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# GFAP (2E1): sc-33673



#### BACKGROUND

Glial fibrillary acidic protein, or GFAP, is an intermediate filament (IF) protein belonging to the type III subclass of IF proteins. Like other IF proteins, GFAP is composed of an amino terminal head domain, central rod domain and a carboxy terminal tail domain. GFAP is specifically found in astroglia, a cell type which is highly responsive to neurologic insults. Astrogliosis is found to be a result of mechanical trauma, AIDS dementia, prion infection and inflammatory demylination diseases, and is accompanied by an increase in GFAP expression. GFAP is an immunohistochemical marker for localizing benign astrocyte and neoplastic cells of glial origin in the central nervous system.

#### **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: GFAP (human) mapping to 17q21.31; Gfap (mouse) mapping to 11 E1.

#### SOURCE

GFAP (2E1) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against spinal chord homogenate of bovine origin.

### PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200  $\mu$ g IgG<sub>2b</sub> kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

GFAP (2E1) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-33673 AC), 500 μg/0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; to HRP (sc-33673 HRP), 200 μg/ml, for WB, IHC(P) and ELISA; to either phycoerythrin (sc-33673 PE), fluorescein (sc-33673 FITC), Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 488 (sc-33673 AF488), Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 546 (sc-33673 AF546), Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 594 (sc-33673 AF594) or Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 647 (sc-33673 AF647), 200 μg/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM; and to either Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 680 (sc-33673 AF680) or Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 790 (sc-33673 AF790), 200 μg/ml, for Near-Infrared (NIR) WB, IF and FCM.

#### **APPLICATIONS**

GFAP (2E1) is recommended for detection of GFAP of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, dilution range ), immuno-precipitation [1-2  $\mu$ g per 100-500  $\mu$ g 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).

GFAP (2E1) is also recommended for detection of GFAP in additional species, including bovine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for GFAP siRNA (h): sc-29332, GFAP siRNA (m): sc-35466, GFAP siRNA (r): sc-155993, GFAP shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-29332-SH, GFAP shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-35466-SH, GFAP shRNA Plasmid (r): sc-155993-SH, GFAP shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29332-V, GFAP shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-35466-V and GFAP shRNA (r) Lentiviral Particles: sc-155993-V.

Molecular Weight of GFAP: 50 kDa.

Positive Controls: SK-N-SH cell lysate: sc-2410, U-87 MG cell lysate: sc-2411 or U-251-MG whole cell lysate: sc-364176.

#### STORAGE

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

## DATA





GFAP (2E1): sc-33673. Western blot analysis of GFAP expression in C6 (A), U-87 MG (B), SK-N-SH (C) and U-251-MG (D) whole cell lysates. Detection reagent used: m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP: sc-516102.

GFAP (2E1): sc-33673. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human brain showing staining of astrocytes (A). Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human cerebral cortex tissue showing cytoplasmic staining of astrocytes and neuropil staining (B).

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### **RESEARCH USE**

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

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