

Anti-Swi6 (S. pombe) antibody, rabbit serum, ChIp grade

63-101 50 ul

Shipping and Storage: Ship at 4°Cand upon arrival, aliquot and store at -20°C. **Reactivity:** Swi6 protein of *S. pombe*

Immunogen: Recombinant full length protein corresponding to Schizosaccharomyces pombe Swi6 aa 1-328

Applications For the studies of RNAi mechanism

- 1. Western blotting (x 2,000~10,000 dilution) (Figure) Backgroud noise was reduced with diluted antibody
- 2. Immunoprecipitation
- 3 Immunoflorescent staining
- 4. Chromatin Immuno-Precipitation

Form: Undiluted antiserum added with 0.09% sodium azide

Background: Swi6 protein of fission yeast is a functional and structural homolog of HP1 (Heterochromatin Protein 1) of animals and is involved in the formation of heterochromatin structure by binding to centromere, telomere and silent mating-type locus. It is also involved in silencing the genes and sister chromatid cohesion by binding to histone H3 methylated at Lys9 and the cohesin subunit Psc3.

Data Link UniProtKB/Swiss-Prot P40381 (SWI6_SCHPO)



Fig.1 Detection of endogenous Swi6 protein by Western blotting

Sample: Crude extract of S. pombe at log phase The Swi6 protein migrates slower than the calculated molecular mass of 37 kDa.

The antibody was used at 1/2,000 dilution.



Fig.2 Immunofliorescent staining of Swi6 protin of S. pombe cells.

Cells at log phase were fixed with 3 % paraformaldehyde and permeabilized with Zymolyase before treatment with the antibody.



References: This antibody has been used in the following publications.

- Carlsten JO et al. Mediator promotes CENP-a incorporation at fission yeast centromeres. <u>Mol Cell Biol.</u> 2012 Oct;32(19):4035-43. PMID: <u>22851695</u> ChIP (S.pombe)
- Sato H et al. Epigenetic inactivation and subsequent heterochromatinization of a centromere stabilize dicentric chromosomes. <u>Curr Biol.</u> 2012 Apr 24;22(8):658-67. PMID: <u>22464190</u>.ChIP (S. pombe)