

FAM7A1 (C-15): sc-323842

BACKGROUND

Encoding more than 700 genes, chromosome 15 is made up of approximately 106 million base pairs and is about 3% of the human genome. Angelman and Prader-Willi syndromes are associated with loss of function or deletion of genes in the 15q11-q13 region. In the case of Angelman syndrome, this loss is due to inactivity of the maternal 15q11-q13 encoded UBE3A gene in the brain by either chromosomal deletion or mutation. In cases of Prader-Willi syndrome, there is a partial or complete deletion of this region from the paternal copy of chromosome 15. Tay-Sachs disease is a lethal disorder associated with mutations of the HEXA gene, which is encoded by chromosome 15. Marfan syndrome is associated with chromosome 15 through the FBN1 gene. The FAM7A1 gene product has been provisionally designated FAM7A1 pending further characterization.

REFERENCES

1. Cachón-González, M.B., Wang, S.Z., Lynch, A., Ziegler, R., Cheng, S.H. and Cox, T.M. 2006. Effective gene therapy in an authentic model of Tay-Sachs-related diseases. *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 103: 10373-10378.
2. Zody, M.C., Garber, M., Sharpe, T., Young, S.K., Rowen, L., O'Neill, K., Whittaker, C.A., Kamal, M., Chang, J.L., Cuomo, C.A., Dewar, K., Fitzgerald, M.G., Kodira, C.D., Madan, A., Qin, S., Yang, X., Abbasi, N., et al. 2006. Analysis of the DNA sequence and duplication history of human chromosome 15. *Nature* 440: 671-675.
3. Diene, G., Postel-Vinay, A., Pinto, G., Polak, M. and Tauber, M. 2007. The Prader-Willi syndrome. *Ann. Endocrinol.* 68: 129-137.
4. Lalonde, M. and Calciano, M.A. 2007. Molecular epigenetics of Angelman syndrome. *Cell. Mol. Life Sci.* 64: 947-960.
5. Maegawa, G.H., Tropak, M., Buttner, J., Stockley, T., Kok, F., Clarke, J.T. and Mahuran, D.J. 2007. Pyrimethamine as a potential pharmacological chaperone for late-onset forms of GM2 gangliosidosis. *J. Biol. Chem.* 282: 9150-9161.
6. Makoff, A.J. and Flomen, R.H. 2007. Detailed analysis of 15q11-q14 sequence corrects errors and gaps in the public access sequence to fully reveal large segmental duplications at breakpoints for Prader-Willi, Angelman, and inv dup syndromes. *Genome Biol.* 8: R114.
7. Ramirez, F. and Dietz, H.C. 2007. Fibrillin-rich microfibrils: Structural determinants of morphogenetic and homeostatic events. *J. Cell. Physiol.* 213: 326-330.
8. ten Dijke, P. and Arthur, H.M. 2007. Extracellular control of TGF β signalling in vascular development and disease. *Nat. Rev. Mol. Cell Biol.* 8: 857-869.

CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: ULK4P1 (human) mapping to 15q13.3.

SOURCE

FAM7A1 (C-15) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of FAM7A1 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-323842 P, (100 μ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

APPLICATIONS

FAM7A1 (C-15) is recommended for detection of FAM7A1 of 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); non cross-reactive with FAM7A2, FAM7A3 or FAM7A4.

Suitable for use as control antibody for FAM7A1 siRNA (h): sc-90041, FAM7A1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-90041-SH and FAM7A1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-90041-V.

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.

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.

PROTOCOLS

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