

# Sox-15 (D-8): sc-166966

## BACKGROUND

Sox-15 (SRY (sex determining region Y)-box 20, SRY-box 15, SOX26, SOX27) encodes a member of the SOX (SRY-related HMG-box) family of transcription factors involved in the regulation of embryonic development and in the determination of the cell fate. Sox-15 may act as a transcriptional regulator after forming a protein complex with other proteins. Sox-15 is widely expressed in fetal and adult tissues with highest level found in fetal spinal cord, adult brain and adult testis. Sox family transcription factors influence cell differentiation, development and sex determination. Sox-15 contains a unique DNA binding domain known as the high mobility group (HMG) box that is related to that of the testis determining gene SRY. The highly complex group of Sox genes cluster at a minimum of 40 different loci that rapidly diverged in various animal lineages. Several Sox genes have been identified, and members of this family have been shown to be conserved during evolution and to play key roles during animal development.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: SOX15 (human) mapping to 17p13.1.

## SOURCE

Sox-15 (D-8) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 20-55 near the N-terminus of Sox-15 of human origin.

## PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 µg IgG<sub>1</sub> kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin. Also available as TransCruz reagent for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications, sc-166966 X, 200 µg/0.1 ml.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-166966 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% stabilizer protein).

## RESEARCH USE

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

## APPLICATIONS

Sox-15 (D-8) is recommended for detection of Sox-15 of 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).

Suitable for use as control antibody for Sox-15 siRNA (h): sc-38431, Sox-15 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-38431-SH and Sox-15 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-38431-V.

Sox-15 (D-8) X TransCruz antibody is recommended for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications.

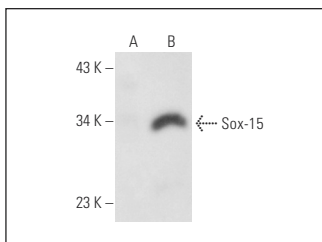
Molecular Weight of Sox-15: 25 kDa.

Positive Controls: Sox-15 (h): 293 Lysate: sc-110784, NTERA-2 cl.D1 whole cell lysate: sc-364181 or HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200.

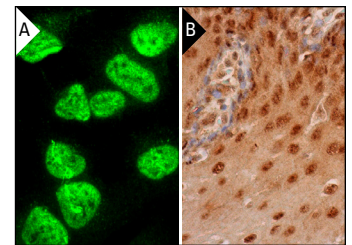
## RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-IgGκ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgGκ 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 A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) Immunofluorescence: use m-IgGκ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgGκ 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-IgGκ BP-HRP: sc-516102 with DAB, 50X: sc-24982 and Immunohistomount: sc-45086, or Organo/Limonene Mount: sc-45087.

## DATA



Sox-15 (D-8): sc-166966. Western blot analysis of Sox-15 expression in non-transfected: sc-110760 (A) and human Sox-15 transfected: sc-110784 (B) 293 whole cell lysates.



Sox-15 (D-8): sc-166966. Immunofluorescence staining of formalin-fixed HepG2 cells showing nuclear localization (A). Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human esophagus tissue showing nuclear and cytoplasmic staining of squamous epithelial cells (B).

## STORAGE

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