# ε Tubulin (C-15): sc-10473



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# **BACKGROUND**

Tubulin is a major cytoskeleton component that has five distinct forms, designated  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$ ,  $\delta$ , and  $\epsilon$  tubulin.  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  tubulins form heterodimers, which multimerize to form a microtubule filament. There are five  $\beta$  tubulin isoforms ( $\beta$ -I,  $\beta$ -II,  $\beta$ -III,  $\beta$ -IVa and  $\beta$ -IVb) that are expressed in mammalian tissues.  $\beta$ -I and  $\beta$ -IV are present throughout the cytosol,  $\beta$ -II is present in the nuclei and nucleoplasm, and  $\beta$ -III is a neuron-specific cytoskeletal protein.  $\gamma$  tubulin forms the gammasome, which is required for nucleating microtubule filaments at the centrosome. Both  $\delta$  Tubulin and  $\epsilon$  Tubulin are associated with the centrosome.  $\delta$  Tubulin is a homologue of the Chlamydomonas  $\delta$  Tubulin Uni3 and is found in association with the centrioles, whereas  $\epsilon$  Tubulin localizes to the pericentriolar material.  $\epsilon$  Tubulin exhibits a cell-cycle-specific pattern of localization, first associating with only the older of the centrosomes in a newly duplicated pair and later associating with both centrosomes.

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# **SOURCE**

 $\epsilon$  Tubulin (C-15) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the C-terminus of  $\epsilon$  Tubulin of human origin.

#### **RESEARCH USE**

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

#### **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g$  lgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with <0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-10473 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

# **APPLICATIONS**

 $\epsilon$  Tubulin (C-15) is recommended for detection of  $\epsilon$  Tubulin of human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

Suitable for use as control antibody for  $\epsilon$  Tubulin siRNA (h): sc-43486,  $\epsilon$  Tubulin shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-43486-SH and  $\epsilon$  Tubulin shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-43486-V.

Molecular Weight of ε Tubulin: 55 kDa.

Positive Controls: BJAB whole cell lysate: sc-2207.

#### **RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS**

To ensure optimal results, the following support (secondary) reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2020 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:100,000) or Cruz Marker™ compatible donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2033 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:5000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, TBS Blotto A Blocking Reagent: sc-2333 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) Immunofluorescence: use donkey anti-goat IgG-FITC: sc-2024 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) or donkey anti-goat IgG-TR: sc-2783 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz™ Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

# **STORAGE**

Store at 4° C, \*\*DO NOT FREEZE\*\*. Stable for one year from the date of shipment. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

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