

Stathmin Antibody



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Applications	Species Cross-Reactivity*	Molecular Wt.	Source	
W, IHC-P Endogenous	H, M, R, Mk	19 kDa	Rabbit**	

Background: Stathmin, a ubiquitously expressed microtubule destabilizing phosphoprotein, is upregulated in a number of cancers. The amino-terminus of the protein is involved in promotion of tubulin filament depolymerization and contains multiple phosphorylation sites. Phosphorylation at these sites inactivates the protein and stabilizes microtubules. Ser16 phosphorylation by CaM kinase II and IV (1,2) increases during G2/M-phase and is involved in mitotic spindle regulation (3,4). Ser38 is a target for cdc2 kinase (5), and TNF-induced cell death gives rise to reactive oxygen intermediates leading to hyperphosphorylation of stathmin (6). EGF receptor activation of Rac and cdc42 also increases phosphorylation of stathmin on Ser16 and Ser38 (7). Other closely related family members are neuronally expressed and include SCG10. SCLIP. RB3 and its splice variants RB3' and RB3". Stathmin and SCG10 have been shown to play roles in neuronal-like development in PC12 cells (8).

Specificity/Sensitivity: Stathmin Antibody detects endogenous levels of total stathmin protein. The antibody does not cross-react with related proteins such as SCG10, SCLIP and RB3.

Source/Purification: Polyclonal antibodies are produced by immunizing rabbits with a synthetic peptide (KLHcoupled) corresponding to residues surrounding Ser38 of human stathmin. Antibodies are purified by protein A and peptide affinity chromatography.

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IMPORTANT: For Western blots, incubate membrane with diluted antibody in 5% w/v BSA, 1X TBS, 0.1% Tween-20 at 4°C with gentle shaking, overnight.



Western blot analysis of extracts from C6, SH-SY5Y, SK-N-MC, PC12, COS and HeLa cells using Stathmin Antibody.



Immunohistochemical analysis of paraffin-embedded human breast carcinoma using Stathmin Antibody.

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Storage: Supplied in 10 mM sodium HEPES (pH 7.5), 150 mM NaCl, 100 μ g/ml BSA and 50% glycerol. Store at -20°C. *Do not aliquot the antibody.*

*Species cross-reactivity is determined by western blot.

**Anti-rabbit secondary antibodies must be used to detect this antibody.

Recommended Antibody Dilutions:

	Western Blotting	1:1000			
Immunohistochemistry (Paraffin)		1:50†			
	Unmasking buffer:	Citrate			
	Antibody diluent: SignalStain [®] Antibody	Diluent #8112			
	Detection reagent: SignalStain [®] Boost (HRP, Rabbit) #8114				
	†Optimal IHC dilutions determined using SignalStain® Boost IHC				
	Detection Reagent.				

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 Applications Key:
 W—Western
 IP—Immunoprecipitation
 IHC—Immunohistochemistry
 ChIP—Chromatin Immunoprecipitation
 IF—Immunofluorescence
 F—Flow cytometry
 E-P—ELISA-Peptide

 Species Cross-Reactivity Key:
 H—human
 M—mouse
 R—rat
 Hm—hamster
 Mk—monkey
 Mi—mink
 C—chicken
 Dm—D. melanogaster
 X—xenopus
 Z—zebrafish
 B—bovine

 Dg—dog
 Pg—pig
 Sc—S. cerevisiae
 Ce-C. elegans
 Hr—horse
 AII—all species expected
 Species enclosed in parentheses are predicted to react based on 100% homology.