

ARF (C-20): sc-1870

BACKGROUND

The ADP-ribosylation factor (ARF) protein family are structurally and functionally conserved members of the Ras superfamily of regulatory GTP-binding proteins. ARFs influence vesicle trafficking and signal transduction in eukaryotic cells. ARF-dependent regulatory mechanisms include the coordination of spectrin interactions with Golgi membranes and the association of actin to the Golgi via rho family-dependent G-protein localization (Rac, CDC42) and WASP/Arp2/3 complexes. Additionally, ARFs play a central role in maintenance of organelle integrity, assembly of coat proteins, and activation of phospholipase D. The ARF proteins are categorized as class I (ARF1, ARF2, and ARF3), class II (ARF4 and ARF5) and class III (ARF6); members of each class share a common gene organization. The human ARF1 gene maps to chromosome 1q42, contains 5 exons and 4 introns, and encodes a 181 amino acid protein.

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SOURCE

ARF (C-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the C-terminus of ARF1 of human origin.

PRODUCT

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

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-1870 P, (100 μ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

RESEARCH USE

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

APPLICATIONS

ARF (C-20) is recommended for detection of ARF1, 2 and 3 and, to a lesser extent, ARF4, 5 and 6 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).

ARF (C-20) is also recommended for detection of ARF1, 2 and 3 and, to a lesser extent, ARF4, 5 and 6 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine, porcine and avian.

Suitable for use as control antibody for ARF siRNA (h): sc-29725, ARF siRNA (m): sc-29726, ARF shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-29725-SH, ARF shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-29726-SH, ARF shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29725-V and ARF shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29726-V.

Molecular Weight of ARF: 21 kDa.

Positive Controls: HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200, Caki-1 cell lysate: sc-2224 or KNRK whole cell lysate: sc-2214.

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.

SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

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STORAGE

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

PROTOCOLS

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