# Brm (E-1): sc-17828



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## **BACKGROUND**

The Brahma protein (Brm) is an ATPase subunit of the Drosophila melanogaster Brm complex, which is highly related to the mammalian SWI/SNF chromatinremodeling complex. Brm is a transcriptional activator of Hox genes and associates with nearly all transcriptionally active chromatin in a pattern that is non-overlapping with that of Polycomb, a repressor of Hox gene transcription. The Brm complex is an essential coactivator for the trithorax group protein Zeste, a DNA-binding activator of homeotic genes. Reduction of Brm function dramatically reduces the association of RNA polymerase II with Drosophila salivary gland chromosomes, suggesting that the chromatin remodeling activity of the Brm complex plays a general role in facilitating transcription by RNA polymerase II. Brm acts as a dominant suppressor of the rough eye phenotype that results from a hypomorphic mutation of *Drosophila* cyclin E by inhibiting S phase entry by acting downstream of cyclin E protein accumulation. The interaction of the Brm complex with chromatin may be modulated by BAP111, which is highly associated with the Brm complex in Drosophila embryos via an HMG domain. Brm is highly expressed in unfertilized eggs and early embryos.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: SMARCA2 (human) mapping to 9p24.3; Smarca2 (mouse) mapping to 19 C1.

## **SOURCE**

Brm (E-1) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 1-30 at the N-terminus of Brm of human origin.

# **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu$ g IgM 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-17828 X, 200  $\mu$ g/0.1 ml.

Brm (E-1) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-17828 AC), 500  $\mu$ g/0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-17828 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**

Brm (E-1) is recommended for detection of Brm of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, 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).

Brm (E-1) is also recommended for detection of Brm in additional species, including equine and avian.

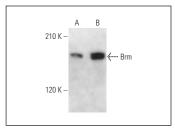
Suitable for use as control antibody for Brm siRNA (h): sc-29831, Brm siRNA (m): sc-29834, Brm shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-29831-SH, Brm shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-29834-SH, Brm shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29831-V and Brm shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29834-V.

Brm (E-1) X TransCruz antibody is recommended for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications.

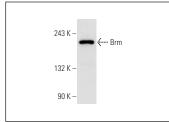
Molecular Weight of Brm: 210 kDa.

Positive Controls: K-562 nuclear extract: sc-2130, RAW 264.7 whole cell lysate: sc-2211 or c4 whole cell lysate: sc-364186.

#### **DATA**







Brm (E-1): sc-17828. Western blot analysis of Brm expression in K-562 nuclear extract.

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#### **RESEARCH USE**

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