

AGTRAP (E-15): sc-162502

BACKGROUND

AGTRAP (Angiotensin II receptor-associated protein), also known as ATRAP, is a transmembrane protein that localizes to the Golgi apparatus, the endoplasmic reticulum (ER), endocytotic vesicles and perinuclear vesicular structures. Highly expressed in heart, kidney, pancreas and thyroid, AGTRAP functions as a negative regulator of the Angiotensin II type I receptor (AT1). AGTRAP controls receptor internalization and receptor desensitization events (such as phosphorylation) and, through this control, decreases Angiotensin II signaling, thereby reducing rates of cell proliferation and Angiotensin II-stimulated transcriptional activity. AGTRAP is 159 amino acids in length and is able to bind RACK1 (receptor for activated C kinase 1); an association that is thought to help recruit AGTRAP to AT1. Two isoforms of AGTRAP exist due to alternative splicing events.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Agrap (mouse) mapping to 4 E2.

SOURCE

AGTRAP (E-15) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within a cytoplasmic domain of AGTRAP of mouse origin.

RESEARCH USE

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

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-162502 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

APPLICATIONS

AGTRAP (E-15) is recommended for detection of AGTRAP of mouse and rat 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 AGTRAP siRNA (m): sc-140909, AGTRAP shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-140909-SH and AGTRAP shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-140909-V.

Molecular Weight of AGTRAP: 18 kDa.

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.

STORAGE

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

PROTOCOLS

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