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# HoxA13 (Z-24): sc-133669



# BACKGROUND

The Hox proteins play a role in development and cellular differentiation by regulating downstream target genes. Specifically, the Hox proteins direct DNA-protein and protein-protein interactions that assist in determining the morphologic features associated with the anterior-posterior body axis. HoxA13 and HoxD13 also bind to other BMP and TGF $\beta$ /Activin-regulated Smad proteins including Smad1 and Smad2, but not Smad4. In humans and mice, loss of HoxA13 function causes defects in the growth and patterning of the digits and interdigital tissues. Analysis of HoxA13 expression reveals a pattern of localization overlapping with sites of reduced Bmp2 and Bmp7 expression in HoxA13 mutant limbs. HoxA13 regulates Bmp2 and Bmp7 expression, providing a link between HoxA13, its target genes and the specific developmental processes affected by loss of HoxA13 function.

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#### CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: HOXA13 (human) mapping to 7p15.2.

#### SOURCE

HoxA13 (Z-24) is an affinity purified rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against synthetic HoxA13 peptide of human origin.

### PRODUCT

Each vial contains 50  $\mu g$  lgG in 500  $\mu l$  PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide, 0.1% gelatin and < 0.02% sucrose.

### STORAGE

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

### APPLICATIONS

HoxA13 (Z-24) is recommended for detection of HoxA13 of human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 µg per 100-500 µg 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 HoxA13 siRNA (h): sc-45666, HoxA13 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-45666-SH and HoxA13 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-45666-V.

Molecular Weight (predicted) of HoxA13: 40 kDa.

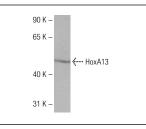
Molecular Weight (observed) of HoxA13: 48 kDa.

Positive Controls: Human fetal liver tissue extract.

### **RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS**

To ensure optimal results, the following support (secondary) reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use goat anti-rabbit IgG-HRP: sc-2004 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:100,000) or Cruz Marker<sup>™</sup> compatible goat anti-rabbit IgG-HRP: sc-2030 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:5000), Cruz Marker<sup>™</sup> 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 goat anti-rabbit IgG-FITC: sc-2012 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) or goat anti-rabbit IgG-TR: sc-2780 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz<sup>™</sup> Mounting Medium: sc-24941. 4) Immuno-histochemistry: use ImmunoCruz<sup>™</sup>: sc-2051 or ABC: sc-2018 rabbit IgG Staining Systems.

# DATA



HoxA13 (Z-24): sc-133669. Western blot analysis of HoxA13 expression in human fetal liver tissue extract

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

#### **PROTOCOLS**

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