

# ZMAT1 (Y-14): sc-132896

## BACKGROUND

Zinc-finger proteins contain DNA-binding domains and have a wide variety of functions, most of which encompass some form of transcriptional activation or repression. Zinc finger matrin-type protein 1 (ZMAT1) is a 638 amino acid protein that contains three matrin-type zinc fingers. The matrin-type zinc finger, which is very similar in structure to the classical DNA-binding C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>2</sub> zinc finger, was first identified in the protein matrin-3. It has also been identified in several spliceosome RNA-binding proteins, suggesting a role in pre-mRNA binding. ZMAT1 is localized to the nucleus, and alternative splicing events produce two isoforms of this protein.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Zmat1 (mouse) mapping to X E3.

## SOURCE

ZMAT1 (Y-14) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of ZMAT1 of mouse origin.

## 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-132896 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

Available as TransCruz reagent for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications, sc-132896 X, 200 µg/0.1 ml.

## STORAGE

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

## APPLICATIONS

ZMAT1 (Y-14) is recommended for detection of ZMAT1 isoforms 1, 2 and 3 of mouse and rat 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 family members ZMAT2 or ZMAT4.

Suitable for use as control antibody for ZMAT1 siRNA (m): sc-155627, ZMAT1 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-155627-SH and ZMAT1 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-155627-V.

ZMAT1 (Y-14) X TransCruz antibody is recommended for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications.

Molecular Weight of ZMAT1: 75 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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