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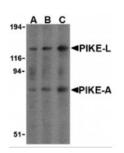
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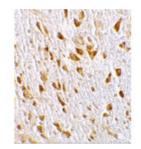
PIKE Antibody

CATALOG NUMBER: 3321



Western blot analysis of PIKE in mouse brain cell lysates with PIKE antibody at (A) 0.5, (B) 1, and (C) 2 ug/mL.

Human, Mouse



Immunohistochemistry of PIKE in mouse brain tissue with PIKE antibody at 10 ug/mL.

Specifications

SPECIES REACTIVITY:

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HOMOLOGY:	Predicted species reactivity based on immunogen sequence: Rat: (86%)
TESTED APPLICATIONS:	ELISA, IHC-P, WB
APPLICATIONS:	PIKE antibody can be used for detection of PIKE by Western blot at 0.5 to 2 ug/mL. Antibody can also be used for immunohistochemistry starting at 10 ug/mL.
	Antibody validated: Western Blot in mouse samples and Immunohistochemistry in mouse samples. All other applications and species not yet tested.
USER NOTE:	Optimal dilutions for each application to be determined by the researcher.
POSITIVE CONTROL:	1) Cat. No. 1403 - Mouse Brain Tissue Lysate
SPECIFICITY:	Anti-PIKE will detect both PIKE-L and PIKE-A isoforms.
IMMUNOGEN:	PIKE antibody was raised against a peptide corresponding to 15 amino acids near the C-terminus of human PIKE.
	The immunogen is located within the last 50 amino acids of PIKE.
HOST SPECIES:	Rabbit
Properties	
PURIFICATION:	PIKE Antibody is Ion exchange chromatography purified.
PHYSICAL STATE:	Liquid
BUFFER:	PIKE Antibody is supplied in PBS containing 0.02% sodium azide.
CONCENTRATION:	1 mg/mL
STORAGE CONDITIONS:	PIKE antibody can be stored at 4°C for three months and -20°C, stable for up to one year. As with all antibodies care should be taken to avoid repeated freeze thaw cycles. Antibodies should not be exposed to prolonged high temperatures.
CLONALITY:	Polyclonal

ISOTYPE:	_lgG
CONJUGATE:	Unconjugated
Additional Info	
ALTERNATE NAMES:	PIKE Antibody: PIKE, GGAP2, CENTG1, KIAA0167, Arf-GAP with GTPase, ANK repeat and PH domain-containing protein 2, Centaurin-gamma-1, AGAP-2
ACCESSION NO.:	AAM97540
PROTEIN GI NO.:	25989575
OFFICIAL SYMBOL:	AGAP2
GENE ID:	116986
Background	
BACKGROUND:	PIKE Antibody: Phosphoinositide 3 kinase enhancer (PIKE) is a recently identified nuclear GTPase that interacts with nuclear phosphoinositide 3-kinase (PI3 kinase) to stimulate its lipid kinase activity. PIKE exists in multiple isoforms; a shorter C-terminal isoform (PIKE-A) has also been identified as centaurin gamma 1. The longest isoform (PIKE-L) has been shown to bind to the adaptor protein Homer and thereby link to metabotropic glutamate receptors, leading to activation of PI3 kinase activity and prevention of neuronal apoptosis. Overexpression of PIKE-A enhances Akt activity and promotes cancer cell invasion, whereas decreased expression of PIKE-A via dominant negative expression of PIKE-A or PIKE-A knockdown inhibits these processes. In many human cancers, expression of PIKE-A is enhanced, leading to increased Akt activity and preventing apoptosis.
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