

CALM (F-3): sc-166883

BACKGROUND

Clathrin-coated pits and vesicles are assembled for receptor-mediated endocytosis through interaction with Clathrin associated protein complexes. Vesicle transport is mediated from the *trans*-Golgi network by the adapter complex AP-1 and from the plasma membrane by the AP-2 complex. The AP-1 and AP-2 adapter protein complexes consist of Clathrin binding Adaptin proteins (γ and $\beta 1$ for AP-1, α and $\beta 2$ for AP-2) and two smaller subunits known as AP50 and AP17. The α - and β -Adaptin chains have a similar two-domain organization with C-terminal domains that vary in both sequence and length. α -Adaptin splice variants A and C display variable relative expression levels and differential distribution in different tissues. AP180 (also designated AP-3 or F1-20) is a synapse-specific Clathrin assembly protein. The protein CALM (clathrin assembly protein lymphoid Myeloid leukemia) is highly homologous to AP180 and may also be involved in Clathrin assembly.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: PICALM (human) mapping to 11q14.2; Picalm (mouse) mapping to 7 E1.

SOURCE

CALM (F-3) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 600-622 near the C-terminus of CALM of rat origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 μ g IgM 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-166883 P, (100 μ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% stabilizer protein).

APPLICATIONS

CALM (F-3) is recommended for detection of CALM of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 μ g per 100-500 μ 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 CALM siRNA (h): sc-29882, CALM siRNA (m): sc-29883, CALM shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-29882-SH, CALM shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-29883-SH, CALM shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29882-V and CALM shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29883-V.

Molecular Weight of CALM: 62-72 kDa.

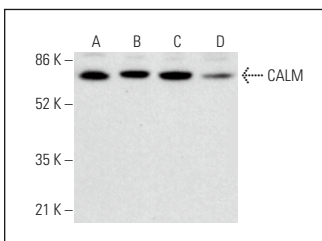
Positive Controls: A-431 whole cell lysate: sc-2201, A549 cell lysate: sc-2413 or NIH/3T3 whole cell lysate: sc-2210.

RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

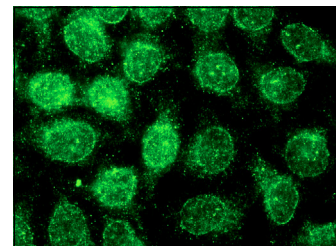
To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended:

1) Western Blotting: use m-IgG κ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgG κ BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz® Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein L-Agarose: sc-2336 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) Immunofluorescence: use m-IgG κ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgG κ BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz® Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz® Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

DATA



CALM (F-3): sc-166883. Western blot analysis of CALM expression in NIH/3T3 (A), A-431 (B), A549 (C) and HEL 92.1.7 (D) whole cell lysates.



CALM (F-3): sc-166883. Immunofluorescence staining of methanol-fixed HeLa cells showing perinuclear localization.

STORAGE

Store at 4° C, **DO 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

See our web site at www.scbt.com for detailed protocols and support products.