

# CLEC-4F (T-20): sc-242466

## BACKGROUND

The C-type lectin/C-type lectin-like domain (CTL/CTLD) superfamily consists of a variety of proteins that share a common protein fold and have diverse functions, including cell-cell signaling, cell adhesion, glycoprotein turnover and immune responses. CLEC-4F (C-type lectin domain family 4 member F), also known as CLECSF13 (C-type lectin superfamily member 13) or KCLR, is a 589 amino acid single-pass type II membrane protein that contains one C-type lectin domain and belongs to the CTL/CTLD superfamily. Functioning as a receptor, CLEC-4F has affinity for fucose and galactose, and is thought to have a role in endocytosis. The gene encoding CLEC-4F maps to human chromosome 2, which consists of 237 million bases, encodes over 1,400 genes and makes up approximately 8% of the human genome. A number of genetic diseases are linked to genes on chromosome 2, including Harlequin ichthyosis, sitosterolemia and Alström syndrome.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: CLEC4F (human) mapping to 2p13.3.

## SOURCE

CLEC-4F (T-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an extracellular domain of CLEC-4F of human origin.

## STORAGE

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

## PRODUCT

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

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-242466 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

## APPLICATIONS

CLEC-4F (T-20) is recommended for detection of CLEC-4F of 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).

CLEC-4F (T-20) is also recommended for detection of CLEC-4F in additional species, including equine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for CLEC-4F siRNA (h): sc-94556, CLEC-4F shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-94556-SH and CLEC-4F shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-94556-V.

Molecular Weight of CLEC-4F: 66 kDa.

## 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) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) 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.

## RESEARCH USE

For research use only, not for use in diagnostic procedures.

## PROTOCOLS

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