

UGT1A6 (D-20): sc-27434

BACKGROUND

Glucuronidation, an important bile acid detoxification pathway, is catalyzed by enzymes belonging to the UDP-glucuronosyltransferase (UGT) superfamily. UGT genes are classified into the UGT1A and UGT2B subfamilies. Although each subfamily and each isoform shows tissue-specific patterns of distribution, the underlying mechanisms for this tissue specificity have not been fully elucidated. The human UDP-glucuronosyltransferase 1 (UGT1) locus encodes at least ten UGT1A proteins (UGT1A1-UGT1A10) that play a prominent role in drug and xenobiotic metabolism. Research indicates that nuclear receptors such as pregnane X receptor (PXR), constitutive androstane receptor (CAR) and peroxisome proliferator-activated receptor (PPAR) can regulate UGTs, which may contribute to the tissue-specific expression pattern of UGTs. Deficiency in the expression and/or activity of UGTs may lead to genetic and acquired diseases such as Crigler-Najjar syndrome and Gilbert syndrome. Based on their ability to catalyze the glucuronidation of xenobiotics and endobiotics, UGTs play a critical role in hormonal homeostasis, energy metabolism, bilirubin clearance and xenobiotic detoxification.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Ugt1a6 (mouse) mapping to 1 D.

SOURCE

UGT1A6 (D-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of UGT1A6 of rat origin.

PRODUCT

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

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-27434 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

APPLICATIONS

UGT1A6 (D-20) is recommended for detection of UGT1A6 of mouse and rat 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) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

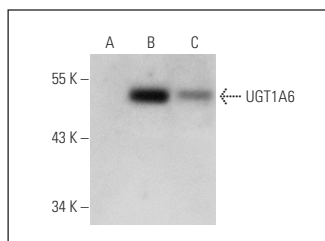
UGT1A6 (D-20) is also recommended for detection of UGT1A6 in additional species, including porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for UGT1A6 siRNA (m): sc-44884, UGT1A6 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-44884-SH and UGT1A6 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44884-V.

Molecular Weight of UGT1A6: 54 kDa.

Positive Controls: UGT1A6 (m2): 293T Lysate: sc-124448 or NBT-II whole cell lysate.

DATA



UGT1A6 (D-20): sc-27434. Western blot analysis of UGT1A6 expression in non-transfected 293T: sc-117752 (A), mouse UGT1A6 transfected 293T: sc-124448 (B) and NBT-II (C) whole cell lysates.

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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.

RESEARCH USE

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