

Caldesmon Polyclonal Antibody

Catalog No: YT0609

Reactivity: Human; Mouse; Rat

Applications: WB;ELISA

Target: Caldesmon

Fields: >> Vascular smooth muscle contraction

Gene Name: CALD1

Protein Name: Caldesmon

Human Gene Id: 800

Human Swiss Prot

s **Prot** Q05682

No:

Rat Gene Id: 25687

Rat Swiss Prot No: Q62736

Immunogen: The antiserum was produced against synthesized peptide derived from human

Caldesmon. AA range:725-774

Specificity: Caldesmon Polyclonal Antibody detects endogenous levels of Caldesmon

protein.

Formulation : Liquid in PBS containing 50% glycerol, 0.5% BSA and 0.02% sodium azide.

Source: Polyclonal, Rabbit, IgG

Dilution: WB 1:500 - 1:2000. ELISA: 1:40000. Not yet tested in other applications.

Purification: The antibody was affinity-purified from rabbit antiserum by affinity-

chromatography using epitope-specific immunogen.

Concentration: 1 mg/ml

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-15°C to -25°C/1 year(Do not lower than -25°C) **Storage Stability:**

Observed Band: 93kD

Vascular smooth muscle contraction; **Cell Pathway:**

Background: This gene encodes a calmodulin- and actin-binding protein that plays an

essential role in the regulation of smooth muscle and nonmuscle contraction. The

conserved domain of this protein possesses the binding activities to

Ca(2+)-calmodulin, actin, tropomyosin, myosin, and phospholipids. This protein is a potent inhibitor of the actin-tropomyosin activated myosin MgATPase, and serves as a mediating factor for Ca(2+)-dependent inhibition of smooth muscle contraction. Alternative splicing of this gene results in multiple transcript variants

encoding distinct isoforms. [provided by RefSeg, Jul 2008],

Function: domain: The N-terminal part seems to be a myosin/calmodulin-binding domain,

> and the C-terminal a tropomyosin/actin/calmodulin-binding domain. These two domains are separated by a central helical region in the smooth-muscle

> form..function:Actin- and myosin-binding protein implicated in the regulation of actomyosin interactions in smooth muscle and nonmuscle cells (could act as a

bridge between myosin and actin filaments). Stimulates actin binding of tropomyosin which increases the stabilization of actin filament structure. In

muscle tissues, inhibits the actomyosin ATPase by binding to F-actin. This inhibition is attenuated by calcium-calmodulin and is potentiated by tropomyosin. Interacts with actin, myosin, two molecules of tropomyosin and with calmodulin.

Also play an essential role during cellular mitosis and receptor capping.,PTM:In

non-muscle cells, phosphorylation by CDC2 during mit

Subcellular Cytoplasm, cytoskeleton. Cytoplasm, myofibril. Cytoplasm, cytoskeleton, stress Location:

fiber. On thin filaments in smooth muscle and on stress fibers in fibroblasts

(nonmuscle)...

High-molecular-weight caldesmon (isoform 1) is predominantly expressed in **Expression:**

smooth muscles, whereas low-molecular-weight caldesmon (isoforms 2, 3, 4 and

5) are widely distributed in non-muscle tissues and cells. Not expressed in

skeletal muscle or heart.

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Rabbit Host:

Modifications: Unmodified



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