

PRMT6 (D5A2N) Rabbit mAb

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Applications:	Reactivity:	Sensitivity:	MW (kDa):	Source/Isotype:	UniProt ID:	Entrez-Gene Id:
W, IP	H M R	Endogenous	42	Rabbit IgG	#Q96LA8	55170

Product Usage Information**Application**

Western Blotting
Immunoprecipitation

Dilution

1:1000
1:50

Storage

Supplied in 10 mM sodium HEPES (pH 7.5), 150 mM NaCl, 100 µg/ml BSA, 50% glycerol and less than 0.02% sodium azide. Store at -20°C. *Do not aliquot the antibody.*

Specificity/Sensitivity

PRMT6 (D5A2N) Rabbit mAb recognizes endogenous levels of total PRMT6 protein.

Species predicted to react based on 100% sequence homology

Bovine, *S. cerevisiae*

Source / Purification

Monoclonal antibody is produced by immunizing animals with a synthetic peptide corresponding to residues surrounding Ala62 of human PRMT6 protein.

Background

Protein arginine N-methyltransferase 6 (PRMT6) is a member of the protein arginine N-methyltransferase (PRMT) family of proteins that catalyze the transfer of a methyl group from S-adenosylmethionine (AdoMet) to a guanidine nitrogen of arginine (1). The three types of PRMTs share the ability to mono-methylate arginine residues, but vary in their ability to generate differential methylation states (1-3). Mono-methylated arginine residues are further methylated by type I PRMTs to generate an asymmetric di-methyl arginine or by type II PRMTs to form a symmetric-dimethyl arginine. Type III methyltransferases are only able to mono-methylate arginine residues (1-3). PRMT6 is a type I PRMT that acts as both a transcriptional coactivator and a corepressor and catalyzes the asymmetric di-methylation of histone H3 (Arg 2, Arg42), histone H4 (Arg3), and histone H2A at Arg29 (2,4). PRMT6 acts as a coactivator for transcription factors, including estrogen receptor and NFκB, while asymmetric di-methylation of histone H3 (Arg2) by PRMT6 prevents MLL methylation of histone H3 at Lys4 and inhibits transcription activation (5-8). In addition to its role in regulating transcription, PRMT6 methylates DNA polymerase β, leading to enhanced DNA binding and processivity during base excision repair of damaged DNA (9).

Background References

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Species Reactivity

Species reactivity is determined by testing in at least one approved application (e.g., western blot).

Western Blot Buffer

IMPORTANT: For western blots, incubate membrane with diluted primary antibody in 5% w/v BSA, 1X TBS, 0.1% Tween® 20 at 4°C with gentle shaking, overnight.

Applications Key

W: Western Blotting **IP:** Immunoprecipitation

Cross-Reactivity Key

H: Human **M:** Mouse **R:** Rat

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