

# MuRF1 (C-20): sc-27642

## BACKGROUND

Muscle specific RING finger protein (MuRF1) is a sarcomere-associated protein that is upregulated by conditions that provoke atrophy. Pharmacological or genetic inhibition of the IKK $\beta$ /NF $\kappa$ B/MuRF1 pathway reverses muscle atrophy, which presents MuRF1 as a target for clinical intervention. MuRF1 is a key regulator of the PKC-dependent hypertrophic response and can blunt cardiomyocyte hypertrophy, which may have important implications in the pathophysiology of clinical cardiac hypertrophy. MuRF1 directly associates with Titin kinase and influences microtubule-dependent signaling pathways in striated muscle and iris. MuRF1 upregulation is an indicator for skeletal muscle atrophy mechanisms that utilize ubiquitin-dependent proteolysis. MuRF1 transcript levels are high in situations where there is an overabundance of reactive oxygen species, such as cancer, AIDS and sepsis.

## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: TRIM63 (human) mapping to 1p36.11; Trim63 (mouse) mapping to 4 D3.

## SOURCE

MuRF1 (C-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of MuRF1 of human origin.

## PRODUCT

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

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-27642 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

## STORAGE

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

## APPLICATIONS

MuRF1 (C-20) is recommended for detection of MuRF1 of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, 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), 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).

MuRF1 (C-20) is also recommended for detection of MuRF1 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for MuRF1 siRNA (h): sc-43951, MuRF1 siRNA (m): sc-149717, MuRF1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-43951-SH, MuRF1 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-149717-SH, MuRF1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-43951-V and MuRF1 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-149717-V.

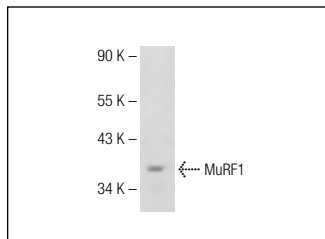
Molecular Weight of MuRF1: 40 kDa.

Positive Controls: HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200.

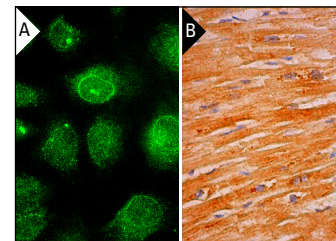
## RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS

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) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) Immunofluorescence: use donkey anti-goat IgG-FITC: sc-2024 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) or donkey anti-goat IgG-TR: sc-2783 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz™ Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

## DATA



MuRF1 (C-20): sc-27642. Western blot analysis of MuRF1 expression in HeLa whole cell lysate.



MuRF1 (C-20): sc-27642. Immunofluorescence staining of methanol-fixed HeLa cells showing nuclear localization (A). Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human heart muscle tissue showing cytoplasmic staining of myocytes (B).

## SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

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## RESEARCH USE

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

## PROTOCOLS

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