CD21 (A-3): sc-13135



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BACKGROUND

CD21 (also known as complement receptor (CR) type 2) is a type I integral membrane glycoprotein that serves as a receptor for the C3d complement fragment and for the Epstein-Barr virus. It plays a role in B cell activation and proliferation and undergoes phosphorylation after B cell activation with phorbol esters. CD21 is expressed on mature B cells, follicular dendritic cells, pharyngeal and cervical epithelial cells and a subset of thymocytes. The adaptive immune response is tightly regulated to limit responding cells in an antigen-specific manner. On B cells, co-receptors CD21/CD19 modulate the strength of B cell Ag receptor (BCR) signals, thereby influencing cell fate. CD21 is normally expressed during the immature and mature stages of B cell development. In association with CD19, CR21 plays an important role in enhancing mature B cell responses to foreign antigens.

CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: CR2 (human) mapping to 1q32.2; Cr2 (mouse) mapping to 1 H6.

SOURCE

CD21 (A-3) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 21-260 of CD21 of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 μg IgG $_{2b}$ kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

CD21 (A-3) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-13135 AC), 500 μ g/0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; to HRP (sc-13135 HRP), 200 μ g/ml, for WB, IHC(P) and ELISA; to either phycoerythrin (sc-13135 PE), fluorescein (sc-13135 FITC), Alexa Fluor* 488 (sc-13135 AF488), Alexa Fluor* 546 (sc-13135 AF546), Alexa Fluor* 594 (sc-13135 AF594) or Alexa Fluor* 647 (sc-13135 AF647), 200 μ g/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM; and to either Alexa Fluor* 680 (sc-13135 AF680) or Alexa Fluor* 790 (sc-13135 AF790), 200 μ g/ml, for Near-Infrared (NIR) WB, IF and FCM.

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APPLICATIONS

CD21 (A-3) is recommended for detection of CD21 of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, dilution range 1:100-1:500), immunoprecipitation [1-2 μ g per 100-500 μ g of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)], immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500), immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (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 CD21 siRNA (h): sc-29974, CD21 siRNA (m): sc-29975, CD21 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-29974-SH, CD21 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-29975-SH, CD21 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29974-V and CD21 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29975-V.

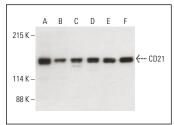
Molecular Weight of CD21: 145 kDa.

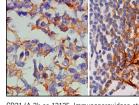
Positive Controls: Jurkat whole cell lysate: sc-2204, F9 cell lysate: sc-2245 or RAW 264.7 whole cell lysate: sc-2211.

STORAGE

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

DATA





CD21 (A-3): sc-13135. Western blot analysis of CD21 expression in Raji (**A**), Jurkat (**B**), F9 (**C**), RAW 264.7 (**D**), WR19L (**E**) and AT3B-1 (**F**) whole cell lysates. Detection reagent used: m-lgG Fc BP-HRP: sc-525409.

CD21 (A-3): sc-13135. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded normal human tonsil tissue showing membrane staining (**A**). Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffinembedded human appendix tissue showing membrane staining of lymphoid cells (**B**).

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RESEARCH USE

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