

## Anti-Polycomb complex protein BMI-1 Bmi1 Antibody Picoband®

Catalog Number: PA1807

### About BMI1

BMI1 (BMI1 polycomb ring finger oncogene), also known as RNF51, is a protein which in humans is encoded by the BMI1 gene. The Bmi1 gene is highly conserved in evolution as indicated by zoo blot hybridization with Bmi1 probes corresponding to the protein-encoding domain. By fluorescence in situ hybridization, the human BMI1 gene is assigned to chromosome 10p13. BMI1 has a key role in regulating the proliferative activity of normal stem and progenitor cells. Most importantly, they provided evidence that the proliferative potential of leukemic stem and progenitor cells lacking BMI1 is compromised because they eventually undergo proliferation arrest and show signs of differentiation and apoptosis, leading to transplant failure of the leukemia. Complementation studies showed that BMI1 completely rescues these proliferative defects. Deletion analysis showed that the RING finger and helix-turn-helix domains of BMI1 were required for life span extension and repression of the tumor suppressor p16 (INK4). BMI1 selectively extended the life span of these cultures. Confocal microscopy showed that BMI1 transiently colocalized with centromeres during interphase in HeLa cells.

### Overview

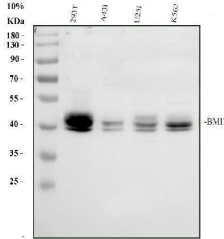
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| Product Name         | Anti-Polycomb complex protein BMI-1 Bmi1 Antibody Picoband®   |
| Reactive Species     | Human   |
| Description          | Boster Bio Anti-Polycomb complex protein BMI-1 Bmi1 Antibody catalog # PA1807. Tested in WB applications. This antibody reacts with Human. The brand Picoband indicates this is a premium antibody that guarantees superior quality, high affinity, and strong signals with minimal background in Western blot applications. Only our best-performing antibodies are designated as Picoband, ensuring unmatched performance.  |
| Application          | WB  |
| Clonality            | Polyclonal  |
| Formulation          | Each vial contains antibody formulated with stabilizing components, 0.9mg NaCl, 0.2mg Na <sub>2</sub> HPO <sub>4</sub> , 0.05mg Thimerosal, 0.05mg NaN <sub>3</sub> .<br>*This antibody is supplied in a stabilized formulation. Compatibility with conjugation reactions depends on the chemistry of the conjugation method used. For conjugation methods that are not compatible with the stabilizing components present in this formulation, a carrier-free antibody format is required. |
| 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           | P35226  |

### Technical Details

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| Immunogen | A synthetic peptide corresponding to a sequence in the middle region of human Bmi1, different from the related mouse sequence by three amino acids. |
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| Recommended Detection Systems | Boster recommends Enhanced Chemiluminescent Kit with anti-Rabbit IgG (EK1002) for Western blot. |
| 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           | Western blot, 0.1-0.5ug/ml, Human   |

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Western blot analysis of BMI1 using anti-BMI1 antibody (PA1807). Electrophoresis was performed on a 10% SDS-PAGE gel at 80V (Stacking gel) / 120V (Resolving gel) for 2 hours. The sample well of each lane was loaded with 30 ug of sample under reducing conditions. Lane 1: human 293T whole cell lysates, Lane 2: human A431 whole cell lysates, Lane 3: human U251 whole cell lysates, Lane 4: human K562 whole cell lysates. After electrophoresis, proteins were transferred to a nitrocellulose membrane at 150 mA 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-BMI1 antigen affinity purified polyclonal antibody (PA1807) 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 ECL Plus Western Blotting Substrate (Catalog # AR1196-200) with Tanon 5200 system. A specific band was detected for BMI1 at approximately 40 kDa. The expected band size for BMI1 is at 37 kDa.

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