Stat1 Blocking Peptide (9175 Specific)

100 μg (100 sections)



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Background: Stat1, while activated in response to a large number of ligands (1), appears to be essential for responsiveness to IFN- α and IFN- γ (2,3). Phosphorylation of Stat1 at Tyr701 induces Stat1 dimerization, nuclear translocation and DNA binding (4). Stat1 has two isoforms, Stat1 α (91 kDa) and the splice variant Stat1 β (84 kDa). In most cells, both isoforms are activated by IFN- α , but only Stat1 α is activated by IFN- γ . Stat1 has been found to be inappropriately activated in many tumors (5). In addition to tyrosine phosphorylation, Stat1 is phosphorylated through a p38 mitogen-activated protein kinase (MAPK)-dependent pathway at Ser727 in response to IFN- α and other cellular stresses (6). Serine phosphorylation may be required for the maximal induction of Stat1-mediated gene activation.

Description: This peptide is used to block Stat1 (42H3) Rabbit mAb #9175 reactivity. Use as a blocking reagent to evaluate the specificity of antibody reactivity in peptide dot blot protocols.

Quality Control: The quality of the peptide was evaluated by reversed-phase HPLC and by mass spectrometry. The peptide reacts with Stat1 (42H3) Rabbit mAb #9175 by peptide dot blot.

Directions for Use: Recommended antibody dilutions can be found on the relevant product data sheet.

Applications: Use as a blocking reagent to evaluate the specificity of antibody reactivity in peptide dot blot protocols.

Background References:

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Storage: Supplied in 20 mM potassium phosphate (pH 7.0), 50 mM NaCl, 0.1 mM EDTA, 1 mg/ml BSA, 5% glycerol, and 1% DMSO. Store at -20° C.

Companion Products:

Stat1 (42H3) Rabbit mAb (Human Specific) #9175

Jak/Stat Signaling Pathway