorescent staining of Nucleostemin in human embryonic stem cells. H9 human ES cells (WiCell, Madison, WI) passage 31 grown in mTESR™1 medium (StemCell Technologies) on BD Matrigel™ hESC-qualified Matrix (Cat. No. 354277) were fixed with BD Cytofix™ Buffer (Cat. No. 554655), permeabilized, and stained with Purified Mouse anti-Nucleostemin monoclonal antibody (pseudo-colored green) at 1.2 μg/ml. The second-step reagent was Alexa Fluor® 488 goat anti-mouse Ig (Life Technologies) and counter-staining was with DAPI (pseudo-colored blue). The images were captured on a BD Pathway™ 435 Cell Analyzer and merged using BD Attovision™ Software. Permeabilization was with 1x BD Perm/Wash™ Buffer (Cat No. 554723); Triton™ X-100 is also suitable for permeabilization.

BOTTOM ROW: Immunohistochemical staining of Nucleostemin in human embryonic stem cells. 1x BD Perm/Wash™ Buffer (Cat No. 554723); Triton™ X-100 is also suitable for permeabilization.

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Application Notes

Application

- Western blot: Routinely Tested
- Bioimaging: Tested During Development
- Immunofluorescence: Tested During Development
- Immunohistochemistry-formalin (antigen retrieval required): Tested During Development
- Intracellular staining (flow cytometry): Tested During Development

Suggested Companion Products

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Product Notices

1. Since applications vary, each investigator should titrate the reagent to obtain optimal results.
3. Caution: Sodium azide yields highly toxic hydrazoic acid under acidic conditions. Dilute azide compounds in running water before discarding to avoid accumulation of potentially explosive deposits in plumbing.
4. Sodium azide is a reversible inhibitor of oxidative metabolism; therefore, antibody preparations containing this preservative agent must not be used in cell cultures or injected into animals. Sodium azide may be removed by washing stained cells or plate-bound antibody or dialyzing soluble antibody in sodium azide-free buffer. Since endotoxin may also affect the results of functional studies, we recommend the NA/LE (No Azide/Low Endotoxin) antibody format, if available, for in vitro and in vivo use.
5. Triton is a trademark of the Dow Chemical Company.
6. mTESR™1 is a trademark of StemCell Technologies.

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