L-type Ca⁺⁺ CP β 3 (S-15): sc-109308



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BACKGROUND

Voltage-dependent calcium channels are essential for the release of neurotransmitters. L-type (long lasting current) voltage-dependent calcium channels are composed of four subunits: an $\alpha 1$ subunit, a β subunit, a γ subunit and an $\alpha 2\delta$ subunit. The β subunit is encoded by four genes, designated $\beta 1$ - $\beta 4$, all of which contribute to the diversity of calcium currents and are involved in membrane trafficking of the $\alpha 1$ subunit. L-type Ca++ CP $\beta 3$, also known as CACNB3 (calcium channel voltage-dependent subunit β 3), CACNLB3 or CAB3, is a 484 amino acid protein that contains one SH3 domain and is expressed in ovary, brain and smooth muscle. Functioning as one of the four components of the β subunit, L-type Ca++ CP $\beta 3$ increases the peak calcium current in voltage-dependent calcium channels, thereby shifting the voltage dependencies of activation and inactivation and controlling G protein inhibition and $\alpha 1$ membrane targeting. Two isoforms of L-type Ca++ CP $\beta 3$ exist due to alternative splicing events.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: CACNB3 (human) mapping to 12q13.12; Cacnb3 (mouse) mapping to 15 F1.

SOURCE

L-type Ca⁺⁺ CP β 3 (S-15) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of L-type Ca⁺⁺ CP β 3 of human origin.

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-109308 P, (100 μ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

RESEARCH USE

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

APPLICATIONS

L-type Ca⁺⁺ CP β 3 (S-15) is recommended for detection of L-type Ca⁺⁺ CP β 3 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).

L-type Ca⁺⁺ CP β 3 (S-15) is also recommended for detection of L-type Ca⁺⁺ CP β 3 in additional species, including equine and canine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for L-type Ca++ CP β 3 siRNA (h): sc-95841, L-type Ca++ CP β 3 siRNA (m): sc-108006, L-type Ca++ CP β 3 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-95841-SH, L-type Ca++ CP β 3 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-108006-SH, L-type Ca++ CP β 3 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-95841-V and L-type Ca++ CP β 3 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-108006-V.

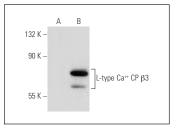
Molecular Weight of L-type Ca++ CP β3: 55 kDa.

Positive Controls: L-type Ca++ CP \(\beta \) (m): 293T Lysate: sc-178862.

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.

DATA



L-type Ca⁺⁺ CP β 3 (S-15): sc-109308. Western blot analysis of L-type Ca⁺⁺ CP β 3 expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (**A**) and mouse L-type Ca⁺⁺ CP β 3 transfected: sc-178862 (**B**) 2931 whole cell lysates.

STORAGE

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



Try **L-type Ca++ CP** β 3 (**7D1**): sc-130560 or **L-type Ca++ CP** β 3 (**E-10**): sc-398995, our highly recommended monoclonal alternatives to L-type Ca++ CP β 3 (S-15).