

Shh (AB5397) Rabbit mAb

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Key Features

Host Species

- Rabbit

Reactivity

- Human

Applications

- WB, IHC, IF, ELISA

MW

- 50 kDa (calculated)
- 45-50 kDa (observed)

Isotype

- IgG

Recommended Dilution Ratios

Application

WB, IHC, IF, ELISA

Dilution

WB, 1:1000-1:2000 | IHC-P, 1:100-1:400 | IF/ICC, 1:100-1:400 | ELISA, Recommended starting concentration is 1 μ g/mL. Please optimize the concentration based on your specific assay requirements.

Storage

Storage Conditions

Store at -20°C. Avoid freeze / thaw cycles.

Storage buffer

The antibody is provided in liquid form in phosphate - buffered saline with 50% glycerol, 0.05% BSA, and 0.05% Proclin 300.

Basic Information

Clonality

Monoclonal

Clone Number

AB5397

Immunogen

Recombinant protein (or fragment). This information is considered to be commercially sensitive.

Specificity

This antibody detects endogenous levels of Shh protein.

Purification

Affinity purification Protein A

Concentration

Product concentration may vary by batch. Please refer to the product COA for details.

Target Information

Gene name

SHH

Protein Name

Shh

Database Link

Organism

Human

Swiss Prot.

Q15465

Gene ID

6469

Background

This gene encodes a protein that is instrumental in patterning the early embryo. It has been implicated as the key inductive signal in patterning of the ventral neural tube, the anterior-posterior limb axis, and the ventral somites. Of three human proteins showing sequence and functional similarity to the sonic hedgehog protein of *Drosophila*, this protein is the most similar. The protein is made as a precursor that is autocatalytically cleaved; the N-terminal portion is soluble and contains the signalling activity while the C-terminal portion is involved in precursor processing. More importantly, the C-terminal product covalently attaches a cholesterol moiety to the N-terminal product, restricting the N-terminal product to the cell surface and preventing it from freely diffusing throughout the developing embryo. Defects in this protein or in its signalling pathway are a cause of holoprosencephaly (HPE), a disorder in which the

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developing forebrain fails to correctly separate into right and left hemispheres. HPE is manifested by facial deformities. It is also thought that mutations in this gene or in its signalling pathway may be responsible for VACTERL syndrome, which is characterized by vertebral defects, anal atresia, tracheoesophageal fistula with esophageal atresia, radial and renal dysplasia, cardiac anomalies, and limb abnormalities. Additionally, mutations in a long range enhancer located approximately 1 megabase upstream of this gene disrupt limb patterning and can result in preaxial polydactyly.