

# Anti-MDK (D143) Antibody

Catalog Number: A01823

### **About MDK**

Catalyzes the hydrolytic deamination of adenosine to inosine in double-stranded RNA (dsRNA) referred to as A-to-I RNA editing. This may affect gene expression and function in a number of ways that include mRNA translation by changing codons and hence the amino acid sequence of proteins; pre-mRNA splicing by altering splice site recognition sequences; RNA stability by changing sequences involved in nuclease recognition; genetic stability in the case of RNA virus genomes by changing sequences during viral RNA replication; and RNA structure-dependent activities such as microRNA production or targeting or protein-RNA interactions. Can edit both viral and cellular RNAs and can edit RNAs at multiple sites (hyper-editing) or at specific sites (site-specific editing). Its cellular RNA substrates include: bladder cancer-associated protein (BLCAP), neurotransmitter receptors for glutamate (GRIA2 and GRIK2) and serotonin (HTR2C), GABA receptor (GABRA3) and potassium voltage-gated channel (KCNA1). Site-specific RNA editing of transcripts encoding these proteins results in amino acid substitutions which consequently alter their functional activities. Edits GRIA2 at both the Q/R and R/G sites efficiently but converts the adenosine in hotspot1 much less efficiently. Can exert a proviral effect towards human immunodeficiency virus type 1 (HIV-1) and enhances its replication via both an editing-dependent and editing-independent mechanism. The former involves editing of adenosines in the 5'UTR while the latter occurs via suppression of EIF2AK2/PKR activation and function. Can inhibit cell proliferation and migration and can stimulate exocytosis.

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#### Overview

Product Name	Anti-MDK (D143) Antibody
Reactive Species	Human, Mouse, Rat
Description	Boster Bio Anti-MDK (D143) Antibody catalog # A01823. Tested in WB applications. This antibody reacts with Human, Mouse, Rat.
Application	WB
Clonality	Polyclonal
Formulation	Rabbit IgG, 1mg/ml in PBS with 0.02% sodium azide, 50% glycerol, pH7.2
Storage Instructions	Store at -20°C for one year. For short term storage and frequent use, store at 4°C for up to one month. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.
Host	Rabbit
Uniprot ID	P21741

#### **Technical Details**

Immunogen	Synthetic peptide, corresponding to amino acids 120-170 of Human MDK.
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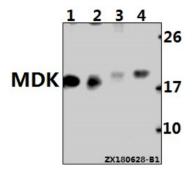


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Predicted Reactive Species	Boar, Bovine, Canine, Golden Hamster
Cross Reactivity	No cross reactivity with other proteins.
Isotype	IgG
Form	Liquid
Concentration	1 mg/ml
Purification	The antibody was affinity-purified from rabbit antiserum by affinity-chromatography using epitope-specific immunogen and the purity is > 95% (by SDS-PAGE).
Suggested Dilutions	Dilute the sample so that the expected range of concentrations fall within the detection range of this kit.  If the expected range of concentration is unknown, a pilot test should be conducted to decide the optimal dilution ratio for your samples.  Some PubMed article(s) citing the expression level of this target are as follows:  Boster Bio's internal QC testing used:  WB: 1:500-1:1000



## Anti-MDK (D143) Antibody (A01823) Images



Western blot (WB) analysis of MDK (D143) pAb at 1:500 dilution
Lane1:A375 whole cell lysate(40ug)
Lane2:HCT116 whole cell lysate(40ug)
Lane3:CT26 whole cell lysate(40ug)
Lane4:The Testis tissue lysate of Rat(40ug)

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