

# β-sarcoglycan (A-17): sc-14176

## BACKGROUND

The sarcoglycan transmembrane proteins are members of the dystrophin complex. Sarcoglycans cluster together to form a complex, which is localized in the cell membrane of skeletal, cardiac, and smooth muscle fibers. Four sarcoglycan subunit proteins, designated α-, β-, γ- and δ-sarcoglycan, form a complex on the skeletal muscle cell surface membrane. A genetic defect in any one of these proteins causes the loss or marked decrease of the whole sarcoglycan complex, which is observed in the autosomal recessive muscular dystrophy, sarcoglycanopathy. In smooth muscle, β- and δ-sarcoglycans are associated with ε-sarcoglycan, a glycoprotein homologous to α-sarcoglycan. Additionally, a complete deficiency in δ-sarcoglycan is the cause of the Syrian hamster BIO.14 cardiomyopathy.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: SGCB (human) mapping to 4q12; Sgcb (mouse) mapping to 5 C3.3.

## SOURCE

β-sarcoglycan (A-17) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of β-sarcoglycan of human origin.

## STORAGE

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

## 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-14176 P, (100 μg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

## APPLICATIONS

β-sarcoglycan (A-17) is recommended for detection of β-sarcoglycan of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), 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).

β-sarcoglycan (A-17) is also recommended for detection of β-sarcoglycan in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine, porcine and avian.

Suitable for use as control antibody for β-sarcoglycan siRNA (h): sc-43418, β-sarcoglycan siRNA (m): sc-43419, β-sarcoglycan shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-43418-SH, β-sarcoglycan shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-43419-SH, β-sarcoglycan shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-43418-V and β-sarcoglycan shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-43419-V.

Molecular Weight of β-sarcoglycan: 43 kDa.

Positive Controls: MCF7 whole cell lysate: sc-2206.

## 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) 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.

## SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

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## RESEARCH USE

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