

EBF (C-20): sc-15888

BACKGROUND

B lymphocyte maturation is an intricate process that requires a distinct set of transcription factors with respect to the stage of cell differentiation and cell lineage. Among the transcriptional regulators involved in the early stages of B cell development, early B cell factor (EBF), also designated olfactory neuronal transcription factor 1 (OLF1), targets promoter elements for B lymphoid kinase (Blk) and genes encoding portions of the early stage B cell receptors (BCR), which are necessary for initiation of Ig light chain gene recombination and Src kinase (Blk) signaling. EBF is a basic helix-loop-helix (bHLH) homodimeric transcription factor composed of two subunits that interact with the core DNA sequence, CCCNNGGG, through a DNA recognition domain containing a zinc-coordination motif. Promoter elements to certain neuron-specific genes encoding olfactory-related proteins have been shown to contain EBF binding sites.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: EBF3 (human) mapping to 10q26.3, EBF2 (human) mapping to 8p21.2; Ebf1 (mouse) mapping to 11 B1.1.

SOURCE

EBF (C-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of EBF of human origin.

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-15888 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

RESEARCH USE

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

APPLICATIONS

EBF (C-20) is recommended for detection of EBF1 and EBF3 of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 µg per 100-500 µg 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).

EBF (C-20) is also recommended for detection of EBF1 and EBF3 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine, porcine and avian.

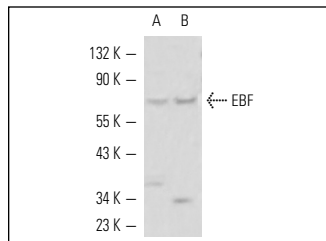
Molecular Weight of EBF: 80 kDa.

Positive Controls: Ramos nuclear extract: sc-2153, 3611-RF nuclear extract: sc-2143 or human PBL whole cell lysate.

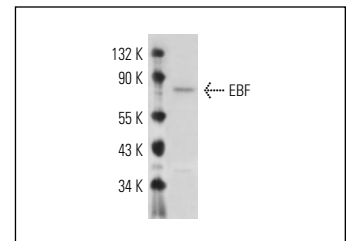
RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS

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



EBF (C-20): sc-15888. Western blot analysis of EBF expression in Ramos (A) and 3611-RF (B) nuclear extracts.



EBF (C-20): sc-15888. Western blot analysis of EBF expression in human PBL whole cell lysate.

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STORAGE

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



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