

## Anti-MEK3/MAP2K3 Antibody

Catalog Number: PA1377

### About MAP2K3

Dual specificity mitogen-activated protein kinase kinase 3 is an enzyme that in humans is encoded by the MAP2K3 gene. The protein encoded by this gene is a dual specificity protein kinase that belongs to the MAP kinase kinase family. This kinase is activated by mitogenic and environmental stress, and participates in the MAP kinase-mediated signaling cascade. It phosphorylates and thus activates MAPK14/p38-MAPK. This kinase can be activated by insulin, and is necessary for the expression of glucose transporter. Expression of RAS oncogene is found to result in the accumulation of the active form of this kinase, which thus leads to the constitutive activation of MAPK14, and confers oncogenic transformation of primary cells. Rampoldi et al. (1997) localized the MAP2K3 gene to 17q11.2.

### Overview

Product Name	Anti-MEK3/MAP2K3 Antibody
Reactive Species	Human, Mouse, Rat
Description	Boster Bio Anti-MEK3/MAP2K3 Antibody catalog # PA1377. Tested in Flow Cytometry, IF, IHC, ICC, WB applications. This antibody reacts with Human, Mouse, Rat.
Application	Flow Cytometry, IF, IHC, ICC, WB
Clonality	Polyclonal
Formulation	Each vial contains 5mg BSA, 0.9mg NaCl, 0.2mg Na <sub>2</sub> HPO <sub>4</sub> , 0.05mg Thimerosal, 0.05mg NaN <sub>3</sub> .
Storage Instructions	Store at -20°C for one year from date of receipt. After reconstitution, at 4°C for one month. It can also be aliquotted and stored frozen at -20°C for six months. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.
Host	Rabbit
Uniprot ID	P46734

### Technical Details

Immunogen	A synthetic peptide corresponding to a sequence at the C-terminus of human MEK3, identical to the related mouse and rat sequences.
Predicted Reactive Species	Hamster
Recommended Detection Systems	Boster recommends Enhanced Chemiluminescent Kit with anti-Rabbit IgG (EK1002) for Western blot, and HRP Conjugated anti-Rabbit IgG Super Vision Assay Kit (SV0002-1) for IHC(P) and ICC.
Cross Reactivity	No cross-reactivity with other proteins
Isotype	Rabbit IgG
Form	Lyophilized

Concentration	Adding 0.2 ml of distilled water will yield a concentration of 500 ug/ml.
Purification	Immunogen affinity purified.
Suggested Dilutions	<p>Dilute the sample so that the expected range of concentrations fall within the detection range of this kit.</p> <p>If the expected range of concentration is unknown, a pilot test should be conducted to decide the optimal dilution ratio for your samples.</p> <p>Some PubMed article(s) citing the expression level of this target are as follows:</p> <p>Boster Bio's internal QC testing used:</p> <p>Western blot, 0.1-0.5ug/ml, Human, Mouse, Rat</p> <p>Immunohistochemistry (Paraffin-embedded Section), 0.5-1ug/ml, Human, Mouse, Rat, By Heat</p> <p>Immunocytochemistry/Immunofluorescence, 5ug/ml, Human</p> <p>Flow Cytometry, 1-3ug/1x10<sup>6</sup> cells, Human</p>

## Anti-MEK3/MAP2K3 Antibody (PA1377) Images

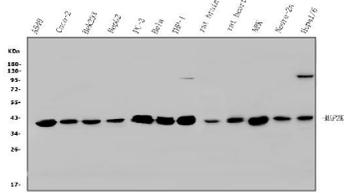


Figure 1. Western blot analysis of MAP2K3 using anti-MAP2K3 antibody (PA1377).

Electrophoresis was performed on a 5-20% SDS-PAGE gel at 70V (Stacking gel) / 90V (Resolving gel) for 2-3 hours. The sample well of each lane was loaded with 50ug of sample under reducing conditions.

Lane 1: human A549 whole cell lysates,  
Lane 2: human CACO-2 whole cell lysates,  
Lane 3: human HEK293 whole cell lysates,  
Lane 4: human HEPG2 whole cell lysates,  
Lane 5: human PC-3 whole cell lysates,  
Lane 6: human HELA whole cell lysates,  
Lane 7: human THP-1 whole cell lysates,  
Lane 8: rat brain tissue lysates,  
Lane 9: rat heart tissue lysates,  
Lane 10: rat NRK whole cell lysates,  
Lane 11: mouse Neuro-2a whole cell lysates,  
Lane 12: mouse HEPA1-6 whole cell lysates.

After Electrophoresis, proteins were transferred to a Nitrocellulose membrane at 150mA for 50-90 minutes. Blocked the membrane with 5% Non-fat Milk/ TBS for 1.5 hour at RT. The membrane was incubated with rabbit anti-MAP2K3 antigen affinity purified polyclonal antibody (Catalog # PA1377) at 0.5 ug/mL overnight at 4°C, then washed with TBS-0.1%Tween 3 times with 5 minutes each and probed with a goat anti-rabbit IgG-HRP secondary antibody at a dilution of 1:5000 for 1.5 hour at RT. The signal is developed using an Enhanced Chemiluminescent detection (ECL) kit (Catalog # EK1002) with Tanon 5200 system. A specific band was detected for MAP2K3 at approximately 39KD. The expected band size for MAP2K3 is at 39KD.

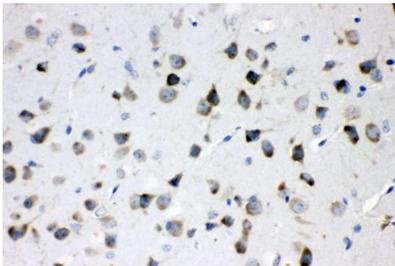
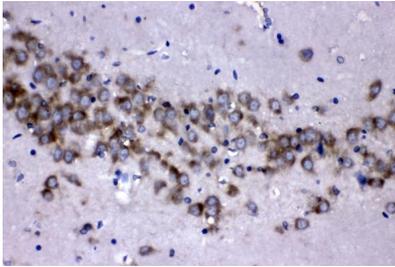


Figure 2. IHC analysis of MAP2K3 using anti-MAP2K3 antibody (PA1377).

MAP2K3 was detected in paraffin-embedded section of mouse brain tissue. Heat mediated antigen retrieval was performed in EDTA buffer (pH8.0, epitope retrieval solution). The tissue section was blocked with 10% goat serum. The tissue section was then incubated with 1ug/ml rabbit anti-MAP2K3 Antibody (PA1377) overnight at 4°C. Biotinylated goat anti-rabbit IgG was used as secondary antibody and incubated for 30 minutes at 37°C. The tissue section was developed using Streptavidin-Biotin-Complex (SABC) (Catalog # SA1022) with DAB as the chromogen.

Figure 3. IHC analysis of MAP2K3 using anti-MAP2K3 antibody (PA1377).

MAP2K3 was detected in paraffin-embedded section of rat brain tissue. Heat mediated antigen retrieval was performed in EDTA buffer (pH8.0, epitope retrieval solution). The tissue section was blocked with 10% goat serum. The tissue section was then incubated with 1ug/ml rabbit anti-MAP2K3



Antibody (PA1377) overnight at 4°C. Biotinylated goat anti-rabbit IgG was used as secondary antibody and incubated for 30 minutes at 37°C. The tissue section was developed using Streptavidin-Biotin-Complex (SABC) (Catalog # SA1022) with DAB as the chromogen.

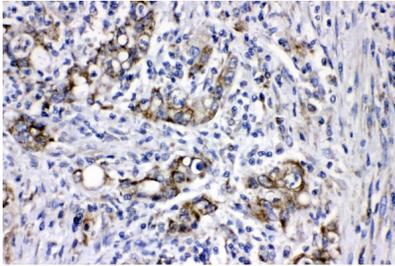


Figure 4. IHC analysis of MAP2K3 using anti-MAP2K3 antibody (PA1377). MAP2K3 was detected in paraffin-embedded section of human intestine cancer tissue. Heat mediated antigen retrieval was performed in EDTA buffer (pH8.0, epitope retrieval solution). The tissue section was blocked with 10% goat serum. The tissue section was then incubated with 1ug/ml rabbit anti-MAP2K3 Antibody (PA1377) overnight at 4°C. Biotinylated goat anti-rabbit IgG was used as secondary antibody and incubated for 30 minutes at 37°C. The tissue section was developed using Streptavidin-Biotin-Complex (SABC) (Catalog # SA1022) with DAB as the chromogen.

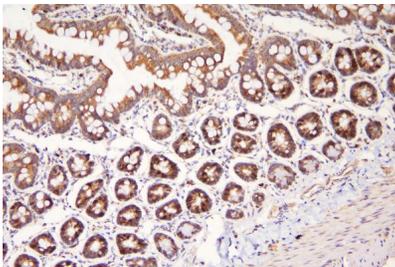


Figure 5. IHC analysis of MAP2K3 using anti-MAP2K3 antibody (PA1377). MAP2K3 was detected in paraffin-embedded section of rat intestine tissue. Heat mediated antigen retrieval was performed in EDTA buffer (pH8.0, epitope retrieval solution). The tissue section was blocked with 10% goat serum. The tissue section was then incubated with 1ug/ml rabbit anti-MAP2K3 Antibody (PA1377) overnight at 4°C. Biotinylated goat anti-rabbit IgG was used as secondary antibody and incubated for 30 minutes at 37°C. The tissue section was developed using Streptavidin-Biotin-Complex (SABC) (Catalog # SA1022) with DAB as the chromogen.

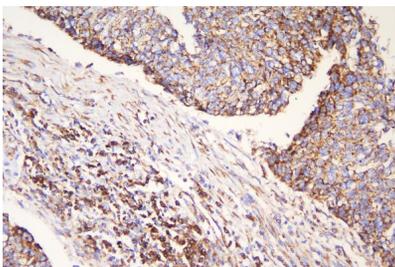
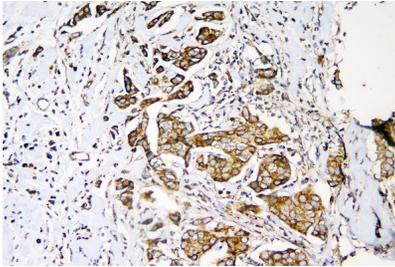


Figure 6. IHC analysis of MAP2K3 using anti-MAP2K3 antibody (PA1377). MAP2K3 was detected in paraffin-embedded section of human lung cancer tissue. Heat mediated antigen retrieval was performed in EDTA buffer (pH8.0, epitope retrieval solution). The tissue section was blocked with 10% goat serum. The tissue section was then incubated with 1ug/ml rabbit anti-MAP2K3 Antibody (PA1377) overnight at 4°C. Biotinylated goat anti-rabbit IgG was used as secondary antibody and incubated for 30 minutes at 37°C. The tissue section was developed using Streptavidin-Biotin-Complex (SABC) (Catalog # SA1022) with DAB as the chromogen.

Figure 7. IHC analysis of MAP2K3 using anti-MAP2K3 antibody (PA1377). MAP2K3 was detected in paraffin-embedded section of human breast cancer tissue. Heat mediated antigen retrieval was performed in EDTA buffer (pH8.0, epitope retrieval solution). The tissue section was blocked with 10% goat serum. The tissue section was then incubated with 1ug/ml



rabbit anti-MAP2K3 Antibody (PA1377) overnight at 4°C. Biotinylated goat anti-rabbit IgG was used as secondary antibody and incubated for 30 minutes at 37°C. The tissue section was developed using Streptavidin-Biotin-Complex (SABC) (Catalog # SA1022) with DAB as the chromogen.

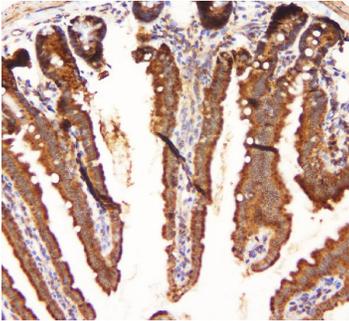


Figure 8. IHC analysis of MAP2K3 using anti-MAP2K3 antibody (PA1377). MAP2K3 was detected in paraffin-embedded section of mouse intestine tissue. Heat mediated antigen retrieval was performed in EDTA buffer (pH8.0, epitope retrieval solution). The tissue section was blocked with 10% goat serum. The tissue section was then incubated with 1ug/ml rabbit anti-MAP2K3 Antibody (PA1377) overnight at 4°C. Biotinylated goat anti-rabbit IgG was used as secondary antibody and incubated for 30 minutes at 37°C. The tissue section was developed using Streptavidin-Biotin-Complex (SABC) (Catalog # SA1022) with DAB as the chromogen.

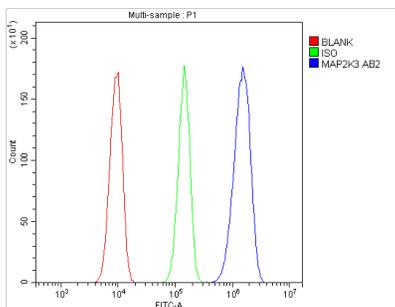


Figure 9. Flow Cytometry analysis of A549 cells using anti-MAP2K3 antibody (PA1377). Overlay histogram showing A549 cells stained with PA1377 (Blue line). The cells were blocked with 10% normal goat serum. And then incubated with rabbit anti-MAP2K3 Antibody (PA1377, 1ug/1x10<sup>6</sup> cells) for 30 min at 20°C. DyLight®488 conjugated goat anti-rabbit IgG (BA1127, 5-10ug/1x10<sup>6</sup> cells) was used as secondary antibody for 30 minutes at 20°C. Isotype control antibody (Green line) was rabbit IgG (1ug/1x10<sup>6</sup>) used under the same conditions. Unlabelled sample (Red line) was also used as a control.

## 1 Publications Citing This Product

1. PubMed ID: 24112539, Xu G, Zhang Y, Wei J, Jia W, Ge Z, Zhang Z, Liu X. BMC Cancer. 2013 Oct 10;13:469. Doi: 10.1186/1471-2407-13-469. MicroRNA-21 Promotes Hepatocellular Carcinoma Hepg2 Cell Proliferation Through Repression Of Mitogen-Activated Protein Kinase-Kinase 3.

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