

# Hemoglobin $\gamma$ (51-7): sc-21756

## BACKGROUND

Hemoglobin (Hgb) is coupled to four iron-binding, methene-linked tetrapyrrole rings (heme). The  $\alpha$  (16p13.3; 5'- $\zeta$ -pseudo $\zeta$ -pseudo $\alpha$ 2-pseudo  $\alpha$ 1- $\alpha$ 2- $\alpha$ 1- $\theta$ 1-3') and  $\beta$  (11p15.5) globin loci determine the basic Hgb structure. The globin portion of hemoglobin consists of two  $\alpha$  chains and two  $\beta$  chains arranged in pairs forming a tetramer. Each of the four globin chains covalently associates with a heme group. The bonds between  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  chains are weaker than between similar globin chains, thereby forming a cleavage plane that is important for oxygen binding and release. High affinity for oxygen occurs upon relaxation of the  $\alpha$ 1- $\beta$ 2 cleavage plane. When the two  $\alpha$ 1- $\beta$ 2 interfaces are closely bound, hemoglobin has a low affinity for oxygen. Hb A, which contains two  $\alpha$  chains plus two  $\beta$  chains, comprises 97% of total circulating hemoglobin. The remaining 3% of total circulating hemoglobin is comprised of Hb A-2, which consists of two  $\alpha$  chains plus two  $\delta$  chains, and fetal hemoglobin (Hb F), which consists of two  $\alpha$  chains together with two  $\gamma$  chains.

## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: HBG2/HBG1 (human) mapping to 11p15.4.

## SOURCE

Hemoglobin  $\gamma$  (51-7) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against human hemoglobin.

## PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200  $\mu$ g IgG<sub>1</sub> kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Hemoglobin  $\gamma$  (51-7) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-21756 AC), 500  $\mu$ g/0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; to HRP (sc-21756 HRP), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for WB, IHC(P) and ELISA; to either phycoerythrin (sc-21756 PE), fluorescein (sc-21756 FITC), Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 488 (sc-21756 AF488), Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 546 (sc-21756 AF546), Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 594 (sc-21756 AF594) or Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 647 (sc-21756 AF647), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM; and to either Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 680 (sc-21756 AF680) or Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 790 (sc-21756 AF790), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for Near-Infrared (NIR) WB, IF and FCM.

## APPLICATIONS

Hemoglobin  $\gamma$  (51-7) is recommended for detection of Hemoglobin  $\gamma$  of 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), immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and flow cytometry (1  $\mu$ g per 1 x 10<sup>6</sup> cells).

Suitable for use as control antibody for Hemoglobin  $\gamma$  siRNA (h): sc-37108, Hemoglobin  $\gamma$  shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-37108-SH and Hemoglobin  $\gamma$  shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-37108-V.

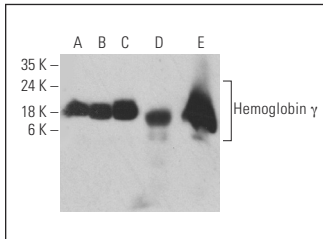
Molecular Weight of Hemoglobin  $\gamma$ : 18 kDa.

Positive Controls: human prostate extract: sc-363774, HEL 92.1.7 cell lysate: sc-2270 or TF-1 cell lysate: sc-2412.

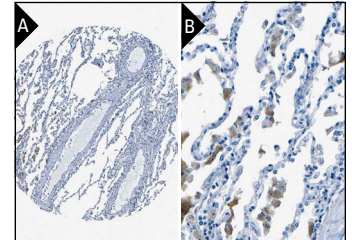
## STORAGE

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

## DATA



Hemoglobin  $\gamma$  (51-7) HRP: sc-21756 HRP. Direct western blot analysis of Hemoglobin  $\gamma$  expression in TF-1 (A), MEG-01 (B) and HEL 92.1.7 (C) whole cell lysates and human PBL (D) and human placenta (E) tissue extracts.



Hemoglobin  $\gamma$  (51-7): sc-21756. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human lung tissue showing cytoplasmic staining of macrophages at low (A) and high (B) magnification. Kindly provided by The Swedish Human Protein Atlas (HPA) program.

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## RESEARCH USE

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