PCDHA7/9 (M-40): sc-292689



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BACKGROUND

Protocadherins are a large family of cadherin-like cell adhesion proteins that are involved in the establishment and maintenance of neuronal connections in the brain. There are three protocadherin (PCDH) gene clusters, designated $\alpha,\,\beta$ and $\gamma,$ all of which contain multiple tandemly arranged genes. The protein products of PCDH- α genes interact with Integrin $\beta 1$ to promote cell adhesion and form oligomers with PCDH- γ proteins at specific membrane sites. PCDHA7 (protocadherin α -7) is a 937 amino acid single-pass transmembrane protein that contains 6 cadherin domains and functions as a potential calcium-dependent cell-adhesion protein, possibly playing a role in the creation and maintenance of neuronal connections. There are two isoforms of PCDHA7 that are produced as a result of alternative splicing events.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Pcdha7 (mouse) mapping to 18 B2, Pcdha9 (mouse) mapping to 18 B3.

SOURCE

PCDHA7/9 (M-40) is a rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against amino acids 301-340 mapping within an internal region of PCDHA7 of mouse origin.

RESEARCH USE

For research use only, not for use in diagnostic procedures.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 μg lgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with <0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

APPLICATIONS

PCDHA7/9 (M-40) is recommended for detection of PCDHA7 and PCDHA9 of mouse and rat origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 μ g per 100-500 μ 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).

Molecular Weight of PCDHA7/9: 101 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.

STORAGE

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

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