# plexin-B2 (P-16): sc-34507



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## **BACKGROUND**

Plexins are a family of large, transmembrane receptors for multiple classes of semaphorins in vertebrates. They are widely expressed, and regions of their extracellular domain are homologus to both scatter factor receptors and semaphorin domains. Plexins may act as semaphorin receptors alone or in combination with neuropilins. Plexins are divided into four subfamilies designated plexin-A, -B, -C, and -D. plexin-B1 and -B2 are both receptors for Sema4D, which stimulates axonal outgrowth of embryonic dorsal root ganglion neurons. plexin-B3 binds to Sema5A, which controls axon guidance and can initiate the intracellular signaling of the hepatocyte growth factor/ scatter factor receptor Met.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: PLXNB2 (human) mapping to 22q13.33; Plxnb2 (mouse) mapping to 15 E3.

## SOURCE

plexin-B2 (P-16) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an extracellular domain of plexin-B2 of human origin.

## **STORAGE**

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

#### **PRODUCT**

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

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-34507 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

## **APPLICATIONS**

plexin-B2 (P-16) is recommended for detection of plexin-B2 precursor and mature of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), 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).

plexin-B2 (P-16) is also recommended for detection of plexin-B2 precursor and mature in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and avian.

Suitable for use as control antibody for plexin-B2 siRNA (h): sc-45422, plexin-B2 siRNA (m): sc-45423, plexin-B2 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-45422-SH, plexin-B2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-45423-SH, plexin-B2 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-45422-V and plexin-B2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-45423-V.

Molecular Weight of plexin-B2 precursor: 240 kDa.

Molecular Weight of plexin-B2 extracellular  $\alpha$  subunit: 170 kDa.

Molecular Weight of plexin-B2 transmembrane  $\beta$  subunit: 80 kDa.

## **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) 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.

## **RESEARCH USE**

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

## **PROTOCOLS**

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