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# PLC β2 (W-20): sc-31757



## BACKGROUND

Phosphoinositide-specific phospholipase C (PLC) plays a crucial role in the initiation of receptor mediated signal transduction through the generation of the two second messengers, inositol 1,4,5-triphosphate and diacylglycerol from phosphatidylinositol 4,5-bisphosphate. There are many mammalian PLC isozymes, including PLC  $\beta$ 1, PLC  $\beta$ 2, PLC  $\beta$ 3, PLC  $\beta$ 4, PLC  $\gamma$ 1, PLC  $\gamma$ 2, PLC  $\delta$ 1, PLC  $\delta$ 2 and PLC  $\epsilon$ ). PLC  $\beta$ s are the only PLC isforms that are regulated by G protein subunits and are activated by a heterotrimeric GTP-binding protein linked to various cell surface receptors. Two alternatively spliced forms (1,181 and 1,166 amino acids) of PLC  $\beta$ 2 are generated in hematopoietic cells that differ in the carboxyl-terminal sequence implicated in interaction of PLC  $\beta$  enzymes with G $\alpha$ q.The pleckstrin homology domain of PLC  $\beta$ 2 is required for its targeting to the membrane and for substrate hydrolysis and its linker region exerts an inhibitory efect on basal PLC  $\beta$ 2 activity. PLC  $\beta$ 2 plays a major role in platelet activation and is mainly expressed in the periphery of the islet and acinar cells in rat pancreas.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: PLCB2 (human) mapping to 15q15.1; Plcb2 (mouse) mapping to 2 E5.

### SOURCE

PLC  $\beta$ 2 (W-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the N-terminus of PLC  $\beta$ 2 of human origin.

## PRODUCT

Each vial contains 100  $\mu g$  lgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-31757 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

# **RESEARCH USE**

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

## APPLICATIONS

PLC β2 (W-20) is recommended for detection of PLC β2 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), immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

PLC  $\beta$ 2 (W-20) is also recommended for detection of PLC  $\beta$ 2 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for PLC  $\beta$ 2 siRNA (h): sc-36270, PLC  $\beta$ 2 siRNA (m): sc-36271, PLC  $\beta$ 2 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-36270-SH, PLC  $\beta$ 2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-36271-SH, PLC  $\beta$ 2 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36270-V and PLC  $\beta$ 2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36271-V.

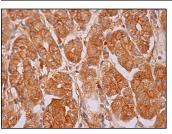
Molecular Weight of PLC <sub>β2</sub>: 140 kDa.

Positive Controls: RAW 264.7 whole cell lysate: sc-2211, HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200 or Ramos cell lysate: sc-2216.

## **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) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) 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.

## DATA



PLC β2 (W-20): sc-31757. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human lower stomach tissue showing cytoplasmic and membrane staining of glandular cells.

## **STORAGE**

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

#### PROTOCOLS

See our web site at www.scbt.com or our catalog for detailed protocols and support products.