



## IRAK-2 (M-19): sc-23653

### BACKGROUND

Three structurally related ligands for IL-1Rs have been described. These include two agonists, IL-1 $\alpha$  and IL-1 $\beta$ , and a specific receptor antagonist, IL-1R $\alpha$ . Two distinct receptors designated IL-1RI and IL-1RII have been identified, each of which belong to the Ig superfamily. The preponderance of evidence suggests IL-1RI to be the functional IL-1 receptor. Binding of IL-1 to its cognate receptor results in the activation of the NF $\kappa$ B signaling pathway. A 100 kDa IL-1-dependent kinase termed IRAK (for IL-1 receptor-associated kinase) coimmunoprecipitates with activated IL-1RI and has been implicated as an upstream mediator of NF $\kappa$ B activation. Additional support for this assertion comes from the fact that a related *Drosophila* protein, Pelle, is a known upstream activator of Dorsal, the *Drosophila* homolog of NF $\kappa$ B.

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### CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Irak2 (mouse) mapping to 6qE3.

### SOURCE

IRAK-2 (M-19) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the C-terminus of IRAK-2 of mouse origin.

### PRODUCT

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

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-23653 P, (100  $\mu$ 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

IRAK-2 (M-19) is recommended for detection of IRAK-2 of mouse and rat 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).

Suitable for use as control antibody for IRAK-2 siRNA (m): sc-146281, IRAK-2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-146281-SH and IRAK-2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-146281-V.

### 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.

### 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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