# BIRC8 (C-16): sc-130107



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## **BACKGROUND**

The RING-type zinc-finger motif is present in a number of viral and eukaryotic proteins and is made of a conserved cysteine-rich domain that is able to bind two zinc atoms. BIRC8 (baculoviral IAP repeat-containing 8), also known as ILP2, is a 236 amino acid protein that localizes to the cytoplasm and contains one BIR repeat and one RING-type zinc-finger motif. Expressed in normal testis, as well as in cancerous tissue, BIRC8 functions to protect cells against Bax-mediated apoptosis, suggesting a possible role in tumor transformation and progression. The gene encoding BIRC8 maps to human chromosome 19, which is the genetic home for a number of immunoglobulin superfamily members, including the killer cell and leukocyte Ig-like receptors, several ICAMs, the CEACAM and PSG family and Fc receptors (FcRs). Key genes for eye color and hair color also map to chromosome 19.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: BIRC8 (human) mapping to 19q13.41.

## **STORAGE**

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

#### **SOURCE**

BIRC8 (C-16) is a purified rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of BIRC8 of human origin.

## **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains  $100 \mu g \ lgG$  in  $1.0 \ ml$  PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide, 0.1% gelatin, 6% glycerol, 0.01% BSA and 0.002% thimerosal.

## **APPLICATIONS**

BIRC8 (C-16) is recommended for detection of BIRC8 of human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000) and immunoprecipitation [1-2  $\mu$ g per 100-500  $\mu$ g of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)].

Suitable for use as control antibody for BIRC8 siRNA (h): sc-97225, BIRC8 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-97225-SH and BIRC8 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-97225-V.

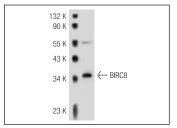
Molecular Weight of BIRC8: 27 kDa.

Positive Controls: MOLT-4 cell lysate: sc-2233.

## **RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS**

To ensure optimal results, the following support (secondary) reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use goat anti-rabbit IgG-HRP: sc-2004 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:100,000) or Cruz Marker™ compatible goat anti-rabbit IgG-HRP: sc-2030 (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) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml).

## DATA



BIRC8 (C-16): sc-130107. Western blot analysis of BIRC8 expression in MOLT-4 whole cell lysate.

#### **RESEARCH USE**

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

#### **PROTOCOLS**

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