# EF-2 (F-9): sc-166409



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## **BACKGROUND**

Two elongation factors (EF) EF-Tu and EF-2 participate in the elongation phase during protein biosynthesis on the ribosome and their functional cycles depend on GTP binding and its hydrolysis. EF-Tu (also designated mitochondrial precursor p43) and EF-2 are multi-domain GTPases with essential functions in translation, and they both bind to the same site on the ribosome where their low intrinsic GTPase activities are strongly stimulated. EF-Tu plays a central role in the fast and accurate delivery of aminoacyl-tRNAs to the translating ribosome. In addition, EF-Tu protects the aminoester bond against hydrolysis until a correct match between the codon on mRNA and the anticodon on tRNA can be achieved. EF-2 supports the translocation of tRNAs and of mRNAs on the ribosome so that a new codon can be exposed for decoding.

# **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: EEF2 (human) mapping to 19p13.3; Eef2 (mouse) mapping to 10 C1.

## **SOURCE**

EF-2 (F-9) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 829-856 near the C-terminus of EF-2 of human origin.

#### **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g \ lgG_1$  kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-166409 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% stabilizer protein).

## **STORAGE**

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

# **APPLICATIONS**

EF-2 (F-9) is recommended for detection of EF-2 of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, 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), immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

EF-2 (F-9) is also recommended for detection of EF-2 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine, porcine and avian.

Suitable for use as control antibody for EF-2 siRNA (h): sc-43541, EF-2 siRNA (m): sc-43542, EF-2 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-43541-SH, EF-2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-43542-SH, EF-2 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-43541-V and EF-2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-43542-V.

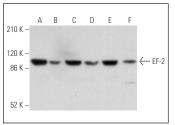
Molecular Weight of EF-2: 93 kDa.

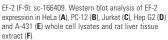
Positive Controls: HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200, PC-12 cell lysate: sc-2250 or Jurkat whole cell lysate: sc-2204.

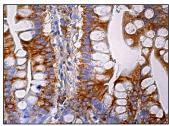
#### **RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS**

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-lgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-lgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker<sup>TM</sup> Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz® Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 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 m-lgG $\kappa$  BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-lgG $\kappa$  BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz® Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz® Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850. 4) Immunohistochemistry: use m-lgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP: sc-516102 with DAB, 50X: sc-24982 and Immunohistomount: sc-45086, or Organo/Limonene Mount: sc-45087.

## **DATA**







EF-2 (F-9): sc-166409. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human small intestine tissue showing cytoplasmic staining of glandular cells.

## **SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS**

- Goichon, A., et al. 2015. Enteral delivery of proteins enhances the expression of proteins involved in the cytoskeleton and protein biosynthesis in human duodenal mucosa. Am. J. Clin. Nutr. 102: 359-367.
- 2. Licznerski, P., et al. 2020. ATP synthase c-subunit leak causes aberrant cellular metabolism in fragile X syndrome. Cell 182: 1170-1185.e9.

### **RESEARCH USE**

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

## **PROTOCOLS**

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