

PLC β 4 (K-16): sc-31764

BACKGROUND

Phosphoinositide-specific phospholipase C (PLC) plays a critical 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. A total of eight mammalian PLC isozymes have been described (PLC β 1, PLC β 2, PLC β 3, PLC β 4, PLC γ 1, PLC γ 2, PLC δ 1 and PLC δ 2). The γ -type enzymes are unique in that they contain SH2 and SH3 domains. Moreover, the two γ -type enzymes, but not the β and δ isozymes, are subject to activation by a number of protein tyrosine kinases which associate with their SH2 domains and induce their activation by phosphorylation. In contrast, activation of PLC β 1, PLC β 2 and PLC β 3 is mediated by the α subunits of the G_q class of heterotrimeric G proteins and by certain $\beta\gamma$ G protein subunits. The regulatory mechanisms for PLC δ 1 and PLC δ 2 are not yet resolved.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: PLCB4 (human) mapping to 20p12.3; Plcb4 (mouse) mapping to 2 F3.

SOURCE

PLC β 4 (K-16) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of PLC β 4 of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 μ g IgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-31764 P, (100 μ g 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.

PROTOCOLS

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

APPLICATIONS

PLC β 4 (K-16) is recommended for detection of PLC β 4 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).

PLC β 4 (K-16) is also recommended for detection of PLC β 4 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine, porcine and avian.

Suitable for use as control antibody for PLC β 4 siRNA (h): sc-36274, PLC β 4 siRNA (m): sc-36275, PLC β 4 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-36274-SH, PLC β 4 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-36275-SH, PLC β 4 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36274-V and PLC β 4 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36275-V.

Molecular Weight of PLC β 4: 145 kDa.

Positive Controls: Rat cerebellum extract: sc-2398, ES-2 cell lysate: sc-24674 or mouse cerebellum extract: sc-2403.

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.



Try **PLC β 4 (A-8): sc-166131** or **PLC β 4 (E-1): sc-166132**, our highly recommended monoclonal alternatives to PLC β 4 (K-16).