

G_{β5} (C-15): sc-14945

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. adenyl cyclase), which act to generate one or more intracellular messengers, are less numerous. In mammals, G protein α , β and γ polypeptides are encoded by at least 16, 4 and 7 genes, respectively. Most interest in G proteins has been focused on their α subunits, since these proteins bind and hydrolyze GTP and most obviously regulate the activity of the best studied effectors. Evidence, however, has established an important regulatory role for the $\beta\gamma$ subunits. The G protein β subunits are important regulators of G protein α subunits as well as of certain signal transduction receptors and effectors. In mammals, there are five different members of the β subunit family. Both a long and a short form have been described for G_{β5}, which is also known as transducin β5.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: GNB5 (human) mapping to 15q21.2; Gnb5 (mouse) mapping to 9 D.

SOURCE

G_{β5} (C-15) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of G_{β5} of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 μ g IgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-14945 P, (100 μ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

APPLICATIONS

G_{β5} (C-15) is recommended for detection of G_{β5} long and short forms 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).

G_{β5} (C-15) is also recommended for detection of G_{β5} long and short forms in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine, porcine and avian.

Suitable for use as control antibody for G_{β5} siRNA (h): sc-41770, G_{β5} siRNA (m): sc-41771, G_{β5} shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-41770-SH, G_{β5} shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-41771-SH, G_{β5} shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-41770-V and G_{β5} shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-41771-V.

Molecular Weight of G_{β5}: 39 kDa.

Positive Controls: mouse brain extract: sc-2253 or rat brain extract: sc-2392.

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.

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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