# CCS (C-14): sc-34167



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### **BACKGROUND**

Cu-Zn superoxide dismutase-1 (SOD-1) is a well characterized cytosolic scavenger of oxygen free radicals that requires copper and zinc binding to potentiate its enzymatic activity. Copper chaperone for SOD-1 (CCS) is essential for the incorporation of copper into SOD-1, and therefore is necessary for its enzymatic activity. CCS prevents copper ions from binding to intracellular copper scavengers and provides the SOD-1 enzyme with the necessary copper cofactor. CCS escorts copper only to SOD-1 and fails to deliver copper to proteins in the mitochondria, nucleus or secretory pathway. CCS interacts with both wild-type and mutated forms of SOD-1 through CCS domains that are homologous in SOD-1. CCS exists as a homodimer that may form a heterodimer with SOD-1 during copper loading. While many tissues express CCS, the chaperone is most abundant in the kidney, liver and Purkinje cells in the neurophil of the central nervous system.

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### CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: CCS (human) mapping to 11q13.2; Ccs (mouse) mapping to 19 A.

#### SOURCE

CCS (C-14) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the C-terminus of CCS of human origin.

## **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g$  lgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-34167 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

### **APPLICATIONS**

CCS (C-14) is recommended for detection of CCS 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).

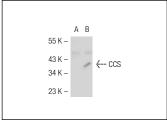
CCS (C-14) is also recommended for detection of CCS in additional species, including porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for CCS siRNA (h): sc-29956, CCS siRNA (m): sc-29957, CCS shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-29956-SH, CCS shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-29957-SH, CCS shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29956-V and CCS shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29957-V.

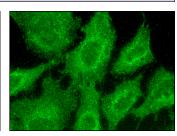
Molecular Weight of CCS: 35 kDa.

Positive Controls: CCS (m): 293T Lysate: sc-119087, HL-60 whole cell lysate: sc-2209 or Hep G2 cell lysate: sc-2227.

### **DATA**



CCS (C-14): sc-34167. Western blot analysis of CCS expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (**A**) and mouse CCS transfected: sc-119087 (**B**) 293T whole



CCS (C-14): sc-34167. Immunofluorescence staining of formalin-fixed HepG2 cells showing cytoplasmic and nuclear localization.

#### **STORAGE**

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

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