

HSPA5 Mouse Monoclonal

Antibody

Background:

When Chinese hamster K12 cells are starved of glucose, the synthesis of several proteins, called glucose-regulated proteins (GRPs), is markedly increased. Hendershot et al. (1994) (PubMed 8020977) pointed out that one of these, GRP78 (HSPA5), also referred to as 'immunoglobulin heavy chain-binding protein' (BiP), is a member of the heat-shock protein-70 (HSP70) family and is involved in the folding and assembly of proteins in the endoplasmic reticulum (ER). Because so many ER proteins interact transiently with GRP78, it may play a key role in monitoring protein transport through the cell. Probably plays a role in facilitating the assembly of multimeric protein complexes inside the ER.The HSP70 proteins are ubiquitous molecular chaparones that are found in all organisms and tissue types. Like other members of the HSP70 family, BiP is a peptide-binding ATPase that is able to differentiate native proteins from unfolded polypeptides. BiP does not bind to fully folded and assembled proteins, except in the presence of other co-chaparones. BiP is involved in a number of key mechanisms and pathways including polypeptide translocation across the endoplasmic reticulum, folding, assembly, transport of secreted or membrane proteins, and the regulation of calcium homeostasis. Although BiP is relatively abundant, marked increases in BiP occur where there is an accumulation of unfolded polypeptides.

Catalog Number: E10-30028

Amount: 100μg/100μl

Clone Number: 4E3

Species: Mouse IgG1 **MW** 78kDa

Aliases: BIP; MIF2; GRP78; FLJ26106; HSPA5

Entrez Gene: 3309

Immunogen: Purified recombinant fragment of human HSPA5 expressed in E. Coli.

Storage: Store at 4° C, for long term storage, store at -20° C.

Formulation: Ascitic fluid containing 0.03% sodium azide.

Species Reactivities: Human

Tested Applications: WB, IHC, ELISA. Not yet tested in other applications.

Application notes: WB: 1/500 - 1/2000, IHC: 1/200-1/1000, ELISA: Propose dilution 1/10000.

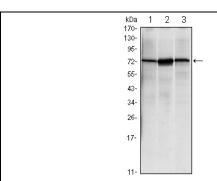


Figure 1: Western blot analysis using HSPA5 mouse mAb against NIH/3T3 (1), Hela (2) and Jurkat (3) cell lysate.

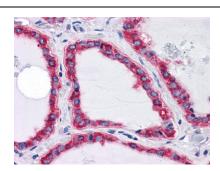


Figure 2: Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffinembedded human Thyroid tissues using HSPA5 mouse mAb