# FGD1 (G-18): sc-11109



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## **BACKGROUND**

FGD1 gene mutations result in faciogenital dysplasia (FGDY, Aarskog syndrome), an X-linked developmental disorder that adversely affects the formation of multiple skeletal structures. FGD1 maps to human chromosome Xp11.21 and shares a high degree of sequence identity with the FGD2 (6p21.2) and the FGD3 (9q22) proteins. FGD1 encodes a guanine nucleotide exchange factor that specifically activates the Rho GTPase Cdc42. FGD2 is present in several diverse tissues during embryogenesis, suggesting a role in embryonic development. FGD3 stimulates fibroblasts to form filopodia, which are Actin microspikes formed upon the stimulation of Cdc42. All FGD family members contain equivalent signaling domains and a conserved structural organization, which strongly suggests that these signaling domains form a canonical core structure for members of the FGD family of RhoGEF proteins. These proteins control essential signals required during embryonic development.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: FGD1 (human) mapping to Xp11.22; Fgd1 (mouse) mapping to X F3.

## **SOURCE**

FGD1 (G-18) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the N-terminus of FGD1 of human origin.

## **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-11109 P, (100  $\mu g$  peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

## **STORAGE**

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

#### **APPLICATIONS**

FGD1 (G-18) is recommended for detection of FGD1 of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2  $\mu$ g per 100-500  $\mu$ g of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)], 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).

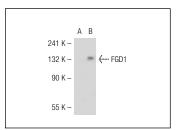
FGD1 (G-18) is also recommended for detection of FGD1 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for FGD1 siRNA (h): sc-41711, FGD1 siRNA (m): sc-41712, FGD1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-41711-SH, FGD1 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-41712-SH, FGD1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-41711-V and FGD1 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-41712-V.

Molecular Weight of FGD1: 107 kDa.

Positive Controls: FGD1 (h): 293T Lysate: sc-113935.

## **DATA**



FGD1 (G-18): sc-11109. Western blot analysis of FGD1 expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (**A**) and human FGD1 transfected: sc-113935 (**B**) 293T whole

## **SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS**

 Yamada, S., et al. 2004. Gene expression profiling identifies a set of transcripts that are up-regulated in human testicular seminoma. DNA Res. 11: 335-344.

## **RESEARCH USE**

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