

Anti-Phospho-AKT (Ser473) Polyclonal Antibody

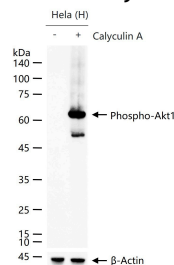
Product Details

Ig Type:	IgG
Reactivity:	Human (predicted:Mouse,Rat)
Molecular Weight:	Theoretical: 56 kDa. Actual: 60 kDa.
Purification:	Protein A purified

Applications

Verified Activity:

Hela (H) cells were treated with or without Calyculin A (100nM) for 30 min, 25 µg total protein per Lane of cell lysates probed with Phospho-Akt1 (Ser473) polyclonal antibody, unconjugated (TMAB-01379) at 1:1000 dilution and 4°C overnight incubation. Followed by conjugated secondary antibody incubation at RT for 60 min.



Application:	WB
Recommended	WB=1:500-2000

Properties

Stability & Storage:	Store at -20°C or -80°C for 12 months. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.
Shipping:	Shipping with blue ice.

Antigen Details

Immunogen:	KLH conjugated Synthesised phosphopeptide: human AKT around the phosphorylation site of Ser473
Antigen Species:	Human
Gene ID:	207
Uniprot ID:	P31749
Synonyms:	AKT (p-Ser473);PKB-ALPHA;p-AKT (S473);AKT (p-S473);RAC-ALPHA;RAC;p-AKT (Ser473);AKT;PKB;Phospho-AKT (S473);PRKBA
Biology Area:	Metabolism,AKT,Nuclear,Apoptosis,PKB / AKT

Research Background

This gene encodes one of the three members of the human AKT serine-threonine protein kinase family which are often referred to as protein kinase B alpha, beta, and gamma. These highly similar AKT proteins all have an N-terminal pleckstrin homology domain, a serine/threonine-specific kinase domain and a C-terminal regulatory domain. These proteins are phosphorylated by phosphoinositide 3-kinase (PI3K). AKT/PI3K forms a key component

of many signalling pathways that involve the binding of membrane-bound ligands such as receptor tyrosine kinases, G-protein coupled receptors, and integrin-linked kinase. These AKT proteins therefore regulate a wide variety of cellular functions including cell proliferation, survival, metabolism, and angiogenesis in both normal and malignant cells. AKT proteins are recruited to the cell membrane by phosphatidylinositol 3,4,5-trisphosphate (PIP3) after phosphorylation of phosphatidylinositol 4,5-bisphosphate (PIP2) by PI3K. Subsequent phosphorylation of both threonine residue 308 and serine residue 473 is required for full activation of the AKT1 protein encoded by this gene. Phosphorylation of additional residues also occurs, for example, in response to insulin growth factor-1 and epidermal growth factor. Protein phosphatases act as negative regulators of AKT proteins by dephosphorylating AKT or PIP3. The PI3K/AKT signalling pathway is crucial for tumor cell survival. Survival factors can suppress apoptosis in a transcription-independent manner by activating AKT1 which then phosphorylates and inactivates components of the apoptotic machinery. AKT proteins also participate in the mammalian target of rapamycin (mTOR) signalling pathway which controls the assembly of the eukaryotic translation initiation factor 4F (eIF4E) complex and this pathway, in addition to responding to extracellular signals from growth factors and cytokines, is dysregulated in many cancers. Mutations in this gene are associated with multiple types of cancer and excessive tissue growth including Proteus syndrome and Cowden syndrome 6, and breast, colorectal, and ovarian cancers. Multiple alternatively spliced transcript variants have been found for this gene. [provided by RefSeq, Jul 2020]

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