

# TIRAP (H-20): sc-31308

## BACKGROUND

Mammalian toll-like receptors (TLRs) recognize conserved products of microbial metabolism and activate NFκB and other signaling pathways through the adapter protein MyD88. MyD88 functions as an adapter protein in the association of IL-1 receptor associated kinase (IRAK) with the IL-1 receptor. MyD88 contains a characteristic N-terminal death domain, which is essential for NFκB activation, and an adjacent Toll/IL-1R homology domain (TIR domain), which is responsible for signal transduction. TIR domain-containing adapter protein (TIRAP), also designated MAL (MyD88 adapter-like), MyD88 or TLR-4 adaptor protein, is a cytoplasmic TIR-domain-containing protein that activates NFκB, Jun N-terminal kinase and extracellular signal-regulated kinase-1 and -2. TIRAP forms homodimers and heterodimers with MyD88. IRAK-2, but not IRAK-1, is required for the activation of NFκB by TIRAP which associates with IRAK-2 through the TIR domain. In addition, TIRAP associates with TLR-4, suggesting that it plays a role in TLR-4 signal transduction.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: TIRAP (human) mapping to 11q24.2; Tirap (mouse) mapping to 9 A4.

## SOURCE

TIRAP (H-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of TIRAP 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-31308 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.

## APPLICATIONS

TIRAP (H-20) is recommended for detection of TIRAP 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).

TIRAP (H-20) is also recommended for detection of TIRAP in additional species, including canine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for TIRAP siRNA (h): sc-42932, TIRAP siRNA (m): sc-44740, TIRAP shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-42932-SH, TIRAP shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-44740-SH, TIRAP shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-42932-V and TIRAP shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44740-V.

Molecular Weight of TIRAP: 36 kDa.

Positive Controls: ES-2 cell lysate: sc-24674 or Caki-1 cell lysate: sc-2224.

## 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.

## RESEARCH USE

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

## PROTOCOLS

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