



KHK-A (Phospho-Ser80) Antibody

#58004

Number: 58004-1, 58004-2

Amount: 50µg/50µl, 100µg/100µl

Swiss-Prot No. : P50053-2

Form of Antibody: Rabbit IgG in phosphate buffered saline (without Mg²⁺ and Ca²⁺), pH 7.4, 150mM NaCl, 0.02% sodium azide and 50% glycerol.

Storage/Stability: Store at -20°C/1 year

Immunogen: The antiserum was produced against synthesized phosphopeptide derived from Human KHK-A around the phosphorylation site of serine 80 .

Purification: The antibody was affinity-purified from rabbit antiserum by affinity-chromatography using epitope-specific phosphopeptide. The antibody against non-phosphopeptide was removed by chromatography using non-phosphopeptide corresponding to the phosphorylation site.

Specificity/Sensitivity: KHK-A (phospho-Ser80) antibody detects endogenous levels of KHK-A only when phosphorylated at serine 80.

Reactivity: Human, Mouse

Applications:

Predicted MW: 33kd

WB :1:500~1:1000 IHC:1:50-100

Background :

KHK, whose KHK-C isoform is primarily expressed in normal hepatocytes, is a metabolic enzyme that was originally characterized as a kinase that phosphorylates fructose. HCC-specific splicing of the adjacent exons 3C and 3A of the KHK gene leads to KHK-A expression in cancer cells. KHK-A, which loses its affinity to bind and phosphorylate fructose, gains the ability to function as a protein kinase. Upon hypoxic stress, Oxidative stimulation induces HCC-specifically expressed fructokinase A (KHK-A) phosphorylation at S80 by 5' -adenosine monophosphate-activated protein kinase. KHK-A in turn acts as a protein kinase to phosphorylate p62 at S28, thereby blocking p62 ubiquitination and enhancing p62' s aggregation with Keap1 and Nrf2 activation. Activated Nrf2 promotes expression of genes involved in reactive oxygen species reduction, cell survival, and HCC development.

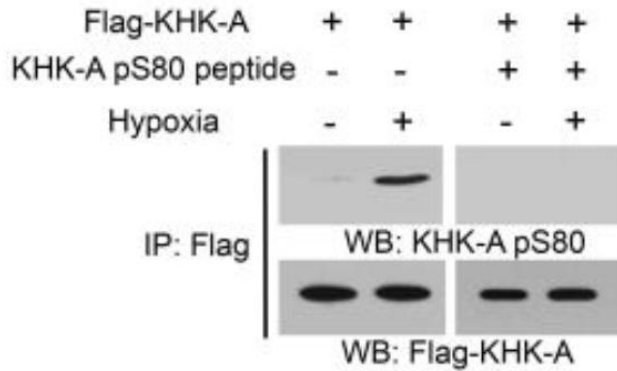
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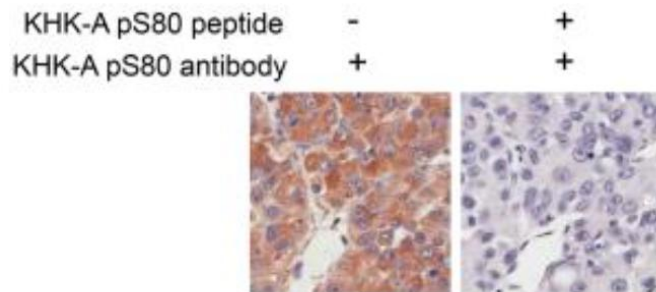
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Application in this Article



Huh7 cells expressing Flag-KHK-A were treated with or without hypoxia for 6 h. Immunoprecipitation and immunoblot analyses were performed with the indicated antibodies in the presence or absence of a blocking peptide of KHK-A pS80.



Immunohistochemistry (IHC) analyses of human HCC tissues were performed with the indicated antibodies in the presence or absence of a blocking peptide of KHK-A pS80.