# HLA-G (4H84): sc-21799



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#### **BACKGROUND**

Major histocompatibility complex (MHC), human leukocyte antigen (HLA) molecules are cell-surface receptors that bind foreign peptides and present them to T lymphocytes. MHC class I molecules consist of two polypeptide chains, an a or heavy chain, and a non-covalently associated protein, β-2-Microglobulin. Cytotoxic T lymphocytes bind antigenic peptides presented by MHC class I molecules. Antigens that bind to MHC class I molecules are typically 8-10 residues in length and are stabilized in a peptide binding groove. MHC class II molecules are encoded by polymorphic MHC genes and consist of a non-covalent complex of an  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  chain. Helper T lymphocytes bind antigenic peptides presented by MHC class II molecules. MHC class II molecules bind 13-18 amino acid antigenic peptides. Accumulating in endosomal/ lysosomal compartments and on the surface of B cells, HLA-DM and -DO molecules regulate binding of exogenous peptides to class II molecules (HLA-DR) by sustaining a conformation that favors peptide exchange. The differential structural properties of MHC class I and class II molecules account for their respective roles in activating different populations of T lymphocytes.

## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: HLA-G (human) mapping to 6p22.1; H2-K1 (mouse) mapping to 17 B1.

## SOURCE

HLA-G (4H84) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 61-83 of HLA-G of human origin.

## **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g \ lgG_1$  kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

HLA-G (4H84) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-21799 AC), 500 μg/ 0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; to HRP (sc-21799 HRP), 200 μg/ml, for WB, IHC(P) and ELISA; to either phycoerythrin (sc-21799 PE), fluorescein (sc-21799 FITC), Alexa Fluor® 488 (sc-21799 AF488), Alexa Fluor® 546 (sc-21799 AF546), Alexa Fluor® 594 (sc-21799 AF594) or Alexa Fluor® 647 (sc-21799 AF647), 200 μg/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM; and to either Alexa Fluor® 680 (sc-21799 AF680) or Alexa Fluor® 790 (sc-21799 AF790), 200 μg/ml, for Near-Infrared (NIR) WB, IF and FCM.

#### **APPLICATIONS**

HLA-G (4H84) is recommended for detection of HLA-G isoforms 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 immunohistochemistry (including paraffinembedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500).

Suitable for use as control antibody for HLA-G siRNA (h): sc-42920, HLA-G siRNA (m): sc-42921, HLA-G shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-42920-SH, HLA-G shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-42921-SH, HLA-G shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-42920-V and HLA-G shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-42921-V.

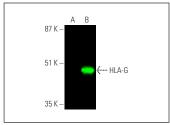
Molecular Weight of HLA-G: 39 kDa.

Positive Controls: HLA-G (h2): 293T Lysate: sc-159524.

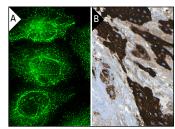
#### **STORAGE**

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

### **DATA**







HLA-G (4H84): sc-21799. Immunofluorescence staining of methanol-fixed HeLa cells showing membrane localization (A). Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human placenta tissue showing cytoplasmic staining of decidual cells magnification. Kindly provided by The Swedish Human Protein Atlas (HPA) program (B).

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## **RESEARCH USE**

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