

# FGF4 Antibody

Catalog # ASC10629

#### **Product Information**

**Application** WB, IF, ICC, E **Primary Accession** P08620

Other Accession P08620, 122750
Reactivity Human, Mouse

Host Rabbit
Clonality Polyclonal
Isotype IgG
Calculated MW 22048
Concentration (mg/ml) 1 mg/mL
Conjugate Unconjugated

**Application Notes** FGF4 antibody can be used for detection of FGF4 by Western blot at 0.5 - 1

□g/mL. Antibody can also be used for immunocytochemistry starting at 2.5

□g/mL. For immunofluorescence start at 2.5 □g/mL.

#### **Additional Information**

**Gene ID** 2249

Other Names Fibroblast growth factor 4, FGF-4, Heparin secretory-transforming protein 1,

HST, HST-1, HSTF-1, Heparin-binding growth factor 4, HBGF-4, Transforming

protein KS3, FGF4, HST, HSTF1, KS3

Target/Specificity FGF4;

**Reconstitution & Storage** FGF4 antibody can be stored at 4°C for three months and -20°C, stable for up

to one year. As with all antibodies care should be taken to avoid repeated freeze thaw cycles. Antibodies should not be exposed to prolonged high

temperatures.

**Precautions** FGF4 Antibody is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or

therapeutic procedures.

#### **Protein Information**

Name FGF4 ( HGNC:3682)

**Function** Plays an important role in the regulation of embryonic development, cell

proliferation, and cell differentiation. Required for normal limb and cardiac valve development during embryogenesis. May play a role in embryonic molar tooth bud development via inducing the expression of MSX1, MSX2 and

MSX1-mediated expression of SDC1 in dental mesenchyme cells (By

similarity).

**Cellular Location** Secreted.

### **Background**

FGF4 Antibody: Fibroblast growth factor 4 (FGF4) is a member of the fibroblast growth factor (FGF) family that possess broad mitogenic and cell survival activities and play key roles in growth and survival of stem cells during embryogenesis, tissue regeneration, and carcinogenesis. FGF4 was identified by its strong oncogenic transforming activity and is a potent angiogenic factor, expressed in several highly vascularized tumors and also in adult mouse testis, intestine, and brain. Studies on the mouse homolog suggests a function in bone morphogenesis and limb development through the sonic hedgehog (SHH) signaling pathway. Furthermore, FGF4 regulates neural progenitor cell proliferation and neuronal differentiation. Recent studies show a growth-promoting role for FGF4 in human embryonic stem cells and a putative feedback inhibition mechanism by a novel FGF4 splice isoform that may serve to promote differentiation at a later stages of development.

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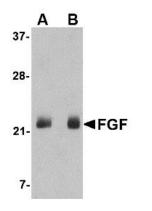
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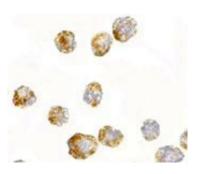
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## **Images**

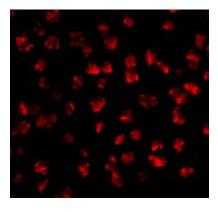


Western blot analysis of FGF4 in NIH 3T3 cell lysate with FGF4 antibody at (A) 0.5 and (B) 1  $\mu$ g/mL.



Immunocytochemistry of FGF4 in 3T3 cells with FGF4 antibody at 2.5  $\mu$ g/mL.

Immunofluorescence of FGF4 in 3T3 cells with FGF4 antibody at 2.5 µg/mL.



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