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# MNS1 (Q-14): sc-138435



## BACKGROUND

MNS1 (meiosis-specific nuclear structural 1) is a 495 amino acid nuclear protein that is thought to play a role in meiotic division and germ cell differentiation. In mice, MNS1 is expressed during the pachytene stage of spermatogenesis and is a member of the MNS1 family. The gene encoding MNS1 maps to human chromosome 15q21.3 and mouse chromosome 9 D. Encoding more than 700 genes, chromosome 15 is made up of approximately 106 million base pairs and is about 3% of the human genome. Angelman and Prader-Willi syndromes are associated with loss of function or deletion of genes in the 15q11q13 region. In the case of Angelman syndrome, this loss is due to inactivity of the maternal 15q11-q13 encoded UBE3A gene in the brain by either chromosomal deletion or mutation. In cases of Prader-Willi syndrome, there is a partial or complete deletion of this region from the paternal copy of chromosome 15. Tay-Sachs disease is a lethal disorder associated with mutations of the HEXA gene, which is encoded by chromosome 15. Marfan syndrome is associated with chromosome 15 through the FBN1 gene.

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#### CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: MNS1 (human) mapping to 15q21.3; Mns1 (mouse) mapping to 9 D.

#### SOURCE

MNS1 (Q-14) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of MNS1 of human origin.

#### PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g$  lgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-138435 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

#### APPLICATIONS

MNS1 (Q-14) is recommended for detection of MNS1 of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2  $\mu$ g per 100-500  $\mu$ g 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 MNS1 siRNA (h): sc-90287, MNS1 siRNA (m): sc-149488, MNS1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-90287-SH, MNS1 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-149488-SH, MNS1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-90287-V and MNS1 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-149488-V.

Molecular Weight of MNS1: 61 kDa.

Positive Controls: HeLa nuclear extract: sc-2120, Jurkat nuclear extract: sc-2132 or U-698-M whole cell lysate: sc-364799.

#### **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



MNS1 (Q-14): sc-138435. Western blot analysis of MNS1 expression in HeLa (**A**) and Jurkat (**B**) nuclear extracts and U-698-M whole cell lysate (**C**).

#### **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.

#### PROTOCOLS

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