

G_β (F-8): sc-136975



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BACKGROUND

Heterotrimeric G proteins function to relay information from cell surface receptors to intracellular effectors. Each of a very broad range of receptors specifically detects an extracellular stimulus (i.e., a photon, pheromone, odorant, hormone or neurotransmitter), while the effectors (e.g., adenylyl cyclase), which act to generate one or more intracellular messengers, are less numerous. Each subunit of the G protein complex is encoded by a member of one of three corresponding gene families (α , β , γ). In mammals, there are five different members of the β subunit family. The β subunits of the G proteins are important regulators of G protein α subunits as well as of certain signal transduction receptors and effectors. In contrast to G_{β1-4}, which are at least 83% homologous, G_{β5} is only 50% homologous to the other β subunits. Human G_{β5} is expressed at high levels in brain, pancreas, kidney, and heart.

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SOURCE

G_β (F-8) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 1-300 mapping at the N-terminus of transducin β 2 of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 μ g IgG₁ kappa light chain 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.

PROTOCOLS

See our web site at www.scbt.com for detailed protocols and support products.

APPLICATIONS

G_β (F-8) is recommended for detection of G_{β1}, G_{β2}, G_{β3} and G_{β4} of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 μ g per 100-500 μ g 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).

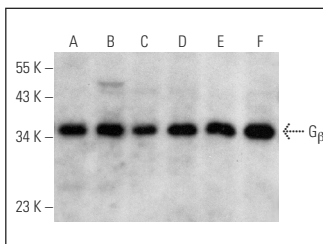
Molecular Weight of G_β: 36 kDa.

Positive Controls: Jurkat whole cell lysate: sc-2204, NIH/3T3 whole cell lysate: sc-2210 or AMJ2-C8 whole cell lysate: sc-364366.

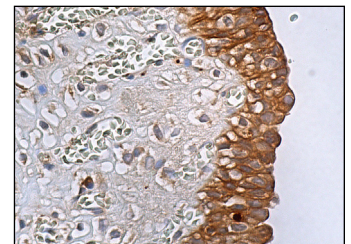
RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-IgG κ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgG κ BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz® Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 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 m-IgG κ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgG κ BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz® Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz® Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850. 4) Immunohistochemistry: use m-IgG κ BP-HRP: sc-516102 with DAB, 50X: sc-24982 and Immunohistomount: sc-45086, or Organo/Limonene Mount: sc-45087.

DATA



G_β (F-8): sc-136975. Western blot analysis of G_β expression in Jurkat (A), U-251-MG (B), NIH/3T3 (C), AMJ2-C8 (D), C6 (E) and NRK (F) whole cell lysates.



G_β (F-8): sc-136975. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human urinary bladder tissue showing cytoplasmic and membrane staining of urothelial cells.

SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

- Liao, H.R., et al. 2022. Larixol inhibits fMLP-induced superoxide anion production and chemotaxis by targeting the $\beta\gamma$ subunit of G_i-protein of fMLP receptor in human neutrophils. *Biochem. Pharmacol.* 201: 115091.

RESEARCH USE

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