

Product datasheet

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ARG52251 anti-Connexin 43 phospho (Ser368) antibody

Package: 50 μl Store at: -20°C

Summary

Product Description Rabbit Polyclonal antibody recognizes Connexin 43 phospho (Ser368)

Tested Reactivity Rat

Predict Reactivity Hu, Ms, Bov, Chk, Dog, Gpig, Zfsh

Tested Application WB

Host Rabbit

Clonality Polyclonal

Isotype IgG

Target Name Connexin 43

Species Rat

Immunogen Synthetic phospho-peptide corresponding to amino acid residues surrounding Ser368 conjugated to

KLH

Conjugation Un-conjugated

Alternate Names Gap junction 43 kDa heart protein; CX43; PPKCA; CMDR; Gap junction alpha-1 protein; HSS; AVSD3;

Connexin-43; HLHS1; EKVP; GJAL; ODDD; Cx43

Application Instructions

Application table	Application	Dilution
	WB	1:1,000
	Specific for the ~43k connexin43 protein phosphorylated at Ser368. Immunolabeling is blocked by λ -phosphatase treatment. * The dilutions indicate recommended starting dilutions and the optimal dilutions or concentrations should be determined by the scientist.	

Properties

Form Liquid

Purification Affinity Purified

Buffer 10 mM HEPES (pH 7.5), 150 mM NaCl, 0.1 mg/ml BSA and 50% Glycerol

Stabilizer 0.1 mg/ml BSA, 50% Glycerol

Storage instruction For continuous use, store undiluted antibody at 2-8°C for up to a week. For long-term storage, aliquot

and store at -20°C. Storage in frost free freezers is not recommended. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles. Suggest spin the vial prior to opening. The antibody solution should be gently mixed before use.

Note For laboratory research only, not for drug, diagnostic or other use.

Bioinformation

Database links GeneID: 24392 Rat

Swiss-port # P08050 Rat

Gene Symbol GJA1

Gene Full Name gap junction protein, alpha 1

Background Gap junctional intercellular communication is thought to play a key role in development and may also

be involved in epilepsy (Aronica et al., 2001). Connexin43 forms gap-junctional channels and regulates the permeability of these gap junctions to small organic molecules. Permeability of connexin43 is known to be regulated by phosphorylation at Ser368 by protein kinase C (Yogo et al., 2002; Bao et al., 2004a). Phosphorylation of Ser368 by PKC induces a conformational change of connexin43 that results

in a decrease in gap junction permeability (Bao et al., 2004b).

Research Area Cell Biology and Cellular Response antibody; Signaling Transduction antibody; Cardiomyocyte Cell

Surface Marker antibody

Calculated Mw 43 kDa

PTM Phosphorylated at Ser-368 by PRKCG; phosphorylation induces disassembly of gap junction plaques and

inhibition of gap junction activity (By similarity). Phosphorylation at Ser-325, Ser-328 and Ser-330 by CK1 modulates gap junction assembly. Phosphorylation at Ser-368 by PRKCD triggers its internalization

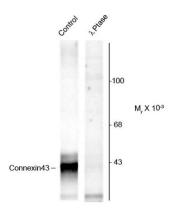
into small vesicles leading to proteasome-mediated degradation (By similarity).

Sumoylated with SUMO1, SUMO2 and SUMO3, which may regulate the level of functional Cx43 gap

junctions at the plasma membrane. May be desumoylated by SENP1 or SENP2.

S-nitrosylation at Cys-271 is enriched at the muscle endothelial gap junction in arteries, it augments channel permeability and may regulate of smooth muscle cell to endothelial cell communication.

Images



ARG52251 anti-Connexin 43 phospho (Ser368) antibody WB image

Western blot: Rat hippocampal lysate showing phospho-specific immunolabeling of the $^{\sim}43$ kDa Connexin 43 protein phosphorylated at Ser 368 stained with ARG52251 anti-Connexin 43 phospho (Ser368) antibody.