

Caspase-14 Antibody

Rabbit mAb Catalog # AP90975

Product Information

Application WB, IHC, IF, FC, ICC, IP, IHF

Primary Accession <u>P31944</u>

Reactivity Rat, Human, Mouse

Clonality Monoclonal

Other Names CASP14; Caspase-14; Caspase 14; MICE; CASP-14;

IsotypeRabbit IgGHostRabbitCalculated MW27680

Additional Information

Dilution WB 1:500~1:2000 IHC 1:50~1:200 ICC/IF 1:50~1:200 IP 1:50 FC 1:50

Purification Affinity-chromatography

Immunogen A synthesized peptide derived from human Caspase-14

Description Caspases are a family of cysteine proteases that play an essential role in

carrying out apoptosis. Caspase-14, also named MICE, is a unique member of the caspase family with restricted expression; it is found in embryonic tissues and adult skin. Caspase-14 is weakly processed into p18 and p11 subunits by caspase-8. May also be responsible for proteolytic processing of filaggrin

during terminal differentiation of keratinocytes.

Storage Condition and Buffer Rabbit IgG in phosphate buffered saline, pH 7.4, 150mM NaCl, 0.02% sodium

azide and 50% glycerol. Store at +4°C short term. Store at -20°C long term.

Avoid freeze / thaw cycle.

Protein Information

Name CASP14

Function Non-apoptotic caspase involved in epidermal differentiation. Is the

predominant caspase in epidermal stratum corneum (PubMed:15556625). Seems to play a role in keratinocyte differentiation and is required for cornification. Regulates maturation of the epidermis by proteolytically processing filaggrin (By similarity). In vitro has a preference for the substrate [WY]-X-X-D motif and is active on the synthetic caspase substrate WEHD-ACF (PubMed:16854378, PubMed:19960512). Involved in processing of prosaposin in the epidermis (By similarity). May be involved in retinal pigment epithelium cell barrier function (PubMed:25121097). Involved in DNA degradation in differentiated keratinocytes probably by cleaving DFFA/ICAD leading to

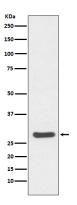
liberation of DFFB/CAD (PubMed:24743736).

Cellular Location Cytoplasm. Nucleus

Tissue Location

Expressed in keratinocytes of adult skin suprabasal layers (from spinous layers to the stratum granulosum and stratum corneum) (at protein level). Expressed in keratinocytes of hair shaft and sebaceous glands (at protein level). In psoriatic skin only expressed at very low levels (PubMed:11175259). The p17/10 mature form is expressed in epidermis stratum corneum, the p20/p8 intermediate form in epidermis upper granular cells of the stratum granulosum (PubMed:22825846).

Images



Western blot analysis of Caspase-14 expression in Human skin lysate.

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