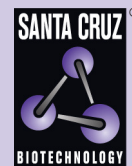


MYH (H-300): sc-20641



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BACKGROUND

Myosin is a highly conserved, ubiquitously expressed protein that interacts with Actin to generate the force for cellular movements. Conventional Myosins are hexameric proteins consisting of two heavy chain subunits, a pair of non-phosphorylatable light chain subunits and a pair of phosphorylatable light chain subunits. Three general classes of Myosin have been cloned: smooth muscle Myosins, striated muscle Myosins and non-muscle Myosins. Contractile activity in smooth muscle is regulated by the calcium/calmodulin-dependent phosphorylation of Myosin light chain (MLC) by Myosin light chain kinase. Myosin heavy chains, which are encoded by the MYH gene family, contain Actin-activated ATPase activity which generates the motor function of Myosin. Myosin heavy chains were initially isolated from a human fetal skeletal muscle and are the major determinant in the speed of contraction of skeletal muscle. Various isoforms of myosin heavy chains are differentially expressed depending on the functional activity of the muscle.

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SOURCE

MYH (H-300) is a rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against amino acids 1641-1940 of myosin heavy chain 3 of human origin.

PRODUCT

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

MYH (H-300) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-20641 AC), 500 µg/0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP.

APPLICATIONS

MYH (H-300) is recommended for detection of skeletal and cardiac myosin heavy chain of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, 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) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

MYH (H-300) is also recommended for detection of skeletal and cardiac myosin heavy chain in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

Molecular Weight of MYH: 200 kDa.

Positive Controls: NIH/3T3 whole cell lysate: sc-2210, A-10 cell lysate: sc-3806 or rat skeletal muscle extract: sc-364810.

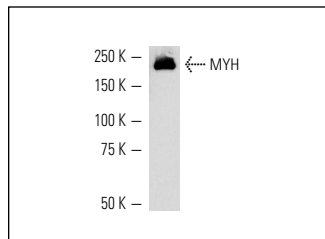
RESEARCH USE

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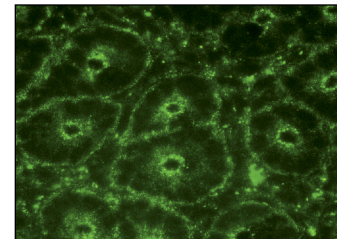
STORAGE

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

DATA



MYH (H-300): sc-20641. Western blot analysis of MYH expression in rat skeletal muscle tissue extract.



MYH (H-300): sc-20641. Immunofluorescence staining of normal mouse intestine frozen section showing membrane staining.

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Try **MYH (B-5): sc-376157** or **Skeletal Muscle Myosin (F59): sc-32732**, our highly recommended monoclonal alternatives to MYH (H-300). Also, for AC, HRP, FITC, PE, Alexa Fluor® 488 and Alexa Fluor® 647 conjugates, see **MYH (B-5): sc-376157**.