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ROM-K (N-17): sc-10692



BACKGROUND

ROM-K, an ATP-sensitive inward rectifying K⁺ channel (also designated KIR1.1), is a member of the Kir family of K⁺ channels that controls renal K⁺ secretion. These K⁺ channels more readily conduct an inward current rather than an outward current and are constituitively open. Inwardly rectifying K⁺ channels are a complex of four Kir (Kir1-6) subunits. ROM-K is activated by protein kinase A, and its activity is regulated by phosphatidylinositol 4,5-bis-phosphate and intracellular pH. Alternative splicing of ROM-K mRNA yields various isoforms which are differentially expressed in nephrons of the mammalian kidney. Mutations in the ROM-K gene are linked to antenatal Bartter syndrome, an autosomal recessive disorder of renal electrolyte transport.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: KCNJ1 (human) mapping to 11q24.3.

SOURCE

ROM-K (N-17) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the N-terminus of ROM-K of human origin.

STORAGE

Store at 4° C, **D0 NOT FREEZE**. Stable for one year from the date of shipment. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 μg lgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-10692 P, (100 μ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

APPLICATIONS

ROM-K (N-17) is recommended for detection of ROM-K isoforms 1-5 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).

ROM-K (N-17) is also recommended for detection of ROM-K isoforms 1-5 in additional species, including equine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for ROM-K siRNA (h): sc-42632, ROM-K shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-42632-SH and ROM-K shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-42632-V.

Molecular Weight of ROM-K: 42 kDa.

Molecular Weight of ROM-K dimer: 80 kDa

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) Immunofluo-rescence: 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.

RESEARCH USE

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

PROTOCOLS

See our web site at www.scbt.com or our catalog for detailed protocols and support products.

MONOS Satisfation Guaranteed Try ROM-K (D-3): sc-393189, our highly recommended monoclonal alternative to ROM-K (N-17).