

**Mundtacin KS precursor Polyclonal Antibody**  
**Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody (Pab)**  
**Catalog # AP54331**

**Specification**

**Mundtacin KS precursor Polyclonal Antibody - Product Information**

Application	IHC-P, IHC-F, IF, ICC, E
Host	Rabbit
Clonality	Polyclonal
Physical State	Liquid
Immunogen	KLH conjugated synthetic peptide derived from Mundtacin KS precursor
Isotype	IgG
<b>Purity</b>	
affinity purified by Protein A	
Buffer	0.01M TBS (pH7.4) with 1% BSA, 0.02% Proclin300 and 50% Glycerol.
Important Note	This product as supplied is intended for research use only, not for use in human, therapeutic or diagnostic applications.

**Background Descriptions**

Mundtacin KS, a bacteriocin produced by *Enterococcus mundtii* NFRI 7393 isolated from grass silage in Thailand, is active against closely related lactic acid bacteria and the food-borne pathogen *Listeria monocytogenes*. In this study, biochemical and genetic characterization of mundtacin KS was done. Mundtacin KS was purified to homogeneity by ammonium sulfate precipitation, sequential ion-exchange chromatography, and solid-phase extraction. The gene cluster (mun locus) for mundtacin KS production was cloned, and DNA sequencing revealed that the mun locus consists of three genes, designated munA, munB, and munC. The munA gene encodes a 58-amino-acid mundtacin KS precursor, munB encodes a protein of 674 amino acids involved in translocation and processing of the bacteriocin, and munC encodes a mundtacin KS immunity protein of 98 amino acids. Amino acid and nucleotide sequencing revealed the complete, unambiguous primary structure of mundtacin KS; mundtacin KS comprises a 43-amino-acid peptide with an amino acid sequence similar to that of mundtacin ATO6 produced by *E. mundtii* ATO6. Mundtacin KS and mundtacin ATO6 are distinguished by the inversion of the last two amino acids at their respective C termini. These two mundtacin were expressed in *Escherichia coli* as recombinant peptides and found to be different in activity against certain *Lactobacillus* strains, such as *Lactobacillus plantarum* and *Lactobacillus curvatus*. Mundtacin KS was successfully expressed by transformation with the recombinant plasmid containing the mun locus in heterogeneous hosts such as *E. faecium*, *L. curvatus*, and *Lactococcus lactis*. Based on our results, the mun locus is located on a 50-kb plasmid, pML1, of *E. mundtii* NFRI 7393.

**Mundtacin KS precursor Polyclonal Antibody - Additional Information**

**Dilution**

<span class = "dilution\_IHC-P">IHC-P~~N/A</span><br \><span class = "dilution\_IHC-F">IHC-F~~N/A</span><br \><span class = "dilution\_IF">IF~~1:50~200</span><br \><span class = "dilution\_ICC">ICC~~N/A</span><br \><span class = "dilution\_E">E~~N/A</span>

**Storage**

Store at -20 °C for one year. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles. When reconstituted in sterile pH 7.4 0.01M PBS or diluent of antibody the antibody is stable for at least two weeks at 2-4 °C.

**Mundtacin KS precursor Polyclonal Antibody - Protein Information****Mundtacin KS precursor Polyclonal Antibody - Protocols**

Provided below are standard protocols that you may find useful for product applications.

- [Western Blot](#)
- [Blocking Peptides](#)
- [Dot Blot](#)
- [Immunohistochemistry](#)
- [Immunofluorescence](#)
- [Immunoprecipitation](#)
- [Flow Cytometry](#)
- [Cell Culture](#)

**Mundtacin KS precursor Polyclonal Antibody - Images**