

# SEC14L2 (H-4): sc-271905

## BACKGROUND

The monomeric, SEC14L2 (SEC14-like protein 2), also known as supernatant protein factor (SPF),  $\alpha$ -tocopherol-associated protein or squalene transfer protein, functions as a carrier protein transferring tocopherols, as a transcriptional activator via its interaction with  $\alpha$ -tocopherol and as a stimulator of conversion of microsomal squalene-2,3-oxide into lanosterol in cholesterol biosynthesis. High levels of SEC14L2 are expressed in liver, brain, intestine and prostate. Subcellular localization of SEC14L2 is cytoplasmic, but in the presence of  $\alpha$ -tocopherol, SEC14L2 localizes in the nucleus. Activity of SEC14L2 depends on posttranslational modifications, specifically phosphorylation by PKA and PKC.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: SEC14L2 (human) mapping to 22q12.2; Sec14l2 (mouse) mapping to 11 A1.

## SOURCE

SEC14L2 (H-4) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 1-300 mapping at the N-terminus of SPF of human origin.

## PRODUCT

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

## APPLICATIONS

SEC14L2 (H-4) is recommended for detection of SEC14L2 of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, 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).

Suitable for use as control antibody for SEC14L2 siRNA (h): sc-44738, SEC14L2 siRNA (m): sc-44739, SEC14L2 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-44738-SH, SEC14L2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-44739-SH, SEC14L2 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44738-V and SEC14L2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44739-V.

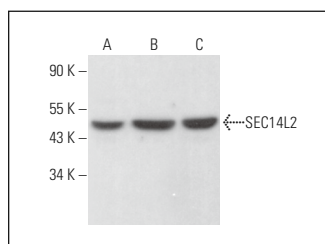
Molecular Weight of SEC14L2: 47 kDa.

Positive Controls: HEK293T whole cell lysate: sc-45137, Caki-1 cell lysate: sc-2224 or Hep G2 whole cell lysate: sc-2227.

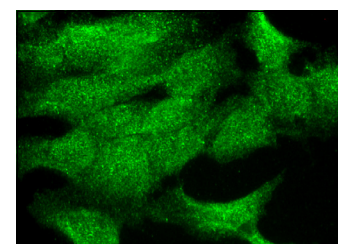
## RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz® Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein L-Agarose: sc-2336 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) Immunofluorescence: use m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz® Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz® Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

## DATA



SEC14L2 (H-4): sc-271905. Western blot analysis of SEC14L2 expression in Hep G2 (A), HEK293T (B) and Caki-1 (C) whole cell lysates.



SEC14L2 (H-4): sc-271905. Immunofluorescence staining of formalin-fixed Hep G2 cells showing cytoplasmic and nuclear localization.

## STORAGE

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

## RESEARCH USE

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

## PROTOCOLS

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