

# PDE5A (K-20): sc-30459

## BACKGROUND

Phosphodiesterases (PDE, also designated cyclic nucleotide phosphodiesterase) are important for the downregulation of the intracellular level of the second messenger cyclic adenosine monophosphate (cAMP) by hydrolyzing cAMP to 5'AMP. The PDE family contains proteins that serve tissue-specific roles in the regulation of lipolysis, glycogenolysis, myocardial contractility and smooth muscle relaxation. PDE5A, also designated cGMP-binding cGMP-specific phosphodiesterase or CGB-PDE, regulates the intracellular concentration of cyclic nucleotides and thereby is important in signal transduction. PDE5A catalyzes the hydrolysis of cGMP to 5'GMP and the protein is expressed in heart, placenta, aortic smooth muscle cells, skeletal muscle and pancreas.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: PDE5A (human) mapping to 4q26; Pde5a (mouse) mapping to 3 G1.

## SOURCE

PDE5A (K-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the N-terminus of PDE5A 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.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-30459 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

## 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.

## APPLICATIONS

PDE5A (K-20) is recommended for detection of PDE5A of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), 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).

PDE5A (K-20) is also recommended for detection of PDE5A in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for PDE5A siRNA (h): sc-44918, PDE5A siRNA (m): sc-44919, PDE5A shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-44918-SH, PDE5A shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-44919-SH, PDE5A shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44918-V and PDE5A shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44919-V.

Molecular Weight of PDE5A: 95 kDa.

Positive Controls: Rat lung extract: sc-2396.

## RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support (secondary) reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2020 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:100,000) or Cruz Marker™ compatible donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2033 (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) Immunofluorescence: use donkey anti-goat IgG-FITC: sc-2024 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) or donkey anti-goat IgG-TR: sc-2783 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz™ Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

## PROTOCOLS

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