



# Anti-SUMO 2/3 antibody, rat monoclonal (3H12)

Catalog # 70-657 100 µg

SUMO (Small Ubiquitin-like Modifier) proteins are a family of small proteins that are covalently attached to and detached from other proteins in cells to modify their function. Unlike ubiquitination, which targets proteins for degradation, SUMO modification plays a critical role in a number of cellular functions including nucleocytoplasmic transport, gene expression, cell cycle and formation of subnuclear structures such as promyelocytic leukemia (PML) bodies. There are three confirmed SUMO isoforms in human; SUMO1, SUMO2 and SUMO3. SUMO2 and 3 show a high degree of similarity to each other and are distinct from SUMO1. Individual SUMO family members are all targeted to different proteins with diverse biological functions. SUMO2/3 forms poly-(SUMO) chains, is conjugated to topoisomerase II and APP, and regulates chromosomal segregation and cellular responses to environmental stress.

Molecular mass: SUMO2; proform 10,871 Da with 95 aa (94-95 aa are removed from proform). SUMO3; proform 11,637 Da with 103 aa (93-103 aa are removed from proform).

# Applications

- 1. Immunofluorescence staining 1:100-500
- 2. Immunohistochemistry frozen sections 1:100-500
- 3. Western blot 1:1,000
- 4. Immunocytochemistry staining 1:100-500
- 5. ELISA (Assay dependent)

Other applications have not been tested

### Specification

Immunogen: Recombinant GST-fused human SUMO3 (full length)

Isotype: Rat IgG 2a kappa

Purification: The antibody was produced from the hybridoma cultured in serum-free medium and purified under mild conditions by propriety chromatography processes.

Form: 1 mg/ml in PBS, 50% glycerol, filter-sterilized. Azide- and carrier protein-free.

Specificity: Specific to human, simian, mouse, hamster and rat SUMO2 and 3. Other species have not been tested.

Storage: Shipped at 4°C or -20°C and store at -20°C

# Data Link

Swiss-Prot SUMO2 P61956 (human), SUMO3 P55854 (human)

#### References

Uchimura Y et al "Involvement of SUMO modification in MBD1- and MCAF1-mediated heterochromatin formation." J Biol Chem 281: 23180-23190 (2006) PMID: 16757475

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Fig.1. Detection of SUMO-2/3 by Western blot with anti-SUMO2/3 antibody (3H12). High molecular multiple bands were observed in HeLa total cell extract. As secondary antibody, Alkaline phosphatase conjugated anti-rat IgG was used.



Fig. 2. Detection of SUMO-2/3 in whole cell extracts of mammalian cells by Western blot with anti-SUMO2/3 antibody (3H12). 1. MCF-7 (human breast cancer cell line) 2. NIH3T3 (mouse fibroblast cell line) 3. CHO (Chinese Hamster Ovary cell) 10-20% gradient gel was used for SDS-PAGE. Wet blotting method was employed. Anti-SUMO-2/3 antibody (3H12) was used at 1/1,000 dilution. As a second antibody, goat anti-rat IgG antibody conjugated with HRP was used at 5,000 dilution. Arrow indicates unconjugated SUMO-2/3 proteins. SUMO-2/3 proteins conjugate numerous proteins in vivo, and SUMOylation states vary depending on the kinds of cells and physiological states of them.

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Fig. 3 Immunofluorescence staining of SUMO-2/3 with the anti-SUMO2/3 antibody (3H12) in the mouse primary neural progenitor cells. DNA was stained with Hoechst.



Fig. 4. SUMO-2/3 foci detection in C-33A cells by immunofluorescence staining with anti-SUMO-2/3 antibody (3H12). Cells were fixed with 4% paraformaldehyde and permeabilized with 0.25 TritonX-100. As secondary antibody, Alexa 488 conjugated donkey anti-rat IgG was used. Cells were analyzed using Olympus IX71 microscope and Lumina Vision software (Mitani Co., Tokyo)

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Fig. 5. Immunohistochemistry of Coronal section of E16.mouse cerebral cortex. Coronal section was immunostained with anti-SUMO-2/3 antibody (3H12). DNA was stained with Hoechst.

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