

Anti-IZUMO1 antibody, rabbit serum

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| Product code | 73-042 |
| Size | 100 µl |
| Storage | -20°C. Avoid freeze-thaw cycles. |
| Concentration | N/A |
| Buffer | 0.1% sodium azide |
| Purity | Rabbit antiserum |
| Immunogen | KLH-conjugated synthetic peptides corresponding to the following three regions of human IZUMO 1. [A] C+KSLEKDYLPGLDA [B] C+TQVPKEKATDSRQQ [C] C+ATTESSISLQPLQ |
| Isotype | Rabbit IgG |
| Reactivity | Human and mouse. Not tested with other species. |
| Special notes | N/A |
| Application | 1. Western blotting (1/1,000 dilution) 2. Immunofluorescence staining (1/100~1/300 dilution) 3. Immunohistochemistry (1/100 dilution) 4. Inhibition of sperm fusion with egg |
| Background | Essential sperm cell-surface protein required for fertilization by acting as a ligand for FOLR4/JUNO receptor on egg. The IZUMO1:FOLR4/JUNO interaction is a necessary adhesion event between sperm and egg that is required for fertilization but is not sufficient for cell fusion. The ligand-receptor interaction probably does not act as a membrane 'fusogen' Molecular mass: 44,885 Da with 307 amino acids. Post-translational modification; Processing of N-terminal signal peptide with 21 amino acids. N-Glycosylation and phosphorylation. Expression: This gene has expression in 4 organs : EMAPA:18202 : epidermis , EMAPA:16105 : heart , MA:0000412 : seminiferous tubule , MA:0000411 : testis |
| Data Link | UniProtKB Q8IYV9 (human IZUMO1), UniProtKB Q9D9J7 (mouse IZUMO1) |
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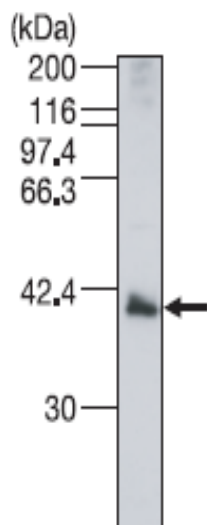


Fig.1 Identification of IZUMO1 protein in the lysate of human sperm by western blotting with anti-IZUMO1 antibody.

Proteins in the lysate (20 μ g) was separated on SDS-PAGE, blotted to PVDF membrane and reacted with anti-human IZUMO1 antibody at 1/1,000 dilution.

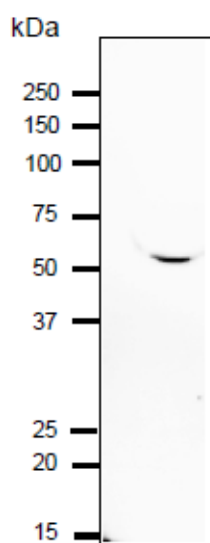


Fig.2 Analysis of IZUMO1 protein in the lysates of mouse sperm by western blotting with polyclonal anti- IZUMO1 antibody.

Proteins in the lysates (10 μ g) was separated on SDS-PAGE (10~20% gradient gel), blotted to PVDF membrane and reacted with the polyclonal anti-IZUMO1 antibody at 1/1,000 dilution.

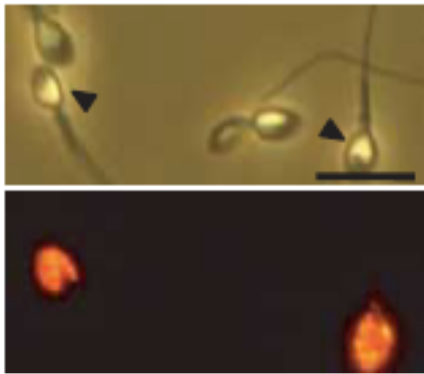


Fig.3 Immunostaining of IZUMO1 in human sperm using polyclonal anti-IZUMO1 antibody.

Human sperm on slide was incubated with polyclonal anti-IZUMO1 antibody at 1/100 dilution and reacted with a second antibody, Alexa Fluor 594-conjugated anti-rabbit IgG antibody at 1/1,000 (lower panel).

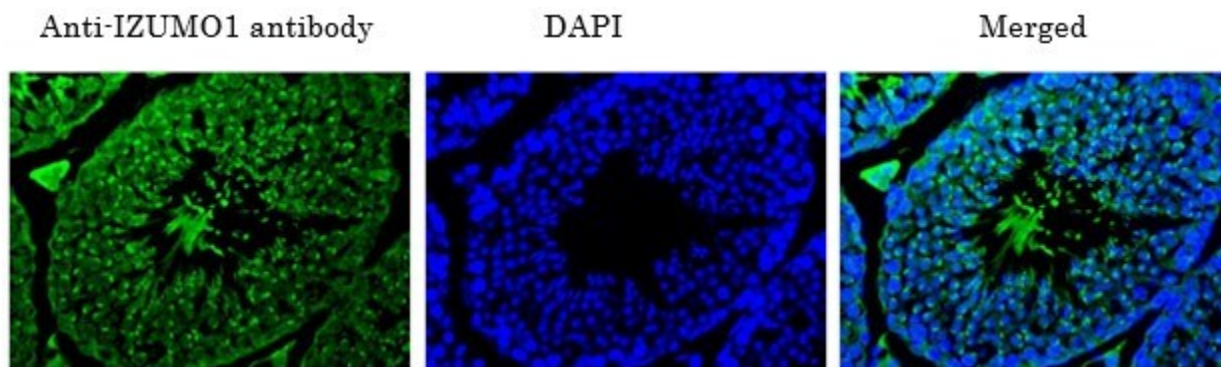


Fig.4. Immunohistochemistry of mouse testis using anti-IZUMO1 antibody.

Formalin-fixed and paraffin-embedded mouse testis

Deparaffinization by LemosolRA (#122-03991, Wako, Osaka)

Rehydration 100% EtOH, 95%, 90%, 70%, DW

Antigen retrieval Histo/Zyme (Cat.# k046; Diagnostic BioSystems)

Washing PBST (0.25% triton X-100/PBS-)

Blocking 10 % FBS / PBST 30 min

1st antibody 1/100 dilution in PBS- 4°C O/N

Washing PBS- 5 min, 3 times

2nd antibody 1,000 dilution, 60 min (Alexa Fluor-488 goat anti-rabbit IgG (H&L), #1166843 ; Molecular Probes)

Washing PBS- 5 min, 3 times

DAPI 1.0µg/mL DAPI in TBS 10 min

Reference: This antibody was described and used in the following publication.

1. Inoue N. et al. (2005) The immunoglobulin superfamily protein Izumo is required for sperm to fuse with eggs. Nature. 434:234-8. PubMed [15759005](#)