

FXR2 (H-48): sc-292669

BACKGROUND

Fragile X syndrome is the most frequent form of inherited mental retardation and is the result of transcriptional silencing of the FMR1 gene on the X chromosome. The FMR1 gene contains a distinct CpG dinucleotide repeat located in the 5' untranslated region of the gene, and in the fragile X syndrome this tandem repeat is substantially amplified and subjected to extensive methylation and enhanced transcriptional silencing. The FMR1 protein (or FMRP) is an RNA-binding protein that associates with polyribosomes and is a likely component of a messenger ribonuclear protein (mRNP) particle. It contains several features that are characteristics of RNA-binding proteins, including two hnRNPK homology (KH) domains and an RGG amino acid motif (RGG box). FMR1 can also interact with two fragile X syndrome related factors, FXR1 and FXR2, and these proteins form heterodimers through their N-terminal coiled domains. FMR1 localizes to both the nucleus and the cytoplasm, and since it contains both a nuclear localization signal and a nuclear export signal it is also implicated in the nucleocytoplasmic transport of mRNAs.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: FXR2 (human) mapping to 17p13.1; Fxr2h (mouse) mapping to 11 B3.

SOURCE

FXR2 (H-48) is a rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against amino acids 626-673 mapping at the C-terminus of FXR2 of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 µg IgG 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

FXR2 (H-48) is recommended for detection of FXR2 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) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

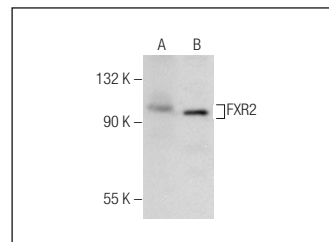
FXR2 (H-48) is also recommended for detection of FXR2 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for FXR2 siRNA (h): sc-37895, FXR2 siRNA (m): sc-37896, FXR2 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-37895-SH, FXR2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-37896-SH, FXR2 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-37895-V and FXR2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-37896-V.

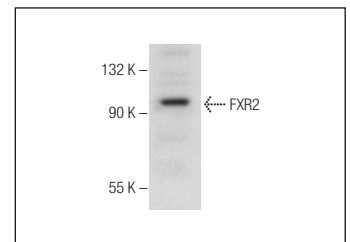
Molecular Weight of FXR2: 90 kDa.

Positive Controls: PC-3 cell lysate: sc-2220, IMR-32 cell lysate: sc-2409 or PC-12 cell lysate: sc-2250.

DATA



FXR2 (H-48): sc-292669. Western blot analysis of FXR2 expression in PC-12 (A) and IMR-32 (B) whole cell lysates.



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RESEARCH USE

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PROTOCOLS

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