## BACKGROUND

Members of the protein kinase C (PKC) family play a key regulatory role in a variety of cellular functions including cell growth and differentiation, gene expression, hormone secretion and membrane function. PKCs were originally identified as serine/threonine protein kinases whose activity was dependent on calcium and phospholipids. Diacylglycerols (DAG) and tumor-promoting phorbol esters bind to and activate PKC. PKCs can be subdivided into many different isoforms ( $\alpha, \beta I, \beta \|, \gamma, \delta, \varepsilon, \zeta, \eta, \theta, \iota, \lambda, \mu$ and $v$ ). Patterns of expression for each PKC isoform differ among tissues and PKC family members exhibit clear differences in their cofactor dependencies. For instance, the kinase activities of PKC $\delta$ and $\varepsilon$ are independent of $\mathrm{Ca}^{2+}$.

## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: PRKCE (human) mapping to 2p21; Prkce (mouse) mapping to 17 E 4 .

## SOURCE

PKC \& (C-15) is available as either rabbit (sc-214) or goat (sc-214-G) polyclonal affinity purified antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the C -terminus of PKC $\varepsilon$ of human origin.

## PRODUCT

Each vial contains $200 \mu \mathrm{glgG}$ in 1.0 ml of PBS with $<0.1 \%$ sodium azide and $0.1 \%$ gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-214 P, (100 $\mu \mathrm{g}$ peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing $<0.1 \%$ sodium azide and $0.2 \%$ BSA).

Available as TransCruz reagent for ChIP application, sc-214 X, $200 \mu \mathrm{~g} / 0.1 \mathrm{ml}$.

## APPLICATIONS

PKC $\varepsilon$ (C-15) is recommended for detection of PKC $\varepsilon$ of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation $[1-2 \mu \mathrm{~g}$ per $100-500 \mu \mathrm{~g}$ 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).

PKC $\varepsilon(\mathrm{C}-15)$ is also recommended for detection of PKC $\varepsilon$ in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine, porcine and avian.
Suitable for use as control antibody for PKC $\varepsilon$ siRNA (h): sc-36251, PKC $\varepsilon$ siRNA (m): sc-36250, PKC $\varepsilon$ shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-36251-SH, PKC $\varepsilon$ shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-36250-SH, PKC \& shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36251-V and PKC $\varepsilon$ shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36250-V.
PKC $\varepsilon(\mathrm{C}-15) \mathrm{X}$ TransCruz antibody is recommended for ChIP assays.
Molecular Weight of PKC $\varepsilon$ : 90 kDa .

## STORAGE

Store at $4^{\circ} \mathrm{C},{ }^{* *}$ 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.

## DATA



PKC $\varepsilon$ (C-15): sc-214. Western blot analysis of PKC $\varepsilon$ expression in rat heart extract $(\mathbf{A})$ and $\mathrm{H} 4(\mathbf{B})$ IMR-32 (C) and SK-N-SH (D) whole cell lysates.


PKC \& (C-15)-G: sc-214-G. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human cerebral cortex tissue showing cytoplasmic staining of neuronal cells.

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Try PKC $\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}$ (E-5): sc-1681 or PKC (A-3): sc-17769, our highly recommended monoclonal aternatives to PKC $\varepsilon$ (C-15). Also, for AC, HRP, FITC, PE, Alexa Fluor ${ }^{\circledR} 488$ and Alexa Fluor ${ }^{\circledR} 647$ conjugates, see PKC $\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}(\mathbf{E}-5)$ :
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