

Ankyrin B (V-18): sc-14995

BACKGROUND

Members of the ankyrin family of proteins mediate the attachment of integral membrane proteins to the cytoskeleton. ANK1, ANK2 and ANK3 genes encode for the proteins in this family, ankyrin-1 (also designated ankyrin R), Ankyrin B and Ankyrin G, respectively. The proteins are structured similarly each composed of an N-terminal domain with multiple ankyrin repeats, a highly conserved central spectrin binding domain, and C-terminal regulatory domains which are susceptible to the most variance. Both Ankyrin B and Ankyrin G are essential for normal neuronal functions. Ankyrin B, or brain ankyrin is predominantly expressed in the plasma membrane of neurons as well as glial cells throughout the brain. Two transcripts have been described with alternative splicing resulting in additional isoforms. The Ankyrin B protein associates with the spectrin-actin network, mediates axon fasciculation and stabilizes axon bundles. Ankyrin B is required for coordinated assembly of Na/Ca exchanger, Na/K ATPase, and inositol trisphosphate (InsP(3)) receptor at transverse-tubule/sarcoplasmic reticulum sites in cardiomyocytes.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: ANK2 (human) mapping to 4q26; Ank2 (mouse) mapping to 3 G2.

SOURCE

Ankyrin B (V-18) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of Ankyrin B 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-14995 P, (100 μ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

APPLICATIONS

Ankyrin B (V-18) is recommended for detection of Ankyrin B 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).

Suitable for use as control antibody for Ankyrin B siRNA (h): sc-29680, Ankyrin B siRNA (m): sc-29681, Ankyrin B shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-29680-SH, Ankyrin B shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-29681-SH, Ankyrin B shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29680-V and Ankyrin B shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29681-V.

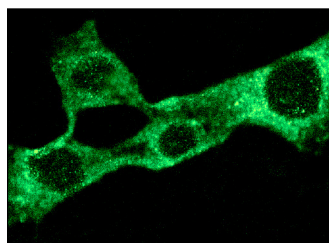
Molecular Weight of Ankyrin B isoforms: 220 kDa.

Positive Controls: Y79 cell lysate: sc-2240, SK-N-SH cell lysate: sc-2410 or BC₃H1 cell lysate: sc-2299.

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.

DATA



Ankyrin B (V-18): sc-14995. Immunofluorescence staining of methanol-fixed BC₃H1 cells showing cytoplasmic localization.

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.



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