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# spectrin β II (H-125): sc-28272



# BACKGROUND

Spectrin is an actin binding protein that is a major component of the cytoskeletal superstructure of the erythrocyte plasma membrane. Spectrins function as membrane organizers and stabilizers by forming dimers, tetramers and higher polymers. Spectrin  $\alpha$  I and spectrin  $\beta$  I are present in erythrocytes, whereas spectrin  $\alpha$  II (also designated fodrin  $\alpha$ ) and spectrin  $\beta$  II (also designated fodrin  $\beta$ ) are present in other somatic cells. The spectrin tetramers in erythrocytes act as barriers to lateral diffusion, but spectrin dimers seem to lack this function. Spectrin  $\beta$  II, which is involved in secretion, interacts with calmodulin in a calcium-dependent manner and is thus a candidate for the calcium-dependent movement of the cytoskeleton at the membrane. The human SPTBN1 gene encodes the nonerythroid form of  $\beta$ -spectrin.

## REFERENCES

- Speicher, D.W., 1986. The present status of erythrocyte spectrin structure: the 106-residue repetitive structure is a basic feature of an entire class of proteins. J. Cell. Biochem. 30: 245-258.
- Gardner, K. and Bennett, V. 1987. Modulation of spectrin-actin assembly by erythrocyte adducin. Nature 328: 359-362.

## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: SPTBN1 (human) mapping to 2p16.2; Spnb2 (mouse) mapping to 11 A3.3.

## SOURCE

spectrin  $\beta$  II (H-125) is a rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against amino acids 2086-2210 mapping near the C-terminus of spectrin  $\beta$  II of human origin.

## PRODUCT

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

# **APPLICATIONS**

spectrin  $\beta$  II (H-125) is recommended for detection of spectrin  $\beta$  II of mouse, rat and human 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), 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).

spectrin  $\beta$  II (H-125) is also recommended for detection of spectrin  $\beta$  II in additional species, including canine and bovine.

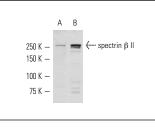
Suitable for use as control antibody for spectrin  $\beta$  II siRNA (h): sc-36551, spectrin  $\beta$  II siRNA (m): sc-36552, spectrin  $\beta$  II shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-36551-SH, spectrin  $\beta$  II shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-36552-SH, spectrin  $\beta$  II shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36551-V and spectrin  $\beta$  II shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36552-V.

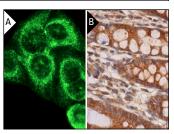
Molecular Weight of spectrin β II: 240/270 kDa.

#### **RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS**

To ensure optimal results, the following support (secondary) reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use goat anti-rabbit IgG-HRP: sc-2004 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:100,000) or Cruz Marker™ compatible goat anti-rabbit IgG-HRP: sc-2030 (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 goat anti-rabbit IgG-FITC: sc-2012 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) or goat anti-rabbit IgG-TR: sc-2780 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz™ Mounting Medium: sc-24941. 4) Immuno-histochemistry: use ImmunoCruz™: sc-2051 or ABC: sc-2018 rabbit IgG Staining Systems.

# DATA





spectrin  $\beta$  II (H-125): sc-28272. Western blot analysis of spectrin  $\beta$  II expression in rat brain tissue extract (**A**) and HeLa nuclear extract (**B**).

spectrin  $\beta$  II (H-125): sc-28272. Immunofluorescence staining of methanol-fixed HeLa cells showing cytoskeletal localization (A). Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human rectum tissue showing cytoplasmic staining of glandular cells (B).

# SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

 Tian, N., et al. 2012. Lipid raft-dependent endocytosis of close homolog of adhesion molecule L1 (CHL1) promotes neuritogenesis. J. Biol. Chem. 287: 44447-44463.

#### **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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