

MAPKAPK-2 Polyclonal Antibody

CATALOG NO: 3100-30T 30 µg (Trial size)
3100-100 100 µg

IMMUNOGEN: Synthetic peptide surrounding amino acid 365 of mouse MAPKAPK-2 (Internal ID# BV-A8)

SPECIES REACTIVITY: Human, Mouse, Rat, Dog, Bovine, Hamster

FORMULATION:

0.5 mg/ml affinity purified rabbit anti-MAPKAPK-2 polyclonal antibody in phosphate buffered saline (PBS), pH 7.2, containing 30% glycerol, 0.5% BSA, 0.01% thimerosal.

STORAGE CONDITIONS:

Store at -20°C. For long-term storage, aliquot and freeze at -70°C. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.

BACKGROUND DESCRIPTION:

MAP kinase-activated protein kinase-2 (MAPKAPK-2), also known as p45 hsp27 kinase, is a 45-54 kDa serine-threonine protein kinase that contains a proline rich sequence and two putative SH3-binding sites. MAPKAPK-2 is activated in response to stress, IL-1 and TNF, possibly catalyzed by p38/Hog-dependent phosphorylation. One of the major substrates of MAPKAPK-2 is hsp27, which stimulates actin polymerization in order to facilitate recovery from destruction of cytoskeleton during cellular stresses. Two isoforms are produced due to alternative splicing of the same gene which differs in their C-terminals. This antibody recognizes both isoforms.

SPECIFICITY:

The affinity purified antibody detects both 43 and 60 kDa isoforms, corresponding to the apparent molecular mass of MAPKAPK-2 on SDS-PAGE immunoblots. These 43 kDa and 60 kDa bands can be specifically inhibited by the relevant peptide.

APPLICATION AND USAGE:

The antibody performs well on Western blot analysis (0.5-4 µg/ml) and immunoprecipitation. However, the optimal conditions should be determined individually. Blocking peptide (Cat.# 3100BP-50) is available separately.

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