

Product datasheet for TA361881

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MC1 Receptor (MC1R) Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody

Product data:

Product Type: Primary Antibodies

Applications: WB

Reactivity: Human Host: Rabbit

Clonality: Polyclonal

Immunogen: The immunogen is a synthetic peptide directed towards the N terminal region of human

MC1R

Specificity: Expected reactivity: Human

Formulation: Liquid. Purified antibody supplied in 1x PBS buffer with 0.09% (w/v) sodium azide and 2%

sucrose.

Note that this product is shipped as lyophilized powder to China customers.

Concentration: lot specific

Purification: Affinity purified
Conjugation: Unconjugated

Storage: For short term use, store at 2-8°C up to 1 week. For long term storage, store at -20°C in small

aliquots to prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

Stability: Shelf life: one year from despatch.

Predicted Protein Size: 34 kDa

Gene Name: melanocortin 1 receptor

Database Link: NP 002377.4

Entrez Gene 4157 Human

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Background:

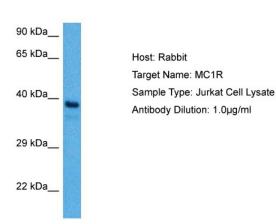
This intronless gene encodes the receptor protein for melanocyte-stimulating hormone (MSH). The encoded protein, a seven pass transmembrane G protein coupled receptor, controls melanogenesis. Two types of melanin exist: red pheomelanin and black eumelanin. Gene mutations that lead to a loss in function are associated with increased pheomelanin production, which leads to lighter skin and hair color. Eumelanin is photoprotective but pheomelanin may contribute to UV-induced skin damage by generating free radicals upon UV radiation. Binding of MSH to its receptor activates the receptor and stimulates eumelanin synthesis. This receptor is a major determining factor in sun sensitivity and is a genetic risk factor for melanoma and non-melanoma skin cancer. Over 30 variant alleles have been identified which correlate with skin and hair color, providing evidence that this gene is an important component in determining normal human pigment variation.

Synonyms: CMM5; MC1-R; MGC14337; MSH-R; MSHR; SHEP2

Protein Families: Druggable Genome, GPCR, Transmembrane

Protein Pathways: Melanogenesis, Neuroactive ligand-receptor interaction

Product images:



Host: Rabbit Target Name: MC1R

Sample Tissue: Human Jurkat Whole Cell lysates

Antibody Dilution: 1ug/ml