SCML4 (I-18): sc-244086



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BACKGROUND

SCML4 (sex comb on midleg-like 4) is a 414 amino acid protein that belongs to the SCM family. SCML4 is a Putative Polycomb group (PcG) protein. PcG proteins act by forming multiprotein complexes, which are required to maintain the transcriptionally repressive state of homeotic genes throughout development. Localizing to nucleus, the SCML4 protein contains a SAM (sterile lphamotif) domain. Existing as three alternatively spliced isoforms, the SCML4 gene is conserved in chimpanzee, canine, bovine, mouse, rat, chicken and zebrafish, and maps to human chromosome 6q21. Making up nearly 6% of the human genome, chromosome 6 contains around 1,200 genes within 170 million base pairs of sequence. Deletion of a portion of the g arm of chromosome 6 is associated with early onset intestinal cancer suggesting the presence of a cancer susceptibility locus. Porphyria cutanea tarda is associated with chromosome 6 through the HFE gene which, when mutated, predisposes an individual to developing this porphyria. Stickler syndrome, 21-hydroxylase deficiency and maple syrup urine disease are also associated with genes on chromosome 6. A bipolar disorder susceptibility locus has been identified on the q arm of chromosome 6.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Scml4 (mouse) mapping to 10 B2.

SOURCE

SCML4 (I-18) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of SCML4 of mouse 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 lgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with <0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-244086 P, (100 μ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

APPLICATIONS

SCML4 (I-18) is recommended for detection of SCML4 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); non cross-reactive with SCML1 or SCML2.

Suitable for use as control antibody for SCML4 siRNA (m): sc-153262, SCML4 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-153262-SH and SCML4 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-153262-V.

Molecular Weight of SCML4 isoforms 1/2/3: 45/39/33 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) Immunofluorescence: use donkey anti-goat IgG-FITC: sc-2024 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz™ Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

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

PROTOCOLS

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