

COPE (E-20): sc-12104

BACKGROUND

Membrane and vesicular trafficking in the early secretory pathway are mediated by non-Clathrin COP (coat protein) I-coated vesicles. COPI-coated vesicles mediate retrograde transport from the Golgi back to the ER and intra-Golgi transport. The cytosolic precursor of the COPI coat, the heptameric coatomer complex, is composed of two subcomplexes. The first consists of the COPB, COPG, COPD and COPZ subunits (also known as β -, γ -, δ - and ζ -COP, respectively), which are distantly homologous to AP Clathrin adaptor subunits. The second consists of the COPA, β' -COP and COPE subunits (also known as α -COP, COPP and ϵ -COP, respectively).

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CHROMSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: COPE (human) mapping to 19p13.11; Cope (mouse) mapping to 8 B3.3.

SOURCE

COPE (E-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of COPE 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.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-12104 P, (100 μg 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

COPE (E-20) is recommended for detection of COPE of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 μg per 100-500 μg of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)], immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500).

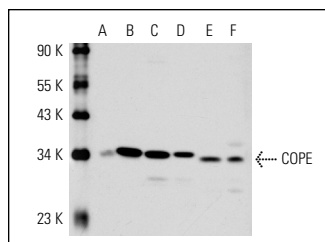
COPE (E-20) is also recommended for detection of COPE in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine, porcine and avian.

Suitable for use as control antibody for COPE siRNA (h): sc-41198, COPE siRNA (m): sc-41199, COPE shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-41198-SH, COPE shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-41199-SH, COPE shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-41198-V and COPE shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-41199-V.

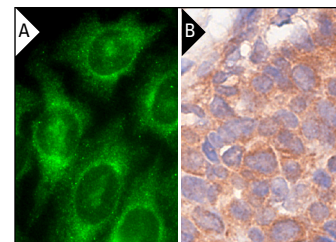
Molecular Weight of COPE: 36 kDa.

Positive Controls: MCF7 whole cell lysate: sc-2206, COPE (m): 293 Lysate: sc-111288 or NIH/3T3 whole cell lysate: sc-2210.

DATA



COPE (E-20): sc-12104. Western blot analysis of COPE expression in non-transfected 293: sc-110760 (A), mouse COPE transfected 293: sc-111288 (B), KNRK (C), NIH/3T3 (D), MCF7 (E) and HeLa (F) whole cell lysates.



COPE (E-20): sc-12104. Immunofluorescence staining of methanol-fixed HeLa cells showing cytoplasmic localization (A). Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded human breast tissue showing cytoplasmic staining (B).

SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

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