# BRF2 (H-300): sc-292469



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# **BACKGROUND**

Human cells contain two types of RNA polymerase III transcription factor (TFIIIB), BRF1 and BRF2. BRF1 functions in recruitment of RNA polymerase III to the promoter for multiple rounds of transcription. BRF1 precisely positions TFIIIB on the upstream promoter-less DNA by creating stable protein-protein interactions with TATA-binding protein (TBP), another component of TFIIIB. BRF2 is recruited to type 3 promoters such as the human U6 snRNA promoter. It differs from BRF1-TFIIIB in that it contains the TFIIB-related factor BRF2 instead of BRF1 and its three components do not form a stable complex.

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# **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: BRF2 (human) mapping to 8p11.23; Brf2 (mouse) mapping to 8 A2.

# **SOURCE**

BRF2 (H-300) is a rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against amino acids 19-318 mapping near the N-terminus of BRF2 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.

# **STORAGE**

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

#### **APPLICATIONS**

BRF2 (H-300) is recommended for detection of BRF2 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) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

BRF2 (H-300) is also recommended for detection of BRF2 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for BRF2 siRNA (h): sc-106763, BRF2 siRNA (m): sc-141744, BRF2 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-106763-SH, BRF2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-141744-SH, BRF2 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-106763-V and BRF2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-141744-V.

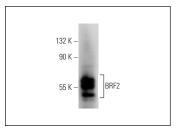
Molecular Weight of BRF2: 50 kDa.

Positive Controls: rat ovary extract: sc-2399.

# **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.

#### **DATA**



BRF2 (H-300): sc-292469. Western blot analysis of BRF2 expression in rat ovary tissue extract.

### **RESEARCH USE**

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