

# Aminopeptidase P2 (T-13): sc-131383

## BACKGROUND

Aminopeptidases comprise a family of enzymatic proteins that are widely distributed in both eukaryotes and prokaryotes and function to catalyze the removal of amino acids from the N-termini of proteins. Aminopeptidase P2, also known as XPNPEP2 (X-prolyl aminopeptidase (aminopeptidase P) 2, membrane-bound), is a 674 amino acid lipid-anchored cell membrane protein that belongs to the pita bread fold family of peptidase proteins. Expressed in colon, lung, kidney, heart, liver, placenta and small intestine, Aminopeptidase P2 exists as a homotrimer that functions as a metalloprotease and plays a role in Bradykinin metabolism, as well as in inflammatory responses throughout the body. Aminopeptidase P2 binds manganese as a cofactor and is subject to heavy post-translational glycosylation.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: XPNPEP2 (human) mapping to Xq26.1; Xpnpep2 (mouse) mapping to X A4.

## SOURCE

Aminopeptidase P2 (T-13) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of Aminopeptidase P2 of human origin.

## STORAGE

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

## 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-131383 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

## APPLICATIONS

Aminopeptidase P2 (T-13) is recommended for detection of Aminopeptidase P2 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).

Aminopeptidase P2 (T-13) is also recommended for detection of Aminopeptidase P2 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for Aminopeptidase P2 siRNA (h): sc-72488, Aminopeptidase P2 siRNA (m): sc-141047, Aminopeptidase P2 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-72488-SH, Aminopeptidase P2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-141047-SH, Aminopeptidase P2 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-72488-V and Aminopeptidase P2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-141047-V.

Molecular Weight of Aminopeptidase P2: 76 kDa.

## 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.

## RESEARCH USE

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

## PROTOCOLS

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