# ITM1 (K-12): sc-168218



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## **BACKGROUND**

ITM1 (integral membrane protein 1), also known as TMC (transmembrane protein TMC) or STT3A (STT3, subunit of the oligosaccharyltransferase complex, homolog A), is a member of the STT3 family of proteins. Predominantly expressed in liver, pancreas, muscle, placenta and skin fibroblasts, ITM1 is a multi-pass membrane protein that localizes to the membrane of the endoplasmic reticulum (ER). ITM1 is one of two multicellular eukaryotic homologs of the S. cerevisiae protein Stt3, an essential component of the yeast OST (oligosaccharyltransferase) complex. Both homologs (ITM1 and SIMP) are glycosylated and function as the catalytic component of the mammalian OST complex which is responsible for catalyzing the transfer of a high mannose oligosaccharide to an asparagine residue in nascent proteins that enter the lumen of the ER. Using lipid-linked oligosaccharides as donors, the OST complex specifically transfers the oligosaccharide to the asparagine residue in an Asn-X-Ser/Thr consensus motif (X is any amino acid excluding proline). Compared with SIMP, ITM1 is less active but also more selective in terms of substrates.

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# **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: STT3A (human) mapping to 11q24.2; Stt3a (mouse) mapping to 9 A4.

#### **SOURCE**

ITM1 (K-12) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of ITM1 of human origin.

## **PRODUCT**

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

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-168218 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

## **APPLICATIONS**

ITM1 (K-12) is recommended for detection of ITM1 of mouse, rat and human 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); non cross-reactive with other ITM family members.

Suitable for use as control antibody for ITM1 siRNA (h): sc-97076, ITM1 siRNA (m): sc-146310, ITM1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-97076-SH, ITM1 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-146310-SH, ITM1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-97076-V and ITM1 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-146310-V.

Molecular Weight of glycolosated ITM1 diffuse: 60-70 kDa.

Positive Controls: HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200, COLO 320DM cell lysate: sc-2226 or MCF7 whole cell lysate: sc-2206.

## **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  $4^{\circ}$  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.



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