

# EF-2 (H-118): sc-25634

## BACKGROUND

Two elongation factors (EF) EF-Tu and EF-2 participate in the elongation phase during protein biosynthesis on the ribosome and their functional cycles depend on GTP binding and its hydrolysis. EF-Tu (also designated mitochondrial precursor p43) and EF-2 are multidomain GTPases with essential functions in translation, and they both bind to the same site on the ribosome where their low intrinsic GTPase activities are strongly stimulated. EF-Tu plays a central role in the fast and accurate delivery of aminoacyl-tRNAs to the translating ribosome. In addition, EF-Tu protects the aminoester bond against hydrolysis until a correct match between the codon on mRNA and the anticodon on tRNA can be achieved. EF-2 supports the translocation of tRNAs and of mRNAs on the ribosome so that a new codon can be exposed for decoding.

## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: EEF2 (human) mapping to 19p13.3; Eef2 (mouse) mapping to 10 C1.

## SOURCE

EF-2 (H-118) is a rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against amino acids 741-858 mapping at the C-terminus of EF-2 of human origin.

## PRODUCT

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

## APPLICATIONS

EF-2 (H-118) is recommended for detection of EF-2 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), immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

EF-2 (H-118) is also recommended for detection of EF-2 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine, porcine and avian.

Suitable for use as control antibody for EF-2 siRNA (h): sc-43541, EF-2 siRNA (m): sc-43542, EF-2 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-43541-SH, EF-2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-43542-SH, EF-2 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-43541-V and EF-2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-43542-V.

Molecular Weight of EF-2: 93 kDa.

Positive Controls: rat ovary extract: sc-2399, HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200 or HL-60 whole cell lysate: sc-2209.

## RESEARCH USE

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

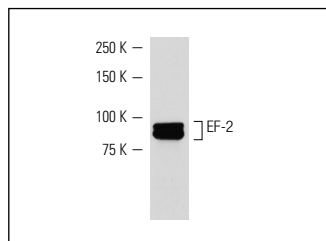
## PROTOCOLS

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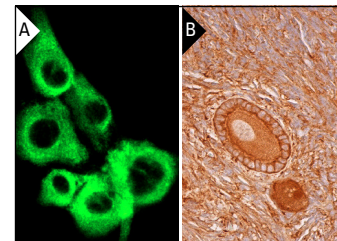
## STORAGE

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

## DATA



EF-2 (H-118): sc-25634. Western blot analysis of EF-2 expression in rat ovary tissue extract.



EF-2 (H-118): sc-25634. Immunofluorescence staining of methanol-fixed BC<sub>3</sub>H1 cells showing cytoplasmic localization (A). Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human ovary tissue showing cytoplasmic and membrane staining of follicle cells and ovarian stroma cells (B).

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