# RBM45 (E-12): sc-132421



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#### **BACKGROUND**

The RBM (RNA-binding motif) gene family encodes proteins with an RNA binding motif. RBM45, also known as developmentally-regulated RNA-binding protein 1 (DRB1), is a 476 amino acid protein that may play an important role in neural development. Structurally, RBM45 has four RNA recognition motifs (RRMs), however, due to a sequence divergence, it has been suggested that only three of the RRMs functionally bind RNA. These structural motifs are similar to those found in other neural RNA-binding proteins, such as Msi1, Hel-N1 and HuC, but RBM45 differs from these functionally similar proteins because it has a poly(C) RNA-binding preference. RBM45 is predominantly localized to the cytoplasm, but has also been shown to shuttle to the nucleus. Supporting its suggested role in neuronal development, RBM45 expression is highest in neuronal pregenitor cells, but is reduced in differentiated neural cells. There are three isoforms of RBM45 as a result of alternative splicing.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: RBM45 (human) mapping to 2q31.2; Rbm45 (mouse) mapping to 2 C3.

## **SOURCE**

RBM45 (E-12) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the N-terminus of RBM45 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-132421 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

#### **APPLICATIONS**

RBM45 (E-12) is recommended for detection of RBM45 isoforms 1, 2 and 3 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); non cross-reactive with other RBM family members.

Suitable for use as control antibody for RBM45 siRNA (h): sc-94690, RBM45 siRNA (m): sc-152752, RBM45 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-94690-SH, RBM45 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-152752-SH, RBM45 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-94690-V and RBM45 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-152752-V.

Molecular Weight of RBM45: 53 kDa.

Positive Controls: Hep G2 cell lysate: sc-2227.

## **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) with UltraCruz™ Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

## **STORAGE**

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

## **RESEARCH USE**

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

### **PROTOCOLS**

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