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# JRAB (H-104): sc-134682



# BACKGROUND

JRAB (junctional Rab 13-binding protein, MICAL-like protein 2) is a 904 amino acid protein with one CH (calponin-homology) domain and one LIM zinc-binding domain. JRAB has been shown to interact with Rab 13 and Rab 8 to facilitate cellular transport of claudin-1, Occludin and E-cadherin. This interaction is vital for the coordination of the assembly of tight junctions (TJs) and adherens junctions (AJs). Dynamic turnover (endocytic recycling) of cell-to-cell AJs and TJs is essential for epithelial morphogenesis during normal development and differentiation. The endocytic recycling of Occludin and cluadin proteins is part of an ongoing process of restructuring and maintaining cell junctions, especially at TJs. JRAB and Rab13 have also been implicated in the carcinoma metastasis event of epithelial cell scattering. This event shows Rab 13 and JRAB colocalizing with F-actin in lamellipodial structures prior to cell scattering.

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# CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: MICALL2 (human) mapping to 7p22.3.

# SOURCE

JRAB (H-104) is a rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against amino acids 561-664 mapping within an internal region of JRAB 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.

# **APPLICATIONS**

JRAB (H-104) is recommended for detection of JRAB 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) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

Suitable for use as control antibody for JRAB siRNA (h): sc-89784, JRAB shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-89784-SH and JRAB shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-89784-V.

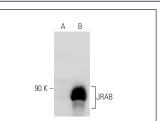
Molecular Weight of JRAB: 100 kDa.

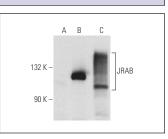
Positive Controls: JRAB (h): 293T Lysate: sc-115725 and WI-38 whole cell lysate: sc-364260.

# **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.

#### DATA





JRAB (H-104): sc-134682. Western blot analysis of JRAB expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 ( $\bf A$ ) and human JRAB transfected: sc-115725 ( $\bf B$ ) 293T whole cell lysates.

JRAB (H-104): sc-134682. Western blot analysis of JRAB expression in non-transfected 293T: sc-117752 (**A**), human JRAB transfected 293T: sc-177416 (**B**) and W138 (**C**) whole cell lysates.

#### 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.