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Description:

Disrupted-In-Schizophrenia 1 (DISC1) is associated with schizophrenia by multiple genetic studies. DISC1 might cause susceptibility to schizophrenia. DISC1 has distinct interaction domains: MAP1A interacts via its LC2 domain with the N-terminus of DISC1, whereas MIPT3 and NUDEL bind via their C-terminal domains to the central coiled-coil domain of DISC1, and ATF4/5 bind via their C-terminal domains to the C-terminus of DISC1. DISC1 protein localizes to predominantly perinuclear punctate structures which extend into neurites in some cells. DISC1 is a multifunctional protein whose truncation contributes to schizophrenia susceptibility by disrupting intracellular transport, neurite architecture and/or neuronal migration, all of which have been hypothesized to be pathogenic in the schizophrenic brain.

DISC1 interacts with Nudel through a leucine zipper domain and binds to a novel DISC1-interaction domain on Nudel, which is independent from the Lis1 binding site. Nudel is able to act as a bridge between DISC1 and Lis1 to allow formation of a trimolecular complex. Nudel has been implicated to play a role in neuronal migration, together with the developmental variation in the abundance of the DISC1-Nudel complex, may implicate a defective DISC1-Nudel complex as a neurodevelopmental cause of schizophrenia.

Immunogen/Specificity:

Polyclonal antibody produced in rabbits immunizing with a synthetic peptide corresponding to C-terminal residues of mouse DISC1 (Disrupted in schizophrenia 1 protein)

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Brandon,N.J., et al, Mol. Cell. Neurosci. 28 (4), 613-624 (2005) Lipska,B.K., et al, Hum. Mol. Genet. 15 (8), 1245-1258 (2006) Species: mouse Storage and Stability: at -20oC

Storage buffer:

This antibody is stored in PBS, 0.01% sodium azide and 50% glycerol.

Preparation:

Purified by antigen-specific affinity chromatography.

Applications : ELISA Western Blotting (1µg/ml for 2hrs)