

# Phospho-p38 MAPK (Thr180/Tyr182) (3D7) Rabbit mAb



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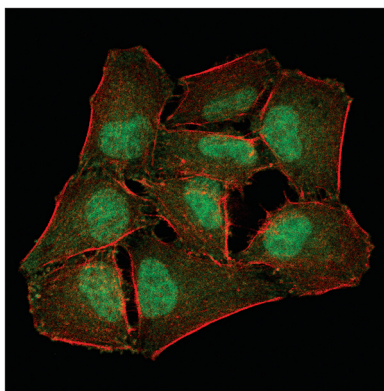
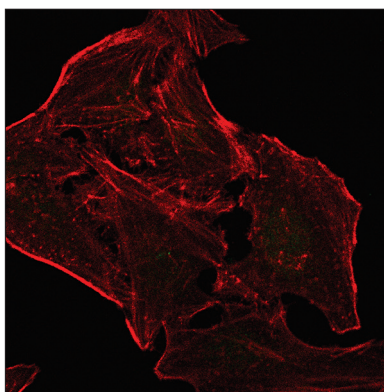
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Applications	Species Cross-Reactivity*	Molecular Wt.	Isotype
W, IF-IC, F Endogenous	H, M, R, Mk, Dm, Pg, Sc, (Z, B, Hm)	43 kDa	Rabbit IgG**

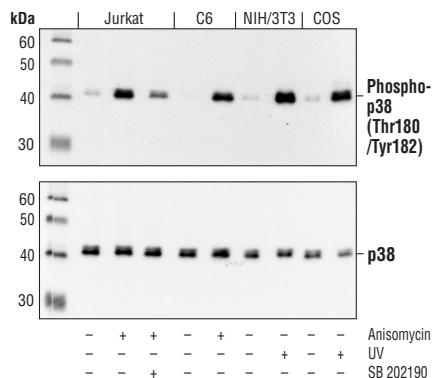
**Background:** p38 MAP kinase (MAPK), also called RK (1) or CSBP (2), is the mammalian orthologue of the yeast HOG kinase which participates in a signaling cascade controlling cellular responses to cytokines and stress (1-4). Four isoforms of p38 MAP kinase, p38 $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$  (also known as ERK6 or SAPK3) and  $\delta$  (also known as SAPK4) have been identified. Similar to the SAPK/JNK pathway, p38 MAP kinase is activated by a variety of cellular stresses including osmotic shock, inflammatory cytokines, lipopolysaccharides (LPS), UV light and growth factors (1-5). MKK3, MKK6 and SEK activate p38 MAP kinase by phosphorylation at Thr180 and Tyr182. Activated p38 MAP kinase has been shown to phosphorylate and activate MAPKAP kinase 2 (3) and to phosphorylate the transcription factors ATF-2 (5), Max (6) and MEF2 (5-8).

**Specificity/Sensitivity:** Phospho-p38 MAP Kinase (Thr180/Tyr182) (3D7) Rabbit mAb detects endogenous levels of p38 MAP kinase only when dually phosphorylated at Thr180 and Tyr182. This antibody does not cross-react with the phosphorylated forms of either p42/44 MAPK or SAPK/JNK.

**Source/Purification:** Monoclonal antibody is produced by immunizing animals with a synthetic phosphopeptide corresponding to residues surrounding Thr180/Tyr182 of human p38 MAPK.



Confocal immunofluorescent analysis of HeLa cells, untreated (upper) or anisomycin-treated (lower), using Phospho-p38 MAPK (Thr180/Tyr182)(3D7) Rabbit mAb (green). Actin filaments have been labeled with Alexa Fluor® 555 phalloidin (red).



◀ Western blot analysis of extracts from Jurkat, C6, NIH/3T3 and COS cells, untreated or treated as indicated, using Phospho-p38 MAP Kinase (Thr180/Tyr182) (3D7) Rabbit mAb (upper) or p38 MAP Kinase Antibody #9212 (lower).

**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.**

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UniProt ID #Q16539

**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.

\*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
Immunofluorescence (IF-IC)	1:100
Flow Cytometry	1:25

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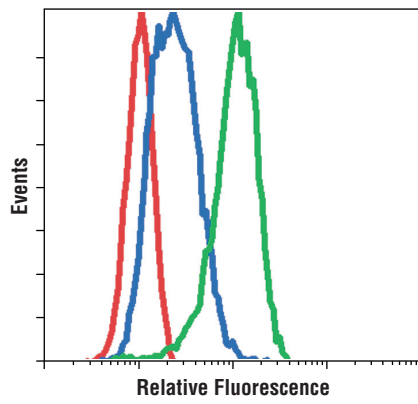
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**Background References:**

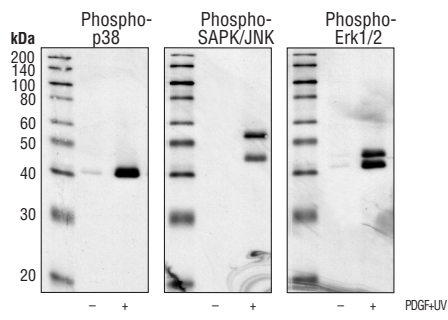
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Flow cytometric analysis of Jurkat cells, untreated (blue) or anisomycin-treated (green), using Phospho-p38 MAP Kinase (Thr180/Tyr182) (3D7) Rabbit mAb compared to a nonspecific negative control antibody (red).



Specificity of Phospho-Erk1/2, Phospho-p38 MAPK and Phospho-SAPK/JNK mAb: Western blot analysis of extracts from NIH/3T3 cells treated with PDGF and UV, using Phospho-p38 MAPK Rabbit mAb #9215, Phospho-SAPK/JNK Rabbit mAb and Phospho-Erk1/2 Rabbit mAb.