# p120 (H-90): sc-13957



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### **BACKGROUND**

The catenins,  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$ , are proteins which bind to the highly conserved, intracellular cytoplasmic tail of E-cadherin. Together, the catenin/cadherin complexes play an important role mediating cellular adhesion.  $\alpha$ -catenin was initially described as an E-cadherin-associated protein and has been shown to associate with other members of the cadherin family, N-cadherin and P-cadherin.  $\beta$ -catenin associates with the cytoplasmic portion of E-cadherin which is necessary for the function of E-cadherin as an adhesion molecule.  $\beta$ -catenin has also been found in complexes with the tumor suppressor protein APC.  $\gamma$ -catenin, also known as plakoglobin, is a protein that binds with  $\alpha$ -catenin and N-cadherin. A related protein, p120, exhibits sequence homology with the catenins at four discreet domains. p120 not only serves as a substrate for Src, but is also found in E-cadherin complexes containing catenins.

### CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: CTNND1 (human) mapping to 11q12.1; Ctnnd1 (mouse) mapping to 2 D.

#### SOURCE

p120 (H-90) is a rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against amino acids 41-130 mapping near the N-terminus of p120 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.

### **APPLICATIONS**

p120 (H-90) is recommended for detection of p120 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), 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).

p120 (H-90) is also recommended for detection of p120 in additional species, including canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for p120 siRNA (h): sc-36139, p120 siRNA (m): sc-36140, p120 siRNA (r): sc-106992, p120 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-36139-SH, p120 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-36140-SH, p120 shRNA Plasmid (r): sc-106992-SH, p120 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36139-V, p120 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36140-V and p120 shRNA (r) Lentiviral Particles: sc-106992-V.

Molecular Weight of p120 isoforms: 100-120 kDa.

Positive Controls: NIH/3T3 whole cell lysate: sc-2210, HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200 or p120 (m): 293T Lysate: sc-127278.

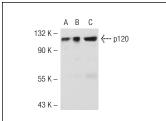
## **RESEARCH USE**

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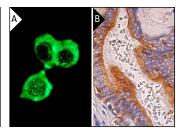
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### **DATA**







p120 (H-90): sc-13957. Immunofluorescence staining of methanol-fixed NIH/3T3 cells showing cytoplasmic localization (A). Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human bronchus tissue showing cytoplasmic staining of respiratory epithelial cells (B).

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