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ChM-1 (K-20): sc-34275

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BACKGROUND

ChM-1 is a cartilage-specific matrix glycoprotein that stimulates the growth of chondrocytes. ChM-1 inhibits angiogenesis by disrupting the tube formation of endothelial cells and thus is responsible for the avascular nature of cartilage. ChM-1 is strongly expressed by the proliferating and hypertrophic zones in the epiphyseal plate of long bones. ChM-1 accumulates in the interterritorial matrix around the lacunae. During development, downregulation of ChM-1 permits angiogenesis and ultimately bone formation on the cartilage template. ChM-1 expression is downregulated in the presence of several growth factors including TGFβ2, FGF2 and PTHLH. ChM-1 expression may also play a role in the hypovascularity and chondroid formation of pleomorphic adenomas. The gene encoding human ChM-1 maps to chromosome 13q14.3.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: LECT1 (human) mapping to 13q14.3.

RESEARCH USE

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

SOURCE

ChM-1 (K-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of ChM-1 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-34275 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

APPLICATIONS

ChM-1 (K-20) is recommended for detection of ChM-1 of 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).

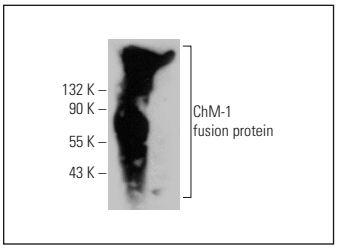
Suitable for use as control antibody for ChM-1 siRNA (h): sc-43279, ChM-1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-43279-SH and ChM-1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-43279-V.

Molecular Weight of ChM-1 precursor: 37 kDa.

Molecular Weight of secreted ChM-1: 25 kDa.

Positive Controls: U-2 OS cell lysate: sc-2295.

DATA



ChM-1 (K-20): sc-34275. Western blot analysis of human recombinant ChM-1 fusion protein.

STORAGE

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