# Dia 2 (H-110): sc-28776



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## **BACKGROUND**

Dia 2, also known as DIAPH2 (diaphanous homolog 2), DRF2 or mDia3 of mouse origin, is a mammalian homolog of the *Drosophila* diaphanous gene, and belongs to a family of formin homology (FH) proteins which are characterized by having tandemly aligned FH1 (formin homology 1) and FH2 (formin homology 2) domains in their carboxy terminal regions. Dia 2 contains a DAD (diaphanous autoregulatory) domain, which is involved in the elongation of actin filaments, and a GBD/FH3 (Rho GTPase-binding/formin homology 3) domain, which interacts with the DAD domain via autoinhibitory interactions to regulate the activation of Dia 2. Expressed in testis and ovary, Dia 2 may be involved in oogenesis. Defects to the gene encoding Dia 2 have been implicated in premature ovarian failure type 2A, a disorder characterized by decreased ovarian function. Dia 2 exists as three alternatively spliced isoforms.

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# CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: DIAPH2 (human) mapping to Xq21.33; Diap2 (mouse) mapping to X E3.

# **SOURCE**

Dia 2 (H-110) is a rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against amino acids 23-110 mapping at the N-terminus of diaphanous 2 (Dia 2) 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**

Dia 2 (H-110) is recommended for detection of Dia 2 (also designated mDia3 of mouse origin) of human and, to a lesser extent, mouse and rat 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) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

Dia 2 (H-110) is also recommended for detection of Dia 2 (also designated mDia3 of mouse origin) in additional species, including equine and bovine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for Dia 2 siRNA (h): sc-35192, Dia 2 siRNA (m): sc-155883, Dia 2 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-35192-SH, Dia 2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-155883-SH, Dia 2 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-35192-V and Dia 2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-155883-V.

Molecular Weight of Dia 2: 134 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 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.

#### **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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