GCL (C-17): sc-27688



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BACKGROUND

Germ cell-less (GCL) represses transcription during the later stages of spermatogenesis both in Drosophila and mammalian species. GCL localizes to the nuclear envelope, where it competes with BAF to interact with emerin, a complex that is required for appropriate gene expression. Defective sperm motility as well as impaired nuclear envelope integrity in liver, pancreas and testis cells result from a lack of GCL gene expression. Thus it appears that the essential function of GCL is to facilitate normal nuclear-lamina organization, which results in normal sperm morphogenesis and chromatin remodeling.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: GMCL1 (human) mapping to 2p13.3, GMCL1P1 (human) mapping to 5q35.3.

SOURCE

GCL (C-17) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the C-terminus of GCL 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-27688 P, (100 μ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

APPLICATIONS

GCL (C-17) is recommended for detection of GCL and GMCL1L of 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).

GCL (C-17) is also recommended for detection of GCL and GMCL1L in additional species, including equine and porcine.

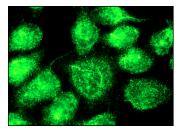
Molecular Weight of GCL: 60 kDa.

Positive Controls: Human liver extract: sc-363766 or 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) 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



GCL (C-17): sc-27688. Immunofluorescence staining of methanol-fixed HeLa 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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