

# Phospho-(Ser/Thr) ATM/ATR Substrate Antibody



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Applications	Species Cross-Reactivity*	Source	Motif
W, IP, E-P Endogenous	All	Rabbit**	L(S*/T*)Q

**Background:** Ataxia telangiectasia mutated kinase (ATM) and ataxia telangiectasia and Rad3-related kinase (ATR) are related kinases that regulate cell cycle checkpoints and DNA repair (1). The identified substrates for ATM are p53, p95/NBS1, MDM2, Chk2, BRCA1, CtIP, 4E-BP1 and Chk1 (1,2). The essential requirement for the substrates of ATM/ATR is S\*/T\*Q. Hydrophobic amino acids at positions -3 and -1, and negatively charged amino acids at position +1 are positive determinants for substrate recognition by these kinases. Positively charged residues surrounding the S/TQ are negative determinants for substrate phosphorylation (3). The complex phenotype of AT cells suggests that it likely has additional substrates (3). To better understand the kinase and identify substrates for ATM and the related kinase ATR, CST has developed antibodies that recognize phosphorylated serine or threonine in the S\*/T\*Q motif. As shown by ELISA, Phospho-(Ser/Thr) ATM/ATR Substrate Antibody is specific for phosphorylated ATM/ATR substrates.

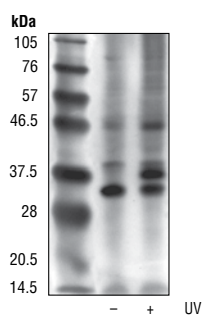
**Specificity/Sensitivity:** Phospho-(Ser/Thr) ATM/ATR Substrate Antibody detects endogenous levels of proteins containing the ATM/ATR substrate motif. This antibody preferentially binds peptides and proteins that contain phospho-Ser/Thr preceded by Leu or similar hydrophobic amino acids at the -1 position and followed by Gln at the +1 position. The antibody does not cross-react with corresponding nonphosphorylated sequences or with other phospho-Ser/Thr-containing motifs. (U.S. Patent No.'s: 6,441,140; 6,982,318; 7,259,022; 7,344,714; U.S.S.N. 11,484,485; and all foreign equivalents.)

**Source/Purification:** Polyclonal antibodies are produced by immunizing animals with synthetic phospho-(Ser/Thr) ATM/ATR substrate peptides (KLH-coupled). Antibodies are purified by protein A and peptide affinity chromatography.

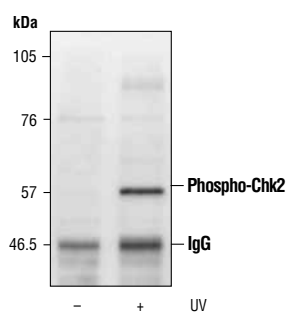
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Western blot analysis of extracts from COS cells, untreated or UV-treated, using Phospho-(Ser/Thr) ATM/ATR Substrate Antibody.



Western blot analysis of immunoprecipitated protein from Chk2-transfected and UV-treated COS cells, using Chk2 antibody for immunoprecipitation and Phospho-(Ser/Thr) ATM/ATR Substrate Antibody for immunoblotting.

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

**\*Species cross-reactivity is determined by western blot.**

**\*\*Anti-rabbit secondary antibodies must be used to detect this antibody.**

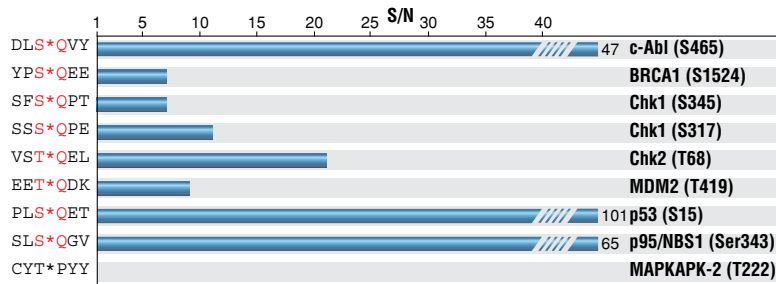
**Recommended Antibody Dilutions:**

Western Blotting	1:1000
Immunoprecipitation	1:20
ELISA-Peptide	1:1000

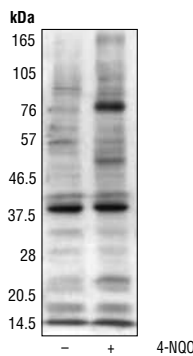
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**IMPORTANT: For Western blots, incubate membrane with diluted antibody in 5% w/v BSA, 1X TBS, 0.1% Tween-20 at 4°C with gentle shaking, overnight.**



Phospho-(Ser/Thr) ATM/ATR Substrate Antibody ELISA Assay: Signal-to-noise ratio of phospho- versus nonphospho-peptides. (S\* or T\* denote phosphorylated serine or threonine.)



Western blot analysis of yeast cell extracts, untreated or treated with 4-NQO, a potent activator of ATM/ATR orthologues, using Phospho-(Ser/Thr) ATM/ATR Substrate Antibody.

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