

# $\alpha/\beta$ -SNAP (32): sc-136385

## BACKGROUND

Syntaxins were originally thought to be docking proteins, but have more recently been categorized as anchoring proteins that anchor themselves to the cytoplasmic surfaces of cellular membranes. Syntaxins have been shown to bind to various proteins involved in exocytosis, including VAMPs (vesicle-associated membrane proteins), NSF (N-ethylmaleimide-sensitive factor), SNAP 25 (synaptosomal-associated protein of 25kDa), SNAPs (soluble NSF attachment proteins) and synaptotagmin. VAMPs (also designated synaptobrevins), including VAMP-1 and VAMP-2, and synaptotagmin, a protein that may function as an inhibitor of exocytosis, are vesicular proteins. SNAPs, including  $\alpha$ -SNAP and  $\gamma$ -SNAP, are cytoplasmic proteins that bind to a membrane receptor complex composed of VAMP, SNAP 25 and syntaxin. SNAPs mediate the membrane binding of NSF, which is essential for membrane fusion reactions. An additional protein, designated synaptophysin, may regulate exocytosis by competing with SNAP 25 and syntaxins for VAMP binding.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: NAPA (human) mapping to 19q13.32, NAPB (human) mapping to 20p11.21; Napa (mouse) mapping to 7 A2, Napb (mouse) mapping to 2 G3.

## SOURCE

$\alpha/\beta$ -SNAP (32) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 153-270 of  $\alpha$ -SNAP of human origin.

## RESEARCH USE

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

## PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200  $\mu$ g IgG<sub>2a</sub> kappa light chain in 1.0 ml PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

## APPLICATIONS

$\alpha/\beta$ -SNAP (32) is recommended for detection of  $\alpha$ -SNAP and  $\beta$ -SNAP of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000) and immunoprecipitation [1-2  $\mu$ g per 100-500  $\mu$ g of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)].

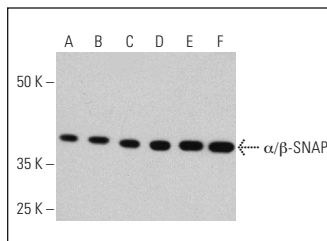
Molecular Weight of  $\alpha/\beta$ -SNAP: 38 kDa.

Positive Controls: Hep G2 cell lysate: sc-2227, A549 cell lysate: sc-2413 or Jurkat whole cell lysate: sc-2204.

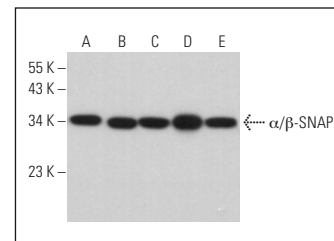
## RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), 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).

## DATA



$\alpha/\beta$ -SNAP (32): sc-136385. Western blot analysis of  $\alpha/\beta$ -SNAP expression in Hep G2 (A), A549 (B), Neuro-2A (C), EOC 20 (D), C6 (E) and RIN-m5F (F) whole cell lysates.



$\alpha/\beta$ -SNAP (32): sc-136385. Western blot analysis of  $\alpha/\beta$ -SNAP expression in Jurkat (A), EOC 20 (B), A549 (C), C6 (D) and Hep G2 (E) whole cell lysates. Detection reagent used: m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP: sc-516102.

## STORAGE

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

## PROTOCOLS

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