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# PACT (m): 293T Lysate: sc-127290

## BACKGROUND

Interferon-inducible double stranded RNA-dependent protein kinase activator, also designated PKR-associated protein X (RAX) or PACT, acts as a protein activator of PKR. Following stress such as serum starvation or peroxide or arsenite treatment, PACT associates with and activates PKR, resulting in eIF2 $\alpha$  activation (phosphorylation), consequent translation inhibition and apoptosis. PACT can directly interact with double stranded RNA (dsRNA), however, eIF2 $\alpha$  activation occurs only in the absence of dsRNA. The presence of certain growth factors may suppress the pro-apoptotic function of PACT. In both human and mouse cells, PACT is phosphorylated on Serine 18, and the phosphorylated form activates PKR following stress. PACT may exist as a heterodimer with eIF2 $\alpha$ , interacting through its DRBM domain.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Prkra (mouse) mapping to 2 C3.

## PRODUCT

PACT (m): 293T Lysate represents a lysate of mouse PACT transfected 293T cells and is provided as 100  $\mu$ g protein in 200  $\mu$ l SDS-PAGE buffer.

## APPLICATIONS

PACT (m): 293T Lysate is suitable as a Western Blotting positive control for mouse reactive PACT antibodies. Recommended use: 10-20  $\mu$ l per lane.

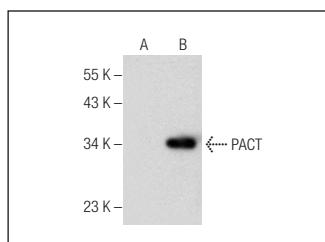
Control 293T Lysate: sc-117752 is available as a Western Blotting negative control lysate derived from non-transfected 293T cells.

PACT (D-4): sc-377103 is recommended as a positive control antibody for Western Blot analysis of enhanced mouse PACT expression in PACT transfected 293T cells (starting dilution 1:100, dilution range 1:100-1:1,000).

## RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended:  
1) Western Blotting: use m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz® Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048.

## DATA



PACT (D-4): sc-377103. Western blot analysis of PACT expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A) and mouse PACT transfected: sc-127290 (B) 293T whole cell lysates.

## STORAGE

Store at -20° C. Repeated freezing and thawing should be minimized. Sample vial should be boiled once prior to use. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

## RESEARCH USE

For research use only, not for use in diagnostic procedures.

## PROTOCOLS

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