

DcpS (C-20): sc-34355

BACKGROUND

Eukaryotic cells primarily utilize exoribonucleases and decapping enzymes to degrade their mRNA. DcpS is a scavenger pyrophosphatase that hydrolyzes the residual cap structure following 3' to 5' decay of an mRNA. Following mRNA degradation DcpS releases N-7 methyl guanosine monophosphate and 5'-diphosphate terminated cap or mRNA products. The central histidine within the DcpS HIT motif is critical for decapping activity and defines the HIT motif as a new mRNA decapping domain, making DcpS the first member of the HIT family of proteins with a defined biological function. HIT proteins are homodimeric and contain two conserved 100-amino-acid HIT fold domains with independent active sites that are each sufficient to bind and hydrolyze cognate substrates.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: DCPS (human) mapping to 11q24.2; dcps (mouse) mapping to 9 A4.

SOURCE

DcpS (C-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of DcpS 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-34355 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

STORAGE

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

PROTOCOLS

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

APPLICATIONS

DcpS (C-20) is recommended for detection of DcpS 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).

DcpS (C-20) is also recommended for detection of DcpS in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for DcpS siRNA (h): sc-44389, DcpS siRNA (m): sc-44390, DcpS shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-44389-SH, DcpS shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-44390-SH, DcpS shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44389-V and DcpS shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44390-V.

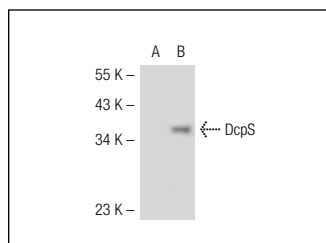
Molecular Weight of 40 kDa.

Positive Controls: DcpS (m): 293T Lysate: sc-119688, HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200 or HeLa nuclear extract: sc-2120.

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) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) 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.

DATA



DcpS (C-20): sc-34355. Western blot analysis of DcpS expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A) and mouse DcpS transfected: sc-119688 (B) 293T whole cell lysates.

RESEARCH USE

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