

MAX Antibody (S11) Blocking Peptide
Synthetic peptide
Catalog # BP7827a**Specification**

MAX Antibody (S11) Blocking Peptide - Product InformationPrimary Accession [P61244](#)**MAX Antibody (S11) Blocking Peptide - Additional Information****Gene ID** 4149**Other Names**

Protein max, Class D basic helix-loop-helix protein 4, bHLHd4, Myc-associated factor X, MAX, BHLHD4

Target/Specificity

The synthetic peptide sequence used to generate the antibody [AP7827a](/product/products/AP7827a) was selected from the S11 region of human MAX. A 10 to 100 fold molar excess to antibody is recommended. Precise conditions should be optimized for a particular assay.

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.

MAX Antibody (S11) Blocking Peptide - Protein Information**Name** MAX ([HGNC:6913](#))**Synonyms** BHLHD4**Function**

Transcription regulator. Forms a sequence-specific DNA-binding protein complex with MYC or MAD which recognizes the core sequence 5'-CAC[GA]TG-3'. The MYC:MAX complex is a transcriptional activator, whereas the MAD:MAX complex is a repressor. May repress transcription via the recruitment of a chromatin remodeling complex containing H3 'Lys-9' histone methyltransferase activity. Represses MYC transcriptional activity from E-box elements.

Cellular Location

Nucleus. Cell projection, dendrite.

Tissue Location

High levels found in the brain, heart and lung while lower levels are seen in the liver, kidney and skeletal muscle

MAX Antibody (S11) Blocking Peptide - Protocols

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

- [Blocking Peptides](#)

MAX Antibody (S11) Blocking Peptide - Images**MAX Antibody (S11) Blocking Peptide - Background**

MAX is a member of the basic helix-loop-helix leucine zipper (bHLHZ) family of transcription factors. It is able to form homodimers and heterodimers with other family members, which include Mad, Mxi1 and Myc. Myc is an oncoprotein implicated in cell proliferation, differentiation and apoptosis. The homodimers and heterodimers compete for a common DNA target site (the E box) and rearrangement among these dimer forms provides a complex system of transcriptional regulation.

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