

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Product name : PAX8 antibody

Product type : Primary antibodies

Description : Rabbit polyclonal to PAX8

Immunogen : 3 synthetic peptides (human) conjugated to KLH

Reacts with : Hu, Ms

Tested applications : ELISA, WB and IF

GENE INFORMATION

Gene Symbol : PAX8

Gene Name : paired box 8

Ensembl ID : ENSG00000125618

Entrez GeneID : 7849

GenBank Accession number : X69699.1

Omim ID : 167415

Swiss-Prot : Q06710

Molecular weight of PAX8 : 29.083kDa

Function : Transcription factor for the thyroid-specific expression of the genes exclusively expressed in the thyroid cell type, maintaining the functional differentiation of such cells.

Expected subcellular localization : nucleus.

Expected tissue specificity : Expressed in the excretory system, thyroid gland and Wilms tumors.

Involvement in disease : Defects in PAX8 are the cause of congenital hypothyroidism non-goitrous type 2 (CHNG2) [MIM:218700]. CHNG2 is a disease characterized by thyroid dysgenesis, the most frequent cause of congenital hypothyroidism, accounting for 85% of case. The thyroid gland can be completely absent (athyreosis), ectopically located and/or severely hypoplastic. Ectopic thyroid gland is the most frequent malformation, with thyroid tissue being found most often at the base of the tongue.

Summary : This gene encodes a member of the paired box (PAX) family of transcription factors. Members of this gene family typically encode proteins that contain a paired box domain, an octapeptide, and a paired-type homeodomain. This nuclear protein is involved in thyroid follicular cell development and expression of thyroid-specific genes. Mutations in this gene have been associated with thyroid dysgenesis, thyroid follicular carcinomas and atypical follicular thyroid

adenomas. Alternatively spliced transcript variants encoding different isoforms have been described. [provided by RefSeq]

APPLICATION NOTE

Recommended dilution :

- **ELISA:** Antibody specificity was verified by direct ELISA against the 3 immunogen peptides. A titer of 1/60000 has been determined. Appropriate specificity controls were run.
- **WB:** 1/5000.
- **IF:** 1/1000.

Optimal dilutions/concentration should be determined by the end user.

Raised in : Rabbit

Clonality : Polyclonal

Isotype : IgG

Purity : Purified Antibody

Storage buffer : 0.5 X PBS, containing a final concentration of 50% Glycerol, 0.1% BSA and 0.01% Thimerosal.

Form : Liquid

Storage instruction : Store at -20°C or -80°C. Avoid repeated freeze / thaw cycles.

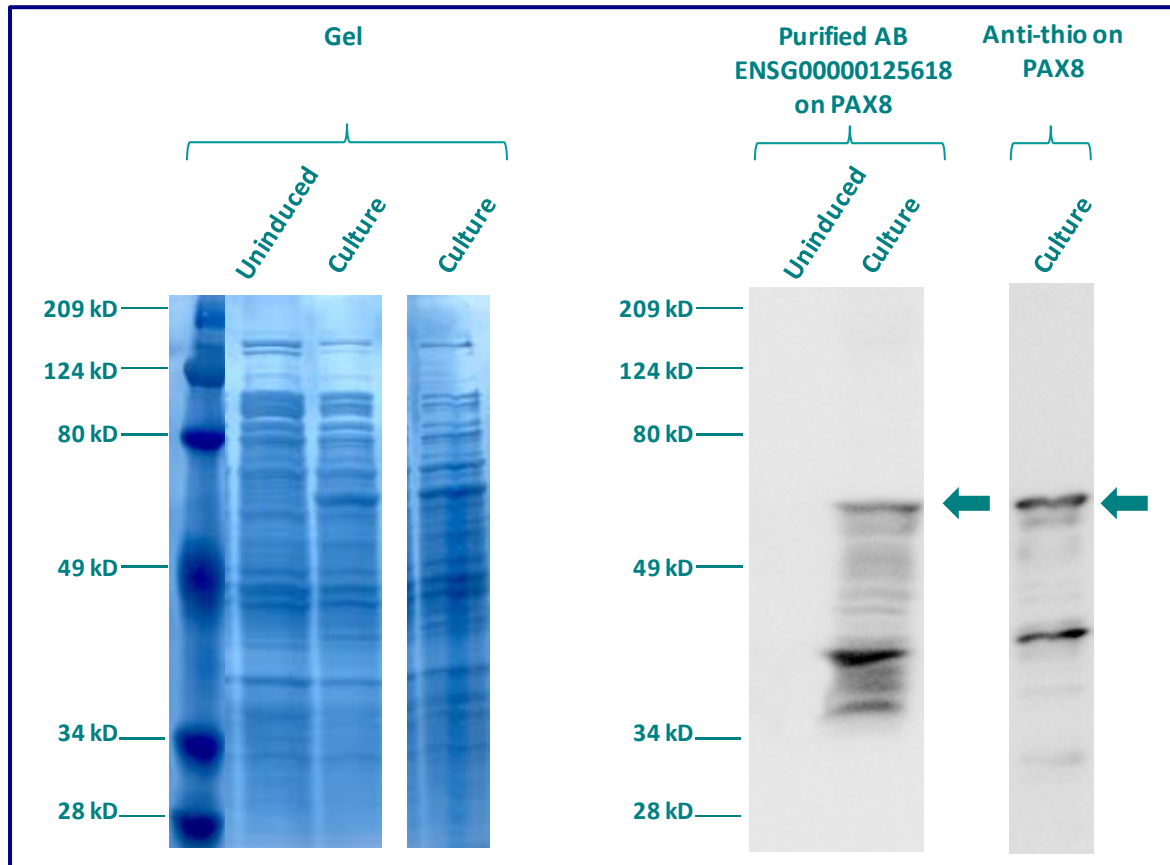
WESTERN BLOT ON RECOMBINANT PROTEIN

The purified antibody ENSG00000125618 has been tested at 1/5000 on uninduced (negative control) and induced culture of E.coli (one shot Top10 competent cells).

An anti-Thio (positive control) has been tested at 1/5000 on uninduced (negative control) and induced culture of E.coli (one shot Top10 competent cells) as a positive control.

Plasmid name : pBAD-DEST49.

Molecular weight of PAX8 : 62.2kDa (48.2kDa + another 14kDa for the tag).



Gel concentration: 10%

Blocking: in 5% non-fat milk-PBST solution

1st Antibody: The antibodies are diluted in blocking buffer.

- Dilute the purified antibody ENSG00000125618 at 1:5000
- Dilute the anti-thio at 1:5000

60 minutes of incubation

2nd Antibody: The antibody is diluted in blocking buffer.

- Dilute the anti-Rabbit IgG HRP conjugated at 1/10000

60 minutes of incubation

IMMUNOFLUORESCENCE ANALYSIS

Immunofluorescence analysis of Paired box protein Pax-8 (PAX8) expression in 6 cells lines (HELA, 293T/17, Capan-2, SAOS2, SH-SY5Y, Skin 3,44). The purified Antibody ENSG00000125618 has been tested at 1/5000.

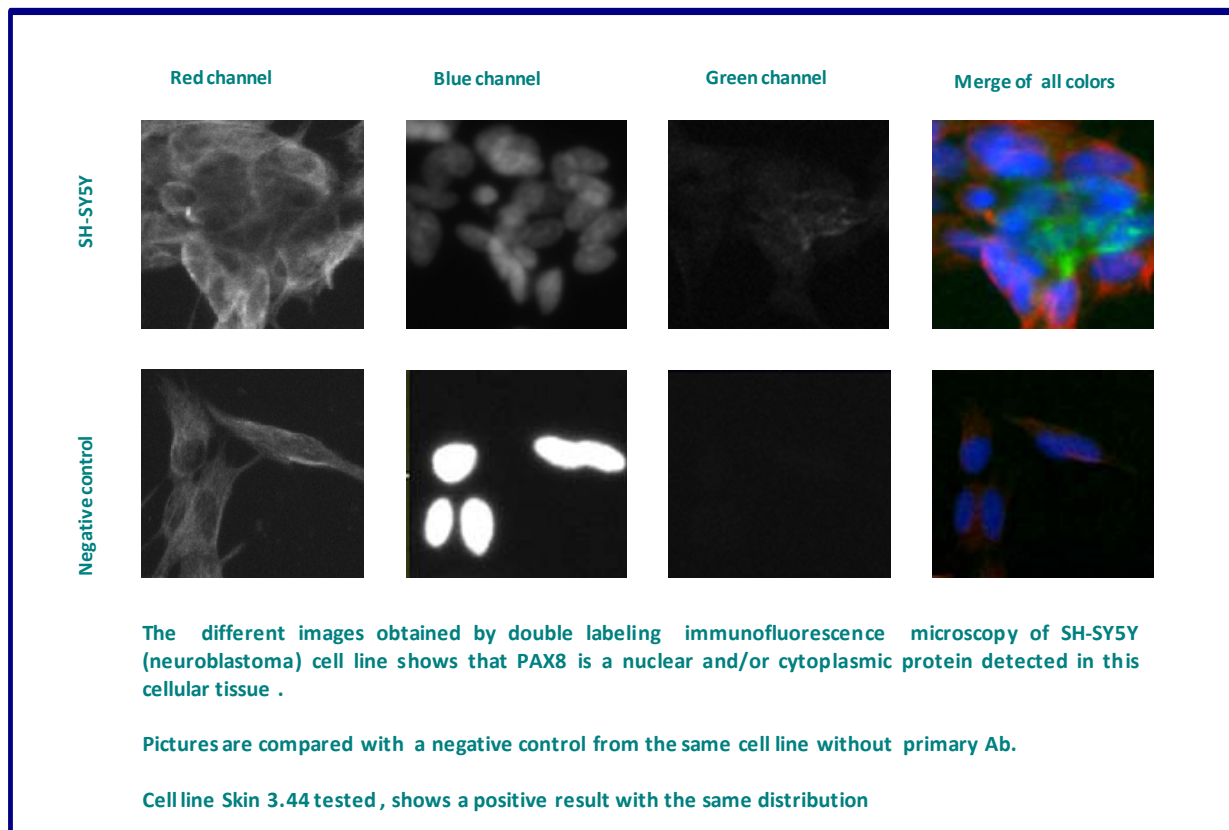
Red staining : cytoskeleton (microtubules/ α -tubuline)

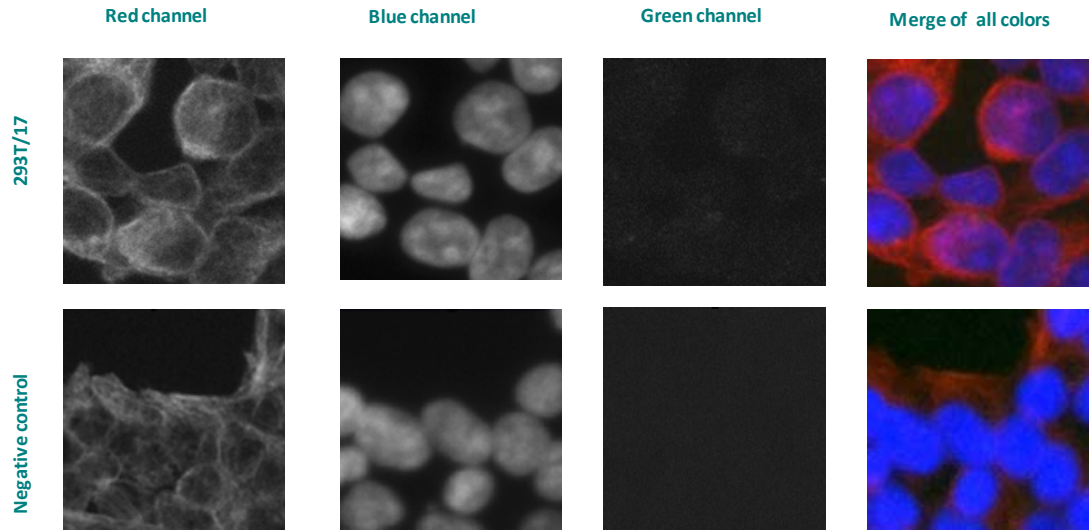
Blue staining : nucleus (Hoechst)

Green staining : anti- PAX8 antibody (purified)

Expected subcellular location : Nucleus

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The different images obtained by double labeling immunofluorescence microscopy of 293T/17 (kidney embryonic) cell line shows that PAX8 is not detected in this cellular tissue under these conditions.

Pictures are compared with a negative control from the same cell line without primary Ab.

Remaining cell lines tested gave a negative result under these conditions