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# ARHGEF15 (Q-14): sc-160150



# BACKGROUND

Rho GTPases, which play fundamental roles in numerous cellular processes, are initiated by external stimuli that signal though G protein-coupled receptors. ARHGEF15 (Rho guanine nucleotide exchange factor (GEF) 15), also known as ARGEF15 or Vsm-RhoGEF, is a 841 amino acid protein expressed in the vascular smooth muscle of coronary artery. ARHGEF15 functions as a specific guanine nucleotide exchange factor for RhoA and interacts with ephrin-A4 in vascular smooth muscle cells. Containing one DH (DBL-homology) domain, ARHGEF15 is phosphorylated on tyrosine residues upon ephrin-A1 stimulation. The DH domain consists of a region of about 150 amino acids that induces Rho family GTPases to release GDP. This effectively activates the Rho GTPase by allowing GTP binding. ARHGEF15 is encoded by a gene located on human chromosome 17, which comprises over 2.5% of the human genome and encodes over 1,200 genes.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: ARHGEF15 (human) mapping to 17p13.1; Arhgef15 (mouse) mapping to 11 B3.

#### SOURCE

ARHGEF15 (Q-14) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of ARHGEF15 of human origin.

# PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g$  lgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-160150 P, (100  $\mu g$  peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

## **APPLICATIONS**

ARHGEF15 (Q-14) is recommended for detection of ARHGEF15 of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2  $\mu$ g per 100-500  $\mu$ g 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); non cross-reactive with other ARHGEF family members.

ARHGEF15 (Q-14) is also recommended for detection of ARHGEF15 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for ARHGEF15 siRNA (h): sc-93945, ARHGEF15 siRNA (m): sc-141223, ARHGEF15 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-93945-SH, ARHGEF15 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-141223-SH, ARHGEF15 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-93945-V and ARHGEF15 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-141223-V.

Molecular Weight of ARHGEF15: 92 kDa.

Positive Controls: mouse liver extract: sc-2256, A-10 cell lysate: sc-3806 or rat skeletal muscle extract: sc-364810.

#### DATA



ARHGEF15 (Q-14): sc-160150. Western blot analysis of ARHGEF15 expression in mouse liver 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.

#### PROTOCOLS

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