

## IRX5 (D-13): sc-107645

### BACKGROUND

The Iroquois homeobox gene family of transcription factors regulate aspects of embryonic development including anterior/posterior and dorsal/ventral axis patterning in the central nervous system. The Iroquois family are clustered on two loci, IRXA and IRXB. The IRXA group includes IRX, IRX2 and IRX4; the IRXB group comprises IRX3, IRX5 and IRX6. The IRX gene family members are each expressed in a distinct pattern during mouse heart development. Specifically, IRX1 and IRX2 are expressed in the ventricular septum and IRX3 is expressed in the ventricular trabeculated myocardium. In addition, IRX4 is expressed in the linear heart tube and the AV canal; IRX5 is expressed in the endocardium lining the ventricular and atrial myocardium. Furthermore, the IRX4 gene may modulate cardiac development and function. Although the heart of IRX4<sup>-</sup> mice appears to develop normally, adult IRX4<sup>-</sup> mice exhibit cardiomyopathy, including cardiac hypertrophy and decreased contractility.

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### CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: IRX5 (human) mapping to 16q12.2; Irx5 (mouse) mapping to 8 C5.

### SOURCE

IRX5 (D-13) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of IRX5 of human origin.

### PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 µg IgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin. Also available as TransCruz reagent for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications, sc-107645 X, 200 µg/0.1 ml.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-107645 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

### APPLICATIONS

IRX5 (D-13) is recommended for detection of IRX5 of mouse, rat and 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 IRX5 siRNA (h): sc-93469, IRX5 siRNA (m): sc-146290, IRX5 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-93469-SH, IRX5 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-146290-SH, IRX5 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-93469-V and IRX5 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-146290-V.

IRX5 (D-13) X TransCruz antibody is recommended for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications.

Molecular Weight of IRX5: 50 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<sup>™</sup> compatible donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2033 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:5000), Cruz Marker<sup>™</sup> 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<sup>™</sup> 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.

### RESEARCH USE

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

### PROTOCOLS

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