

# SR-A (B-9): sc-166139

## BACKGROUND

The macrophage class A scavenger receptor (SR-A) mediates the uptake of modified low density lipoprotein (LDL). The gene encoding human SR-A maps to chromosome 8 and gives rise to two alternatively spliced isoforms, type I and II (SR-AI and SR-AII), which were originally cloned from the phorbol ester-treated human monocytic cell line THP-1. Both isoforms contain six domains: cytoplasmic (I), membrane-spanning (II), spacer (III),  $\alpha$ -helical coiled-coil (IV), collagen-like (V) and a type-specific C-terminal (VI). Domain IV is essential for the trimerization of SR-A, whereas domain V is essential for the wide range of ligand recognition. SR-A is expressed in liver, placenta and brain. Both SR-AI and SR-AII mediate the uptake of LDLs in atherosclerotic lesions. A third isoform, SR-AIII, is unable to uptake LDLs and acts as a dominant negative isoform to possibly protect cells found in advanced atherosclerotic lesions. SR-A plays a role not only in many macrophage-associated pathological processes, including atherosclerosis and Alzheimer's disease, but also in host defense and as an adhesion molecule.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: MSR1 (human) mapping to 8p22; Msr1 (mouse) mapping to 8 A4.

## SOURCE

SR-A (B-9) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 61-250 of SR-A of human origin.

## PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200  $\mu$ g IgG<sub>1</sub> kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

SR-A (B-9) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-166139 AC), 500  $\mu$ g/0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; to HRP (sc-166139 HRP), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for WB, IHC(P) and ELISA; to either phycoerythrin (sc-166139 PE), fluorescein (sc-166139 FITC), Alexa Fluor® 488 (sc-166139 AF488), Alexa Fluor® 546 (sc-166139 AF546), Alexa Fluor® 594 (sc-166139 AF594) or Alexa Fluor® 647 (sc-166139 AF647), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM; and to either Alexa Fluor® 680 (sc-166139 AF680) or Alexa Fluor® 790 (sc-166139 AF790), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for Near-Infrared (NIR) WB, IF and FCM.

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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.

## APPLICATIONS

SR-A (B-9) is recommended for detection of SR-A of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, 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).

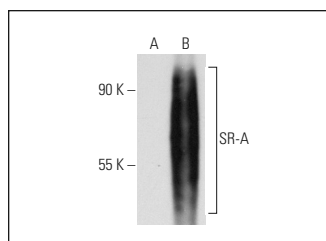
Suitable for use as control antibody for SR-A siRNA (h): sc-44116, SR-A siRNA (m): sc-40188, SR-A shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-44116-SH, SR-A shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-40188-SH, SR-A shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44116-V and SR-A shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-40188-V.

Molecular Weight of glycosylated SR-A: 75 kDa.

Molecular Weight of SR-A isoforms: 50/40/43 kDa.

Positive Controls: SR-A (h2): 293T Lysate: sc-111501, U-937 cell lysate: sc-2239 or THP-1 cell lysate: sc-2238.

## DATA



SR-A (B-9): sc-166139. Western blot analysis of SR-A expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A) and human SR-A transfected: sc-111501 (B) 293T whole cell lysates.

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## RESEARCH USE

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