# GABP-β1 (D-15): sc-13443



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# **BACKGROUND**

The transcription factor GA-binding protein (GABP) is composed of two subunits, the Ets-related GABP- $\alpha$  and a GABP- $\alpha$ -associated subunit, GABP- $\beta$ . GABP- $\alpha$  binds to a specific DNA sequence and GABP- $\beta$  exists as  $\beta 1$  and  $\beta 2$  splice variants that differ in their C-termini. In primary neuronal cultures, GABP- $\beta$  is expressed in both the cytoplasm and the nucleus, whereas GABP- $\alpha$  is expressed mainly in the nucleus. GABP is constitutively expressed as either a GABP- $\alpha\beta$  heterodimer or a GABP- $\alpha\beta$  heterotetramer, both of which can modify GABP-dependent transcription in vitro and in vivo. The GABP- $\alpha\beta$  tetrameric complex performs many different functions, such as stimulating transcription of the adenovirus E4 gene, differentially activating BRCA1 expression in human breast cell lines, potentiating Tat-mediated activation of long terminal repeat promoter transcription and viral replication in certain cell types, acting as a coordinator of mitochrondrial and nuclear transcription for cytochrome oxidase in neurons and assisting in the regulation of rpL32 gene transcription.

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# CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: GABPB1 (human) mapping to 15q21.2; Gabpb1 (mouse) mapping to 2 F1.

# **SOURCE**

GABP- $\beta$ 1 (D-15) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of GABP- $\beta$ 1 of human origin.

# **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g$  IgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin. Also available as TransCruz reagent for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications, sc-13443 X, 200  $\mu g$ /0.1 ml.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-13443 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

#### **APPLICATIONS**

GABP-β1 (D-15) is recommended for detection of GABP-β1 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).

GABP- $\beta$ 1 (D-15) is also recommended for detection of GABP- $\beta$ 1 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine, porcine and avian.

Suitable for use as control antibody for GABP- $\beta$ 1/2 siRNA (h): sc-37903, GABP- $\beta$ 1/2 siRNA (m): sc-37904, GABP- $\beta$ 1/2 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-37903-SH, GABP- $\beta$ 1/2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-37904-SH, GABP- $\beta$ 1/2 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-37903-V and GABP- $\beta$ 1/2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-37904-V.

GABP- $\beta$ 1 (D-15) X TransCruz antibody is recommended for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications.

# **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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