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# anti-SMAD4 antibody (N-Term)



Validation

**Images** 



# Overview

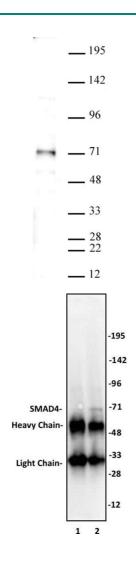
Quantity:	100 μL
Target:	SMAD4
Binding Specificity:	N-Term
Reactivity:	Human
Host:	Rabbit
Clonality:	Polyclonal
Application:	Western Blotting (WB), Immunoprecipitation (IP), Cleavage Under Targets and Release Using Nuclease (CUT&RUN)

# **Product Details**

Immunogen:	This antibody was raised against a peptide within the N-terminal region of human SMAD4.
Isotype:	IgG
Characteristics:	SMAD4 (Mothers Against Decapentaplegic Homolog 4) or common SMAD (co-SMAD) is the
	coactivator and mediator of signal transduction by TGF-beta (transforming growth factor).
	Component of the heterotrimeric SMAD2/SMAD3-SMAD4 complex that forms in the nucleus
	and is required for the TGF-mediated signaling. Promotes binding of the SMAD2/SMAD4/FAST-
	1 complex to DNA and provides an activation function required for SMAD1 or SMAD2 to
	stimulate transcription. Component of the multimeric SMAD3/SMAD4/JUN/FOS complex
	which forms at the AP1 promoter site, required for syngernistic transcriptional activity in
	response to TGF-beta. May act as a tumor suppressor. Positively regulates PDPK1 kinase
	activity by stimulating its dissociation from the 14-3-3 protein YWHAQ which acts as a negative
	regulator. SMAD4 antibody (pAb) was raised in a Rabbit host. It has been validated for use in

# **Product Details**

	Immunoprecipitation and Western blot, it has been shown to react with Human samples.
Purification:	Affinity Purified
Target Details	
Target:	SMAD4
Alternative Name:	SMAD4 (SMAD4 Products)
Molecular Weight:	72 kDa
NCBI Accession:	NP_005350
Pathways:	Cell Division Cycle, Chromatin Binding, Autophagy
Application Details	
Application Notes:	Optimal working dilution should be determined by the investigator.
Restrictions:	For Research Use only
Handling	
Buffer:	Purified IgG in PBS with 30 % glycerol and 0.035 % sodium azide.
Preservative:	Sodium azide
Precaution of Use:	This product contains Sodium azide: a POISONOUS AND HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE which should be handled by trained staff only.
Storage:	-20 °C
Storage Comment:	Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles by aliquoting items into single-use fractions for storage at -20°C for up to 2 years. Keep all reagents on ice when not in storage.



# **Western Blotting**

**Image 1.** SMAD4 antibody (pAb) tested by Western blot. Detection of SMAD4 by Western blot analysis. Nuclear extract of HeLa cells (30  $\mu$ g) probed with SMAD4 antibody at a dilution of 1:500.

## **Immunoprecipitation**

**Image 2.** SMAD4 antibody (pAb) tested by Immunoprecipitation. 10  $\mu$ L of SMAD4 antibody was used to immunoprecipitate SMAD4 from 250  $\mu$ g of HeLa nuclear cell extract (lane 2). 10  $\mu$ L of rabbit IgG was used as a negative control (lane 1). The immunoprecipitated protein was detected by Western blotting using the SMAD4 antibody at a dilution of 1:500.





### Successfully validated (Cleavage Under Targets and Release Using Nuclease (CUT&RUN))

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Target:	SMAD4
Lot Number:	34614001
Method validated:	Cleavage Under Targets and Release Using Nuclease (CUT&RUN)
Positive Control:	Polyclonal rabbit anti-H3K4me (antibodies-online, ABIN3023251)
Negative Control:	Polyclonal guinea pig anti-rabbit IgG (antibodies-online, ABIN101961)
Notes:	Passed. ABIN6972727 allows for CUT&RUN mediated profiling of SMAD4 in human cancer cells.
Primary Antibody:	ABIN6972727
Protocol:	Cell harvest and nuclear extraction

- Harvest 250,000 human cancer cells per antibody stimulated
- o Centrifuge cell solution 5 min at 800 x g at RT.
- Remove the liquid carefully.
- Gently resuspend cells in 1 mL of Nuclear Extraction Buffer (20 mM HEPES-KOH pH 8.2, 20% Glycerol, 0.05% IGEPAL, 0.5 mM Spermidine, 10 mM KCl, Roche Complete Protease Inhibitor EDTA-free).
- Move the solution to a 2 mL centrifuge tube.
- o Pellet the nuclei 800 x g for 5 min.
- o Repeat the NE wash twice for a total of three washes.
- Resuspend the nuclei in 20 μL NE Buffer per sample.
- · Concanavalin A beads preparation
  - Prepare one 2 mL microcentrifuge tube.
  - Gently resuspend the magnetic Concanavalin A Beads (antibodies-online, ABIN6952467).
  - Pipette 20 μL Con A Beads slurry for each sample into the 2 mL microcentrifuge tube.
  - o Place the tube on a magnet stand until the fluid is clear. Remove the liquid carefully.
  - o Remove the microcentrifuge tube from the magnetic stand.
  - Pipette 1 mL Binding Buffer (20 mM HEPES pH 7.5, 10 mM KCl, 1 mM CaCl<sub>2</sub>, 1 mM MnCl<sub>2</sub>) into the tube and resuspend ConA beads by gentle pipetting.
  - Spin down the liquid from the lid with a quick pulse in a table-top centrifuge.
  - Place the tubes on a magnet stand until the fluid is clear. Remove the liquid carefully.
  - o Remove the microcentrifuge tube from the magnetic stand.

- Repeat the wash twice for a total of three washes.
- o Gently resuspend the ConA Beads in a volume of Binding Buffer corresponding to the original volume of bead slurry, i.e. 20 µL per sample.
- Nuclei immobilization binding to Concanavalin A beads
  - Carefully vortex the nuclei suspension and add 20 μL of the Con A beads in Binding Buffer to the cell suspension for each sample.
  - Close tube tightly incubates 10 min at 4 °C.
  - o Put the 2 mL tube on the magnet stand and when the liquid is clear remove the supernatant.
  - Resuspend the beads in 1 mL of EDTA Wash buffer (20 mM HEPES pH 7.5, 150 mM NaCl, 0.5 mM Spermidine, Roche Complete Protease Inhibitor EDTA-free, 2mM EDTA).
  - Incubate 5 min at RT.
  - Place the tube on the magnet stand and when the liquid is clear remove the supernatant.
  - Resuspend the beads in 200 µl of Wash Buffer (20 mM HEPES pH 7.5, 150 mM NaCl, 0.5 mM Spermidine, Roche Complete Protease Inhibitor EDTA-free) per sample.
- · Primary antibody binding
  - Divide nuclei suspension into separate 200 µL PCR tubes, one for each antibody (150,000 cells per sample).
  - Add 2 μL antibody (anti-SMAD4 antibody ABIN6972727, anti-H3K4me positive control antibody ABIN3023251, and guinea pig anti-rabbit IgG negative control antibody ABIN101961) to the respective tube, corresponding to a 1:100 dilution.
  - Incubate at 4 °C ON.
  - Place the tubes on a magnet stand until the fluid is clear. Remove the liquid carefully.
  - o Remove the microcentrifuge tubes from the magnetic stand.
  - Wash with 200 μL of Wash Buffer using a multichannel pipette to accelerate the process.
  - Repeat the wash five times for a total of six washes.
- pAG-MNase Binding
  - Prepare a 1.5 mL microcentrifuge tube containing 100 μL of pAG mix per sample (100 μL of wash buffer + 58.5 µg pAG-MNase per sample).
  - Place the PCR tubes with the sample on a magnet stand until the fluid is clear. Remove the liquid carefully.
  - Remove tubes from the magnetic stand.
  - $\circ$  Resuspend the beads in 100 µL of pAG-MNase premix.
  - Incubate 30 min at 4 °C.
  - o Place the tubes on a magnet stand until the fluid is clear. Remove the liquid carefully.
  - Remove the microcentrifuge tubes from the magnetic stand.
  - Wash with 200 µL of Wash Buffer using a multichannel pipette to accelerate the process.
  - Repeat the wash five times for a total of six washes.
  - Resuspend in 100 μL of Wash Buffer.
- · MNase digestion and release of pAG-MNase-antibody-chromatin complexes
  - Place PCR tubes on ice and allow to chill.
  - Prepare a 1.5 mL microcentrifuge tube with 102 μl of 2 mM CaCl<sub>2</sub> mix per sample (100 μl Wash Buffer + 2 µL 100 mM CaCl<sub>2</sub>) and let it chill on ice.

- Always in ice, place the samples on the magnetic rack and when the liquid is clear remove the supernatant.
- Resuspend the samples in 100 µl of the 2 mM CaCl<sub>2</sub> mix and incubate in ice for exactly 30
- o Place the sample on the magnet stand and when the liquid is clear remove the supernatant.
- Resuspend the sample in 50 μl of 1x Urea STOP Buffer (8.5 M Urea, 100 mM NaCl, 2 mM EGTA, 2 mM EDTA, 0.5% IGEPAL).
- o Incubate the samples 1h at 4°C.
- Transfer the supernatant containing the pAG-MNase-bound digested chromatin fragments to fresh 200 µl PCR tubes.

#### · DNA Clean up

- Take the Mag-Bind® TotalPure NGS beads (Omega Bio-Tek, M1378-01) from the storage and wait until they are at RT.
- O Add 2x volume of beads to each sample (e.g. 100 μL of beads for 50 μL of sample).
- o Incubate the beads and the sample for 15 min at RT.
- During incubation prepare fresh EtOH 80%.
- o Place the PCR tubes on a magnet stand and when the liquid is clear remove the supernatant.
- Add 200 µl of fresh 80% EtOH to the sample without disturbing the beads (Important!!! Do NOT resuspend the beads or remove the tubes from the magnet stand or the sample will be lost).
- o Incubate 30 sec at RT.
- Remove the EtOH from the sample.
- Repeat the wash with 80% EtOH.
- Resuspend the beads in 25 μL of 10 mM Tris-HCl pH 8.2.
- Incubate the sample for 2 min at RT.
- Repeat the 2x beads clean up as described before (this time with 50 µL of beads for each sample).
- Resuspend the beads + DNA in 20 μL of 10 mM Tris-HCl pH 8.2.
- · Library preparation and sequencing
  - Prepare Libraries using KAPA HyperPrep Kit using KAPA Dual-Indexed adapters according to protocol.
  - Sequence samples on an Illumina NextSeq 500 sequencer, using a NextSeq 500/550 High Output Kit v2.5 (75 Cycles), 36 bp PE.

#### · Peak calling

- Trim reads using using bbTools bbduk (BBMap Bushnell B. sourceforge.net/projects/bbmap/) to remove adapters, artifacts and repeat sequences.
- Map aligned reads to the hg38 human genome using bowtie with options -m 1 -v 0 -l 0 -X 500.
- Use SAMtools to convert SAM files to BAM files and remove duplicates.
- Use BEDtools genomecov to produce Bedgraph files.
- o Call peaks using SEACR with a 0.001 threshold and the option norm stringent.

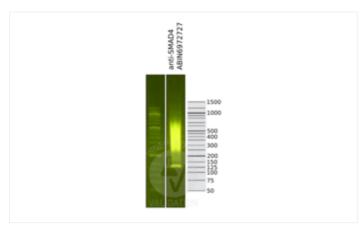
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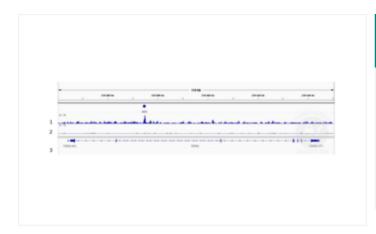
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# Images for Validation report #104457



# Validation image no. 1 for anti-SMAD Family Member 4 (SMAD4) (N-Term) antibody (ABIN6972727)

Library profiles comparing fragment size distributions on an E-Gel EX 2% agarose gel (Thermo Fisher). Fragments obtained from CUT&RUN using anti-SMAD4 ABIN6972727 (right) after library preparation, compared to the E-Gel Sizing DNA Ladder (Thermo Fisher) (left).



# Validation image no. 2 for anti-SMAD Family Member 4 (SMAD4) (N-Term) antibody (ABIN6972727)

1. Peaks called for SMAD4. 2. Alignment tracks from CUT&RUN targeting SMAD4 in human cancer cells using ABIN6972727 antibody showing the TGFB2 locus. 3. Alignment tracks for CUT&RUN with the IgG negative control ABIN101961. 4. RefSeq Genes.