

# L-type Ca<sup>++</sup> CP β1 (N-16): sc-32077

## BACKGROUND

Voltage-dependent Ca<sup>2+</sup> channels mediate Ca<sup>2+</sup> entry into excitable cells in response to membrane depolarization, and they are involved in a variety of Ca<sup>2+</sup>-dependent processes, including muscle contraction, hormone or neurotransmitter release and gene expression. Calcium channels are highly diverse, multimeric complexes composed of an α-1 subunit, an intracellular β-subunit, a disulfide linked α-2/δ subunit and a transmembrane γ-subunit. Ca<sup>2+</sup> currents are characterized on the basis of their biophysical and pharmacologic properties and include L-, N-, T-, P-, Q-, and R- types. L-type Ca<sup>+</sup> currents initiate muscle contraction, endocrine secretion, and gene transcription, and can be regulated through second-messenger activated protein phosphorylation pathways. L-type calcium channels may form macromolecular signaling complexes with G protein-coupled receptors, thereby enhancing the selectivity of regulating specific targets.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: CACNB1 (human) mapping to 17q12; Cacnb1 (mouse) mapping to 11 D.

## SOURCE

L-type Ca<sup>++</sup> CP β1 (N-16) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the N-terminus of L-type Ca<sup>++</sup> CP β1 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-32077 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

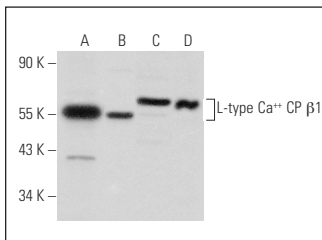
L-type Ca<sup>++</sup> CP β1 (N-16) is recommended for detection of L-type calcium channel β1 isoforms a, b and c of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 μg per 100-500 μg of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)], 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).

L-type Ca<sup>++</sup> CP β1 (N-16) is also recommended for detection of L-type calcium channel β1 isoforms a, b and c in additional species, including equine, bovine and porcine.

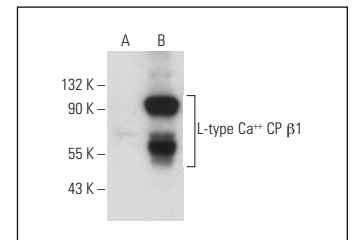
Suitable for use as control antibody for L-type Ca<sup>++</sup> CP β1 siRNA (h): sc-42694, L-type Ca<sup>++</sup> CP β1 siRNA (m): sc-42695, L-type Ca<sup>++</sup> CP β1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-42694-SH, L-type Ca<sup>++</sup> CP β1 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-42695-SH, L-type Ca<sup>++</sup> CP β1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-42694-V and L-type Ca<sup>++</sup> CP β1 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-42695-V.

Positive Controls: L-type Ca<sup>++</sup> CP β1 (h): 293T Lysate: sc-176607, Raji whole cell lysate: sc-364236 or mouse brain extract: sc-2253.

## DATA



L-type Ca<sup>++</sup> CP β1 (N-16): sc-32077. Western blot analysis of L-type Ca<sup>++</sup> CP β1 expression in mouse brain tissue extract (A) and Jurkat (B), Raji (C) and IMR-32 (D) whole cell lysates.



L-type Ca<sup>++</sup> CP β1 (N-16): sc-32077. Western blot analysis of L-type Ca<sup>++</sup> CP β1 expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A) and human L-type Ca<sup>++</sup> CP β1 transfected: sc-176607 (B) 293T whole cell lysates.

## PROTOCOLS

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