# SFXN1 (C-13): sc-160795



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## **BACKGROUND**

The sideroflexin (SFXN) family is comprised of SFXN1, SFXN2, SFXN3, SFXN4 and SFXN5. SFXN1, also designated tricarboxylate carrier protein TCC, is the most highly characterized family member. The ubiquitously expressed SFXN1 protein resides as an integral protein of the mitochondrial inner membrane. It functions as an essential component of the shuttle system that transports mitochondrial acetyl-CoA into the cytosol, where lipogenesis occurs. The SFXN1 gene is mutated in flexed-tail (f/f) mice, which display axial skeletal abnormalities and a transient embryonic and neonatal anemia characterized by pathologic intramitochondiral iron deposits in erythrocytes. Therefore, SFXN1 is also thought to facilitate the transport of a component required for iron utilization into mitochondria. All SFXN family members show expression in pancreatic islet cells. SFXN5 displays a citrate transport activity and is primarily expressed in brain.

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## **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: SFXN1 (human) mapping to 5q35.2.

## **SOURCE**

SFXN1 (C-13) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the C-terminus of SFXN1 of human origin.

# **RESEARCH USE**

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

#### **PRODUCT**

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

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-160795 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

# **APPLICATIONS**

SFXN1 (C-13) is recommended for detection of SFXN1 of human and rat 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); non cross-reactive with other SFXN family members.

Suitable for use as control antibody for SFXN1 siRNA (h): sc-91814, SFXN1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-91814-SH and SFXN1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-91814-V.

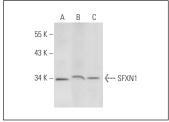
Molecular Weight of SFXN1: 36 kDa.

Positive Controls: human liver extract: sc-363766, MCF7 whole cell lysate: sc-2206 or rat liver extract: sc-2395.

# **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**



SFXN1 (C-13): sc-160795. Western blot analysis of SFXN1 expression in human liver (**A**) and rat liver (**B**) tissue extracts and MCF7 whole cell lysate (**C**).

# **STORAGE**

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