

GEM Polyclonal Antibody
Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody (Pab)
Catalog # AP55136**Specification**

GEM Polyclonal Antibody - Product Information

Application	WB, IHC-P, IHC-F, IF, ICC, E
Primary Accession	P55040
Reactivity	Rat, Pig, Dog, Bovine
Host	Rabbit
Clonality	Polyclonal
Calculated MW	34 KDa
Physical State	Liquid
Immunogen	KLH conjugated synthetic peptide derived from human GEM
Epitope Specificity	201-296/296
Isotype	IgG
Purity	
affinity purified by Protein A	
Buffer	0.01M TBS (pH7.4) with 1% BSA, 0.02% Proclin300 and 50% Glycerol.
SUBCELLULAR LOCATION	Cell membrane; Peripheral membrane protein; Cytoplasmic side.
SIMILARITY	Belongs to the small GTPase superfamily. RGK family.
SUBUNIT	Interacts with calmodulin in a Ca(2+)-dependent manner. Binds ROCK1.
Post-translational modifications	Phosphorylated on tyrosine residues.
Important Note	This product as supplied is intended for research use only, not for use in human, therapeutic or diagnostic applications.

Background Descriptions

Gem belongs to the Rad/Gem/Kir (RGK) subfamily of Ras-related GTPases, which lack typical C-terminal amino acid motifs for isoprenylation. Rad and Gem bind calmodulin in a Ca²⁺-dependent manner via this C-terminal extension, involving residues 278–297 in human Rad. High intracellular Gem levels, which interact with intact microtubules and microfilaments, promote profound changes in cell morphology. Ectopic Gem expression is sufficient to stimulate cell flattening and neurite extension in N1E-115 and SH-SY5Y neuroblastoma cells, suggesting a role for Gem in cytoskeletal rearrangement and/or morphological differentiation of neurons. Gem was also observed in developing trigeminal nerve ganglia in 12.5 day mouse embryos, demonstrating that Gem expression is a property of normal ganglionic development. The interaction of Gem with beta-subunits regulates Ca²⁺ channel expression at the cell surface. The human Gem gene maps to chromosome 8q22.1.

GEM Polyclonal Antibody - Additional Information**Gene ID 2669**

Other Names

GTP-binding protein GEM, GTP-binding mitogen-induced T-cell protein, RAS-like protein KIR, GEM, KIR

Target/Specificity

Most abundant in thymus, spleen, kidney, lung, and testis. Less abundant in heart, brain, liver and skeletal muscle.

Dilution

WB~~1:1000<br \>IHC-P~~N/A<br \>IHC-F~~N/A<br \>IF~~1:50~200<br \>ICC~~N/A<br \>E~~N/A

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.

GEM Polyclonal Antibody - Protein Information

Name GEM

Synonyms KIR

Function

Could be a regulatory protein, possibly participating in receptor-mediated signal transduction at the plasma membrane. Has guanine nucleotide-binding activity but undetectable intrinsic GTPase activity.

Cellular Location

Cell membrane; Peripheral membrane protein; Cytoplasmic side

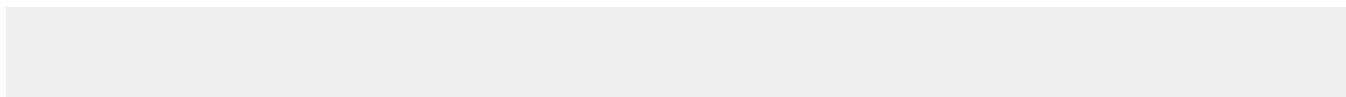
Tissue Location

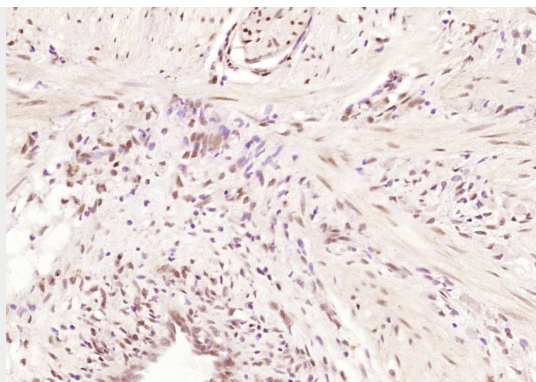
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GEM Polyclonal Antibody - Protocols

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](#)

GEM Polyclonal Antibody - Images



Paraformaldehyde-fixed, paraffin embedded (human gastric carcinoma); Antigen retrieval by boiling in sodium citrate buffer (pH6.0) for 15min; Block endogenous peroxidase by 3% hydrogen peroxide for 20 minutes; Blocking buffer (normal goat serum) at 37°C for 30min; Antibody incubation with (GEM) Polyclonal Antibody, Unconjugated (bs-13331R) at 1:200 overnight at 4°C, followed by operating according to SP Kit(Rabbit) (sp-0023) instructions and DAB staining.