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# MENTHO (N-16): sc-243452



BACKGROUND

MENTHO, also known as STARD3NL (STARD3 N-terminal like) or MLN64 Nterminal domain homolog, is a 234 amino acid multi-pass membrane protein of the late endosome that contains one MENTAL domain and exists as 2 alternatively spliced isoforms. The gene encoding MENTHO maps to human chromosome 7, which houses over 1,000 genes and comprises nearly 5% of the human genome. Chromosome 7 has been linked to osteogenesis imperfecta, Pendred syndrome, lissencephaly, citrullinemia and Shwachman-Diamond syndrome. The deletion of a portion of the q arm of chromosome 7 is associated with Williams-Beuren syndrome, a condition characterized by mild mental retardation, an unusual comfort and friendliness with strangers and an elfin appearance. Deletions of portions of the q arm of chromosome 7 are associated with a number of myeloid disorders including cases of acute myelogenous leukemia and myelodysplasia.

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# CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: STARD3NL (human) mapping to 7p14.1; Stard3nl (mouse) mapping to 13 A2.

# SOURCE

MENTHO (N-16) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an N-terminal cytoplasmic domain of MENTHO of human origin.

### PRODUCT

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

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-243452 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

## **STORAGE**

Store at 4° C, \*\*D0 NOT FREEZE\*\*. Stable for one year from the date of shipment. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

# APPLICATIONS

MENTHO (N-16) is recommended for detection of MENTHO of mouse, rat and 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) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

MENTHO (N-16) is also recommended for detection of MENTHO in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for MENTHO siRNA (h): sc-89523, MENTHO siRNA (m): sc-149369, MENTHO shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-89523-SH, MENTHO shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-149369-SH, MENTHO shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-89523-V and MENTHO shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-149369-V.

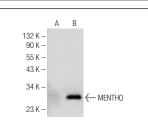
Molecular Weight of MENTHO isoforms: 27/26 kDa.

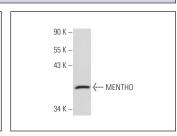
Positive Controls: MENTHO (m): 293T Lysate: sc-121603 or NIH/3T3 whole cell lysate: sc-2210.

# **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<sup>™</sup> compatible donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2033 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:5000), Cruz Marker<sup>™</sup> 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<sup>™</sup> Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

## DATA





MENTHO (N-16): sc-243452. Western blot analysis of MENTHO expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A) and mouse MENTHO transfected: sc-121603 (B) 293T whole cell lysates.

MENTHO (N-16): sc-243452. Western blot analysis of MENTHO expression in NIH/3T3 whole cell lysate.

**RESEARCH USE** 

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

#### PROTOCOLS

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