

Tctex2 (M-16): sc-13756

BACKGROUND

Tctex2 (t-complex testis expressed 2) is one of the distorter genes of the mouse t haplotype. This complex is responsible for the transmission ratio distortion phenomenon, in which the chromosomes of heterozygous +/t males are preferentially segregated so that the t haplotype is transmitted to >95% of the offspring. Transmission ratio distortion of t haplotypes involves dysfunction of both flagellar inner and outer dynein arms. Tctex2 might be a light chain of flagellar outer arm dynein and the abortive phosphorylation of Tctex2/outer arm dynein, light chain might be related to the less progressive movement of sperm. Tctex2 maps to the t-complex and encodes a membrane-associated protein found exclusively on the sperm tail.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Tcte3 (mouse) mapping to 17 A2.

SOURCE

Tctex2 (M-16) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of Tctex2 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.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-13756 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

STORAGE

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

APPLICATIONS

Tctex2 (M-16) is recommended for detection of Tctex2 long and short isoforms of mouse and rat 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 Tctex2 siRNA (m): sc-43458, Tctex2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-43458-SH and Tctex2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-43458-V.

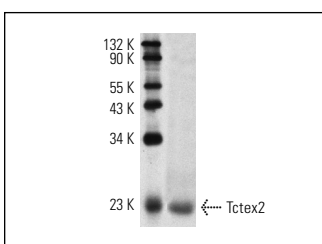
Molecular Weight of Tctex2: 22 kDa.

Positive Controls: mouse testis extract: sc-2405.

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) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/ 2.0 ml). 3) Immunofluorescence: use donkey anti-goat IgG-FITC: sc-2024 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) or donkey anti-goat IgG-TR: sc-2783 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz™ Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

DATA



Tctex2 (M-16): sc-13756. Western blot analysis of Tctex2 expression in mouse testis tissue extract.

RESEARCH USE

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PROTOCOLS

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