

Glucokinase Rabbit mAb

Catalog # AP77033

Product Information

Application WB P35557 **Primary Accession** Reactivity Human Host Rabbit

Monoclonal Antibody Clonality

Isotype IgG

Conjugate Unconjugated

Immunogen A synthesized peptide derived from human Glucokinase

Purification Affinity Purified

Calculated MW 52191

Additional Information

Gene ID 2645

GCK **Other Names**

WB~~1/500-1/1000 Dilution

Liquid in 10mM PBS, pH 7.4, 150mM sodium chloride, 0.05% BSA, 0.02% **Format**

sodium azide and 50% glycerol.

Storage Store at 4°C short term. Aliquot and store at -20°C long term. Avoid

freeze/thaw cycles.

Protein Information

Name GCK {ECO:0000303 | PubMed:17573900, ECO:0000312 | HGNC:HGNC:4195}

Function Catalyzes the phosphorylation of hexose, such as D-glucose, D-fructose and

D-mannose, to hexose 6-phosphate (D-glucose 6-phosphate, D-fructose 6-phosphate and D-mannose 6-phosphate, respectively) (PubMed: 11916951,

PubMed: 15277402, PubMed: 17082186, PubMed: 18322640,

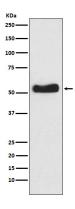
PubMed: 19146401, PubMed: 25015100, PubMed: 7742312, PubMed: 8325892). Compared to other hexokinases, has a weak affinity for D-glucose, and is effective only when glucose is abundant (By similarity). Mainly expressed in pancreatic beta cells and the liver and constitutes a rate-limiting step in glucose metabolism in these tissues (PubMed: 11916951, PubMed: 15277402, PubMed:18322640, PubMed:25015100, PubMed:8325892). Since insulin secretion parallels glucose metabolism and the low glucose affinity of GCK ensures that it can change its enzymatic activity within the physiological range of glucose concentrations, GCK acts as a glucose sensor in the pancreatic beta cell (By similarity). In pancreas, plays an important role in modulating insulin

secretion (By similarity). In liver, helps to facilitate the uptake and conversion of glucose by acting as an insulin-sensitive determinant of hepatic glucose usage (By similarity). Required to provide D-glucose 6-phosphate for the synthesis of glycogen (PubMed:8878425). Mediates the initial step of glycolysis by catalyzing phosphorylation of D-glucose to D-glucose 6-phosphate (PubMed:7742312).

Cellular Location

Cytoplasm. Nucleus. Mitochondrion {ECO:0000250 | UniProtKB:P17712}. Note=Under low glucose concentrations, GCK associates with GCKR and the inactive complex is recruited to the hepatocyte nucleus.

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