

Rabbit (polyclonal) Anti-Human FAK Unconjugated

PRODUCT ANALYSIS SHEET

Catalog Number:	AHO0502
Lot Number:	See product label
Quantity/Volume:	0.5 mg/0.5 mL
Form of Antibody:	Purified rabbit immunoglobulins in phosphate buffered saline, pH 7.3, with 0.2% bovine serum albumin.
Preservation:	0.1% sodium azide (Caution: sodium azide is a poisonous and hazardous substance. Handle with care and dispose of properly.)
Purification:	Purified by Protein A affinity chromatography.
Immunogen:	Recombinant protein corresponding to amino acid residues 853-1052 from the C-terminal region of human FAK.
Specificity:	<p>This antibody recognizes a protein of $M_r=125$ kDa, identified as focal adhesion kinase (FAK). FAK is a widely expressed non-receptor protein tyrosine kinase discovered as a substrate for Src and as a key element of integrin signaling. Regulation of FAK includes phosphorylation at multiple tyrosine and serine residues. Increased FAK tyrosine phosphorylation occurs upon integrin engagement with fibronectin. Phosphorylation of tyrosine generally is associated with positive regulation and growth promotion; however, dephosphorylation at these sites occurs as cells begin to enter the M-phase of the cell cycle. In contrast, serine phosphorylation either remains high or is increased as cells enter mitosis. FAK plays a central role in cell spreading, differentiation, migration, cell death and acceleration of the G1 to S phase transition of the cell cycle. FAK binds multiple signaling proteins including p130Cas, Graf, Grb2, Src family SH2 domains, and the p85 subunit of PI3-kinase.</p> <p>The epitope is localized in the C-terminal region (amino acid residues 853-1052).</p>
Species Reactivity:	Human, mouse, and rat. Other species were not tested.
Applications:	This antibody is suitable for use in immunofluorescence, immunoprecipitation, and Western blotting.
Suggested Working Dilutions:	For immunoprecipitation, the recommended concentration is 10 μ g/mg of protein lysate; and for Western blot analysis, the recommended concentration is 5 - 10 μ g/mL with an incubation for 2 hours at room temperature. The optimal antibody concentration should be determined for each specific application.
Recommended Positive Control:	MCF-7 (human) cells, L-929 (mouse) cells, or PC-12 (rat) cells.
Storage:	Store at 2-8°C. For long term storage, apportion into working aliquots and store at -20°C. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles to prevent denaturing the antibody.

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