

# cyt19 (M-300): sc-134785

## BACKGROUND

Formation of methylated metabolites is a critical step in the metabolism of inorganic arsenic. Arsenite methyltransferase (cyt19) is localized to the cytoplasm and operates in the transfer of a methyl group from AdoMet to trivalent arsenicals producing methylated and dimethylated arsenicals. It methylates arsenite to form methylarsonate which is reduced to methylarsonite. Methylarsonite acts as a substrate and is converted into a much less toxic compound dimethylarsinate. cyt19 is highly expressed in liver. Inherited variation in cyt19 may contribute to variation in arsenic metabolism and possibly arsenic-dependent carcinogenesis in humans.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: AS3MT (human) mapping to 10q24.32; As3mt (mouse) mapping to 19 C3.

## SOURCE

cyt19 (M-300) is a rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against amino acids 1-300 mapping at the N-terminus of cyt19 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.

## STORAGE

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

## APPLICATIONS

cyt19 (M-300) is recommended for detection of cyt19 of mouse, rat and, to a lesser extent, 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 cyt19 siRNA (h): sc-60494, cyt19 siRNA (m): sc-60495, cyt19 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-60494-SH, cyt19 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-60495-SH, cyt19 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-60494-V and cyt19 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-60495-V.

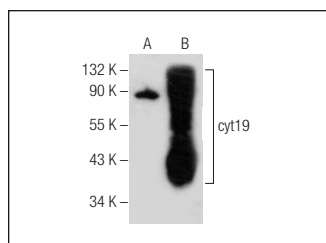
Molecular Weight of cyt19: 42 kDa.

Positive Controls: cyt19 (m): 293T Lysate: sc-119612.

## 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™ compatible goat anti-rabbit IgG-HRP: sc-2030 (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) 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™ Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

## DATA



cyt19 (M-300): sc-134785. Western blot analysis of cyt19 expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A) and mouse cyt19 transfected: sc-119612 (B) 293T whole cell lysates.

## RESEARCH USE

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

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