

Anti-LIM Kinase 2 Picoband Antibody
Catalog # ABO12403**Specification****Anti-LIM Kinase 2 Picoband Antibody - Product Information**

Application	WB
Primary Accession	P53671
Host	Rabbit
Reactivity	Human, Mouse
Clonality	Polyclonal
Format	Lyophilized

Description

Rabbit IgG polyclonal antibody for LIM domain kinase 2(LIMK2) detection. Tested with WB in Human;Mouse.

Reconstitution

Add 0.2ml of distilled water will yield a concentration of 500ug/ml.

Anti-LIM Kinase 2 Picoband Antibody - Additional Information

Gene ID 3985

Other Names

LIM domain kinase 2, LIMK-2, 2.7.11.1, LIMK2

Calculated MW

72232 MW KDa

Application Details

Western blot, 0.1-0.5 µg/ml, Human, Mouse

Subcellular Localization

Isoform LIMK2a: Cytoplasm. Nucleus. Isoform LIMK2a is distributed in the cytoplasm and the nucleus.

Tissue Specificity

Highest expression in the placenta; moderate level in liver, lung, kidney, and pancreas. LIMK2a is found to be more abundant than LIMK2b in liver, colon, stomach, and spleen, while in brain, kidney, and placenta LIMK2b is the dominant form. In adult lung, both LIMK2a and LIMK2b is nearly equally observed. .

Protein Name

LIM domain kinase 2

Contents

Each vial contains 5mg BSA, 0.9mg NaCl, 0.2mg Na₂HPO₄, 0.05mg Na₃.

Immunogen

A synthetic peptide corresponding to a sequence at the C-terminus of human LIM kinase 2

(596-635aa KLEDSFEALSLYLGLGELGIPLPAELEELDHTVSMQYGLTRD), different from the related mouse sequence by four amino acids, and from the related rat sequence by three amino acids.

Purification

Immunogen affinity purified.

Cross Reactivity

No cross reactivity with other proteins

Storage

At -20°C for one year. After reconstitution, at 4°C for one month. It can also be aliquotted and stored frozen at -20°C for a longer time. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing.

Anti-LIM Kinase 2 Picoband Antibody - Protein Information

Name LIMK2

Function

Serine/threonine-protein kinase that plays an essential role in the regulation of actin filament dynamics (PubMed: [10436159](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/10436159)), PubMed: [11018042](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/11018042)). Acts downstream of several Rho family GTPase signal transduction pathways (PubMed: [10436159](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/10436159), PubMed: [11018042](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/11018042)). Involved in astral microtubule organization and mitotic spindle orientation during early stages of mitosis by mediating phosphorylation of TPPP (PubMed: [22328514](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/22328514)). Displays serine/threonine-specific phosphorylation of myelin basic protein and histone (MBP) in vitro (PubMed: [8537403](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/8537403)). Suppresses ciliogenesis via multiple pathways; phosphorylation of CFL1, suppression of directional trafficking of ciliary vesicles to the ciliary base, and by facilitating YAP1 nuclear localization where it acts as a transcriptional corepressor of the TEAD4 target genes AURKA and PLK1 (PubMed: [25849865](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/25849865)).

Cellular Location

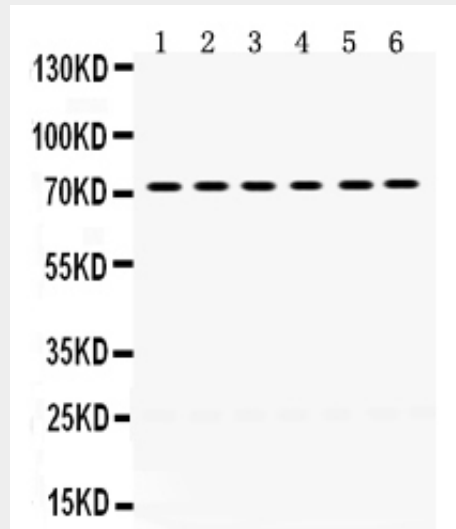
Cytoplasm, cytoskeleton, spindle. Cytoplasm, cytoskeleton, microtubule organizing center, centrosome [Isoform LIMK2b]: Cytoplasm. Cytoplasm, perinuclear region. Nucleus Note=Mainly present in the cytoplasm and is scarcely translocated to the nucleus.

Anti-LIM Kinase 2 Picoband Antibody - Protocols

Provided below are standard protocols that you may find useful for product applications.

- [Western Blot](#)
- [Blocking Peptides](#)
- [Dot Blot](#)
- [Immunohistochemistry](#)
- [Immunofluorescence](#)
- [Immunoprecipitation](#)
- [Flow Cytometry](#)
- [Cell Culture](#)

Anti-LIM Kinase 2 Picoband Antibody - Images



Anti- LIM kinase 2 Picoband antibody, ABO12403, Western blotting All lanes: Anti LIM kinase 2 (ABO12403) at 0.5ug/ml Lane 1: Mouse Brain Tissue Lysate at 50ug Lane 2: Mouse Liver Tissue Lysate at 50ug Lane 3: Mouse Thymus Tissue Lysate at 50ug Lane 4: Mouse Testis Tissue Lysate at 50ug Lane 5: 293T Whole Cell Lysate at 40ug Lane 6: HELA Whole Cell Lysate at 40ug Predicted bind size: 72KD Observed bind size: 72KD

Anti-LIM Kinase 2 Picoband Antibody - Background

LIM domain kinase 2 is an enzyme that in humans is encoded by the LIMK2 gene. There are approximately 40 known eukaryotic LIM proteins, so named for the LIM domains they contain. LIM domains are highly conserved cysteine-rich structures containing 2 zinc fingers. Although zinc fingers usually function by binding to DNA or RNA, the LIM motif probably mediates protein-protein interactions. LIM kinase-1 and LIM kinase-2 belong to a small subfamily with a unique combination of 2 N-terminal LIM motifs and a C-terminal protein kinase domain. The protein encoded by this gene is phosphorylated and activated by ROCK, a downstream effector of Rho, and the encoded protein, in turn, phosphorylates cofilin, inhibiting its actin-depolymerizing activity. It is thought that this pathway contributes to Rho-induced reorganization of the actin cytoskeleton. At least three transcript variants encoding different isoforms have been found for this gene.