# S-100A3 (W-14): sc-132085



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## **BACKGROUND**

The S-100 protein family consists of a group of calcium-binding proteins that are exclusively expressed in vertebrates and exhibit cell and tissue-specific expression. The expression levels of its members differ in various pathological conditions. The extracellular functions of the S-100 family may include the ability to enhance neurite outgrowth, involvement in inflammation and motility of tumor cells. S-100A3 (S100 calcium binding protein A3), also known as S100E, is a 101 amino acid cysteine-rich protein that belongs to the S-100 family of proteins. Expressed specifically at the inner endocuticle of hair fibers, S-100A3 contains two EF-hand domains and exists as a multimer. S-100A3 binds calcium with low affinity and zinc with high affinity and is believed to play a role in the calcium-dependent differentiation of cuticle cells and in the formation of hair shafts.

## **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: S100A3 (human) mapping to 1q21.3; S100a3 (mouse) mapping to 3 F1.

#### SOURCE

S-100A3 (W-14) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of S-100A3 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-132085 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**

S-100A3 (W-14) is recommended for detection of S-100A3 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); non cross-reactive with other S-100 family members.

S-100A3 (W-14) is also recommended for detection of S-100A3 in additional species, including equine, canine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for S-100A3 siRNA (h): sc-78754, S-100A3 siRNA (m): sc-153188, S-100A3 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-78754-SH, S-100A3 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-153188-SH, S-100A3 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-78754-V and S-100A3 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-153188-V.

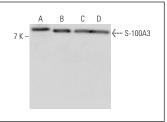
Molecular Weight of S-100A3 monomer: 12 kDa.

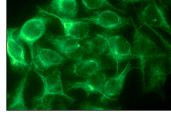
Positive Controls: Jurkat whole cell lysate: sc-2204, K-562 whole cell lysate: sc-2203 or mouse brain extract: sc-2253.

#### **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) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) 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.

## **DATA**





S-100A3 (W-14): sc-132085. Western blot analysis of S-100A3 expression in mouse brain tissue extract (A) and OVCAR-3 (B), Jurkat (C) and K-562 (D) whole cell liveates

S-100A3 (W-14): sc-132085. Immunofluorescence staining of methanol-fixed HeLa cells showing cytoplasmic localization.

## **RESEARCH USE**

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

#### **PROTOCOLS**

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