

Phospho-ATR (Ser428) Antibody

✓ 100 µl
(10 Western mini-blot)

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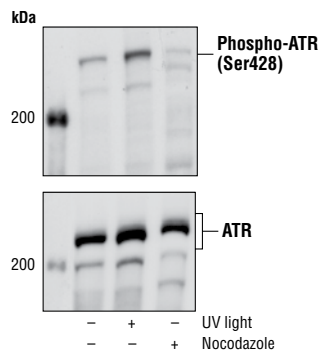
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This product is for *in vitro* research use only and is not intended for use in humans or animals.
This product is not intended for use as a therapeutic or in diagnostic procedures.

Applications	Species Cross-Reactivity*	Molecular Wt.	Source
W Endogenous	H, M, R, Mk	300 kDa	Rabbit**

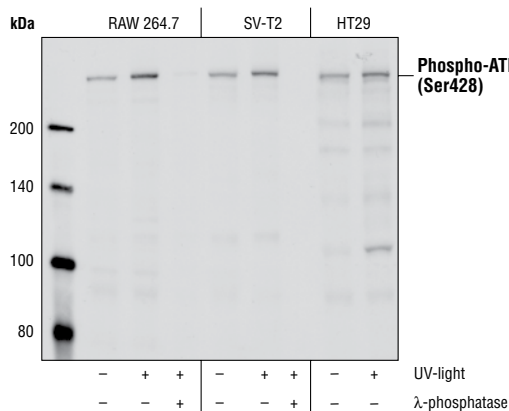
Background: Ataxia telangiectasia mutated kinase (ATM) and ataxia telangiectasia and Rad3-related kinase (ATR) are PI-3 Kinase-related kinase (PIKK) family members that phosphorylate multiple substrates on serine or threonine residues that are followed by a glutamine in response to DNA damage or replication blocks (1–3). Despite the essential role of ATR in cell cycle signaling and DNA repair processes, little is known about its activation. While there have been no published reports of phosphorylation sites on ATR, Cell Signaling Technology has produced an antibody directed against phospho-ATR (Ser428) that demonstrates *in vivo* and UV-induced phosphorylation of this protein. This reagent could prove to be a valuable tool for monitoring ATR activation. Proline-directed phosphorylation sites like this one are often targeted by CDKs and MAPKs and can often dramatically affect protein conformation (4,5).

Specificity/Sensitivity: Phospho-ATR (Ser428) Antibody detects endogenous levels of ATR only when phosphorylated at serine 428.



Western blot analysis of untreated, UV-treated (50 µJ, 30 min) and nocodazole-treated (50 ng/µl, 24 hr) RAW 264.7 cells, using Phospho-ATR (Ser428) Antibody (upper) and a total ATR antibody (lower).

Source/Purification: Polyclonal antibodies are prepared by immunizing animals with a synthetic peptide (KLH-coupled) corresponding to residues surrounding Ser428 of human ATR. Antibodies are purified by protein A and peptide affinity chromatography.



Western blot analysis of RAW 264.7, SV-T2 and HT29 cells that were untreated or UV-treated (50 µJ, 30 min), using Phospho-ATR (Ser428) Antibody. λ-phosphatase NEB #P0753 (10,000 Units/µl, 1 hr) was used to demonstrate the phospho-specificity of the antibody.

Entrez-Gene ID #545
Swiss-Prot Acc. #Q13535

Storage: Supplied in 10 mM sodium HEPES (pH 7.5), 150 mM NaCl, 100 µg/ml BSA and 50% glycerol. Store at -20°C. Do not aliquot the antibody.

*Species cross-reactivity is determined by Western blot.

**Anti-rabbit secondary antibodies must be used to detect this antibody.

Recommended Antibody Dilutions:
Western blotting 1:1000

For application specific protocols please see the web page for this product at www.cellsignaling.com.

Companion Products:

Phospho-ATM (Ser1981) (10H11.E12) Mouse mAb #4526
Phospho-Chk1 (Ser345) (133D3) Rabbit mAb #2348
Phospho-BRCA1 (Ser1524) Antibody #9009
Phospho-Chk2 (Thr26/Ser28)/VCP (Ser784) Antibody #2664
SignalSilence® Chk1 siRNA Kit (Human Specific) #6240

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Background References:

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IMPORTANT: For Western blots, incubate membrane with diluted antibody in 5% BSA, 1X TBS, 0.1% Tween-20 at 4°C with gentle shaking, overnight.

Applications Key: W—Western IP—Immunoprecipitation IHC—Immunohistochemistry ChIP—Chromatin Immunoprecipitation IF—Immunofluorescence F—Flow cytometry E-P—ELISA-Peptide

Species Cross-Reactivity Key: H—human M—mouse R—rat Hm—hamster Mk—monkey Mi—mink C—chicken Dm—D. melanogaster X—Xenopus Z—zebrafish B—bovine

Dg—dog Pg—pig Sc—S. cerevisiae All—all species expected Species enclosed in parentheses are predicted to react based on 100% homology.