

Dermcidin (G-81): sc-33656

BACKGROUND

Antimicrobial peptides participate in the innate response, which may provide a barrier for protection against infection. The Dermcidin gene encodes an antimicrobial peptide DCD-1, which is constitutively expressed in sweat glands, secreted into the sweat, and transported to the epidermal surface. DCD-1 displays antimicrobial activity in response to a variety of pathogenic microorganisms. Overexpression of Dermcidin in breast cancers promotes cell growth and survival, and is coupled with a focal copy number gain of its locus on human chromosome 12q13.2.

CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: DCD (human) mapping to 12q13.2.

SOURCE

Dermcidin (G-81) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against human Dermcidin chromatographically purified from sweat of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 µg IgM kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

APPLICATIONS

Dermcidin (G-81) is recommended for detection of Dermcidin precursor and DCD-1 active peptide of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, 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 immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500).

Suitable for use as control antibody for Dermcidin siRNA (h): sc-105288, Dermcidin shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-105288-SH and Dermcidin shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-105288-V.

RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-IgGκ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgGκ BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker[™] Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz[®] Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein L-Agarose: sc-2336 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) Immunofluorescence: use m-IgGκ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgGκ BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz[®] Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz[®] Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850. 4) Immunohistochemistry: use m-IgGκ BP-HRP: sc-516102 with DAB, 50X: sc-24982 and Immunohisto-mount: sc-45086, or Organo/Limonene Mount: sc-45087.

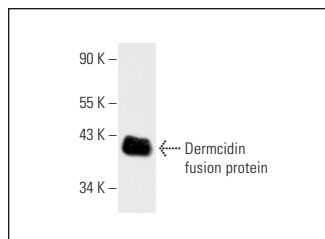
STORAGE

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

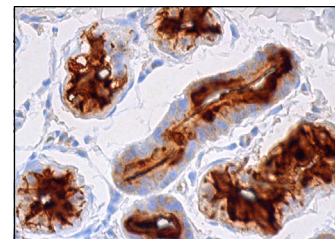
RESEARCH USE

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

DATA



Dermcidin (G-81): sc-33656. Western blot analysis of human recombinant Dermcidin fusion protein.



Dermcidin (G-81): sc-33656. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human skin tissue showing cytoplasmic staining of eccrine sweat gland cells.

SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

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PROTOCOLS

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