

TK2 Antibody (C-term) Blocking Peptide
Synthetic peptide
Catalog # BP14865b**Specification**

TK2 Antibody (C-term) Blocking Peptide - Product InformationPrimary Accession [O00142](#)**TK2 Antibody (C-term) Blocking Peptide - Additional Information****Gene ID** 7084**Other Names**

Thymidine kinase 2, mitochondrial, Mt-TK, TK2

Format

Peptides are lyophilized in a solid powder format. Peptides can be reconstituted in solution using the appropriate buffer as needed.

Storage

Maintain refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 6 months. For long term storage store at -20°C.

Precautions

This product is for research use only. Not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

TK2 Antibody (C-term) Blocking Peptide - Protein Information**Name** TK2 {ECO:0000303|PubMed:9989599, ECO:0000312|HGNC:HGNC:11831}**Function**

Phosphorylates thymidine, deoxycytidine, and deoxyuridine in the mitochondrial matrix (PubMed:9989599, PubMed:11687801). In non-replicating cells, where cytosolic dNTP synthesis is down-regulated, mtDNA synthesis depends solely on TK2 and DGUOK (PubMed:9989599). Widely used as target of antiviral and chemotherapeutic agents (PubMed:9989599).

Cellular Location

Mitochondrion.

Tissue Location

Predominantly expressed in liver, pancreas, muscle, and brain.

TK2 Antibody (C-term) Blocking Peptide - Protocols

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

- [Blocking Peptides](#)

TK2 Antibody (C-term) Blocking Peptide - Images

TK2 Antibody (C-term) Blocking Peptide - Background

This gene encodes a deoxyribonucleoside kinase that specifically phosphorylates thymidine, deoxycytidine, and deoxyuridine. The encoded enzyme localizes to the mitochondria and is required for mitochondrial DNA synthesis. Mutations in this gene are associated with a myopathic form of mitochondrial DNA depletion syndrome. Alternate splicing results in multiple transcript variants.

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