TFIIIB" (N-20): sc-15945



BACKGROUND

RNA polymerase (pol) III synthesizes tRNA, 5s rRNA, 7SL RNA and U6 snRNA and is overexpressed in many transformed cell lines and tumors *in vivo*, since cells must duplicate its protein components before division. Therefore, in order to maintain rapid growth, cells must produce a high level of Pol III transcribed RNA, which requires the presence of the TFIIIB and TFIIIC2 transcription factor complexes. The TFIIIC2 complex is composed of five subunits, TFIIIC220, TFIIIC110, TFIIIC102, TFIIIC90 and TFIIIC63, that are overexpressed in adenovirus transformed cells as well as in malignant cells *in vivo*, such as ovarian carcinomas. TFIIIC2 recruits RNA pol III and TFIIIB to promoter elements and may be a key component in the deregulation of malignant cells. The TFIIIB complex includes the TATA-binding protein (TBP), TFIIB-related factor 1 (BRF1) and TFIIIB", the expression of which are also upregulated in transformed cells. In many carcinomas, the tumor suppressors retinoblastoma (RB) and p53 are inactivated, which affects their ability to bind and inactivate the function of TFIIIB.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: BDP1 (human) mapping to 5q13.2; Bdp1 (mouse) mapping to 13 D1.

SOURCE

TFIIIB" (N-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the N-terminus of TFIIIB" of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 μg lgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-15945 P, (100 μ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

APPLICATIONS

TFIIIB" (N-20) is recommended for detection of TFIIIB" (also designated TF nuclear receptor) and TFIIIB short 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).

TFIIIB" (N-20) is also recommended for detection of TFIIIB" (also designated TF nuclear receptor) and TFIIIB short in additional species, including canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for TFIIIB" siRNA (h): sc-38534, TFIIIB" siRNA (m): sc-155869, TFIIIB" shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-38534-SH, TFIIIB" shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-155869-SH, TFIIIB" shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-38534-V and TFIIIB" shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-155869-V.

Molecular Weight of TFIIIB" isoforms 1/2/3: 294/253/156 kDa.

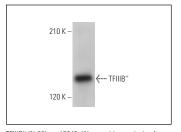
Molecular Weight of TFIIIB" isoforms 4/6/7: 155/292/286 kDa.

Positive Controls: human cerebellum tissue extract.

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



TFIIIB" (N-20): sc-15945. Western blot analysis of TFIIIB" expression in human cerebellum tissue extract

STORAGE

Store at 4° C, **D0 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.