

DESCRIPTION

Species Reactivity	Human/Mouse/Rat
Specificity	Detects human, mouse and rat PKC ζ /I λ in Western blots.
Source	Polyclonal Sheep IgG
Purification	Antigen Affinity-purified
Immunogen	<i>E. coli</i> -derived recombinant human PKC ζ Ile455-Val596 Accession # P41743
Formulation	Lyophilized from a 0.2 μ m filtered solution in PBS with Trehalose. See Certificate of Analysis for details. *Small pack size (-SP) is supplied as a 0.2 μ m filtered solution in PBS.

APPLICATIONS

Please Note: Optimal dilutions should be determined by each laboratory for each application. *General Protocols* are available in the *Technical Information* section on our website.

	Recommended Concentration	Sample
Western Blot	1 μ g/mL	See Below
Immunohistochemistry	5-15 μ g/mL	See Below

DATA

Western Blot

Detection of Human, Mouse, and Rat PKC ζ /I λ by Western Blot.
Western blot shows lysates of A431 human epithelial carcinoma cell line, DU145 human prostate carcinoma cell line, Balb/3T3 mouse embryonic fibroblast cell line, and PC-12 rat adrenal pheochromocytoma cell line. PVDF membrane was probed with 1 μ g/mL Sheep Anti-Human/Mouse/Rat PKC ζ /I λ Cross-reactive Antigen Affinity-purified Polyclonal Antibody (Catalog # AF4465) followed by HRP-conjugated Anti-Sheep IgG Secondary Antibody (Catalog # HAF016). For additional reference, recombinant human PKC ζ , PKC λ , and PKC ζ (2 ng/lane) were included. Specific bands were detected at approximately 22 kDa for recombinant PKC ζ /I λ and ~80 kDa for natural PKC ζ /I λ (as indicated). This experiment was conducted under reducing conditions and using Immunoblot Buffer Group 1.

Immunohistochemistry

PKC ζ /I λ in Human Pancreas.
PKC ζ /I λ was detected in immersion fixed paraffin-embedded sections of human pancreas using Sheep Anti-Human/Mouse/Rat PKC ζ /I λ Cross-reactive Antigen Affinity-purified Polyclonal Antibody (Catalog # AF4465) at 15 μ g/mL overnight at 4 °C. Tissue was stained using the Anti-Sheep HRP-DAB Cell & Tissue Staining Kit (brown; Catalog # CTS019) and counterstained with hematoxylin (blue). View our protocol for [Chromogenic IHC Staining of Paraffin-embedded Tissue Sections](#). This application has not been tested in mouse or rat samples.

PREPARATION AND STORAGE

Reconstitution	Reconstitute at 0.2 mg/mL in sterile PBS.
Shipping	The product is shipped at ambient temperature. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended below. *Small pack size (-SP) is shipped with polar packs. Upon receipt, store it immediately at -20 to -70 °C
Stability & Storage	Use a manual defrost freezer and avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 12 months from date of receipt, -20 to -70 °C as supplied. ● 1 month, 2 to 8 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution. ● 6 months, -20 to -70 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.

BACKGROUND

Members of the Protein Kinase C (PKC) family are serine/threonine protein kinases that play a key regulatory role in a number of cellular functions including cell growth and differentiation, hormone secretion, and gene expression. Multiple genes and alternative splicing result in three subfamilies, which differ in their co-factor requirements: conventional PKC isoforms (α , β I, β II, and γ) which require calcium and phosphatidyserine (PS), diacylglycerol (DAG) or phorbol esters for activation; novel isoforms (δ , ϵ , η , and θ), which are calcium-independent but are still regulated by PS, DAG, or phorbol esters; and atypical isoforms (ι , λ , and ζ), which are calcium-independent and do not require PS, DAG, or phorbol esters for activation. PKC ζ has 72% overall identity to PKC ζ . Atypical PKCs have been shown to serve as a convergent downstream target for the PI 3-kinase and TC10 signaling pathways. Stimulation of atypical PKCs by TNF- α has been shown to be required for NF- κ B activation. Furthermore, insulin-stimulated atypical PKC activation has been directly implicated in the translocation of GLUT4 and glucose uptake in adipocytes.