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β-Catenin Antibody Sampler Kit

1 Kit (5 x 20 microliters)

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Product Includes	Product #	Quantity	Mol. Wt	Isotype/Source
β-Catenin (D10A8) XP® Rabbit mAb	8480	20 µl	92 kDa	Rabbit IgG
Phospho-β-Catenin (Ser33/37/Thr41) Antibody	9561	20 µl	92 kDa	Rabbit
Phospho-β-Catenin (Thr41/Ser45) Antibody	9565	20 µl	92 kDa	Rabbit
Phospho-β-Catenin (Ser552) (D8E11) Rabbit mAb	5651	20 µl	92 kDa	Rabbit IgG
Phospho-β-Catenin (Ser675) (D2F1) XP® Rabbit mAb	4176	20 µl	92 kDa	Rabbit IgG
Anti-rabbit IgG, HRP-linked Antibody	7074	100 µl		Goat

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Description

The β-Catenin Antibody Sampler Kit provides an economical means of detecting total β-catenin as well as β-catenin phosphorylated at various residues. The kit contains enough primary and secondary antibody to perform two Western blots with each antibody.

Storage

Supplied in 10 mM sodium HEPES (pH 7.5), 150 mM NaCl, 100 µg/ml BSA, 50% glycerol and less than 0.02% sodium azide. Store at -20°C. Do not aliquot the antibody.

Background

β-catenin is a key downstream effector in the Wnt signaling pathway (1). It is implicated in two major biological processes in vertebrates: early embryonic development (2) and tumorigenesis (3). CK1 phosphorylates β-catenin at Ser45. This phosphorylation event primes β-catenin for subsequent phosphorylation by GSK-3β (4-6). GSK-3β destabilizes β-catenin by phosphorylating it at Ser33, Ser37, and Thr41 (7). Mutations at these sites result in the stabilization of β-catenin protein levels and have been found in many tumor cell lines (8).

Both Akt and PKA were shown to phosphorylate β-catenin at Ser552 and Ser675. Phosphorylation at Ser552 and Ser675 induces β-catenin accumulation in the nucleus and increases its transcriptional activity (9-12).

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