$G_{\alpha 11}$ (T-16): sc-26792



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BACKGROUND

Heterotrimeric G proteins function to relay information from cell surface receptors to intracellular effectors. Each of a very broad range of receptors specifically detects an extracellular stimulus (a photon, pheromone, odorant, hormone or neurotransmitter) while the effectors (e.g. adenyl cyclase), which act to generate one or more intracellular messengers, are less numerous. In mammals, G protein α , β and γ polypeptides are encoded by at least 16, 4 and 7 genes, respectively. Most interest in G proteins has been focused on their α subunits, since these proteins bind and hydrolyze GTP and most obviously regulate the activity of the best studied effectors. Four distinct classes of G_{α} subunits have been identified; these include G_{s} , G_{i} , G_{q} and $G_{a\ 12/13}$. The G_{q} class includes $G_{\alpha\ 15}$, $G_{\alpha\ 14}$, $G_{\alpha\ 11}$ and $G_{\alpha\ q'}$ two of which, $G_{\alpha\ 11}$ and $G_{\alpha\ q'}$ are abundant in brain and lung and present at lower levels in a variety of tissues.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: GNA11 (human) mapping to 19p13.3; Gna11 (mouse) mapping to 10 C1.

SOURCE

 $G_{\alpha\,11}$ (T-16) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of $G_{\alpha\,11}$ of human origin.

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-26792 P, (100 μg 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

 $G_{\alpha\,11}$ (T-16) is recommended for detection of $G_{\alpha\,11}$ of mouse, rat and human 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).

 $G_{\alpha\,11}$ (T-16) is also recommended for detection of $G_{\alpha\,11}$ in additional species, including equine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for $G_{\alpha\,11}$ siRNA (h): sc-41740, $G_{\alpha\,11}$ siRNA (m): sc-41741, $G_{\alpha\,11}$ siRNA (r): sc-45999, $G_{\alpha\,11}$ shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-41740-SH, $G_{\alpha\,11}$ shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-41741-SH, $G_{\alpha\,11}$ shRNA Plasmid (r): sc-45999-SH, $G_{\alpha\,11}$ shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-41740-V, $G_{\alpha\,11}$ shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-41741-V and $G_{\alpha\,11}$ shRNA (r) Lentiviral Particles: sc-45999-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) 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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