## BACKGROUND

Structurally, C-C or $\beta$-chemokines are characterized by a set of conserved, adjacent cysteines. Members of this family include MCP-1, MCP-2, MCP-3, MIP-1 $\alpha, \mathrm{MIP}-1 \beta$, RANTES and I-309. RANTES (regulated upon activation, normal T cell expressed and secreted) is expressed by platelets, eosinophils, fibroblasts, macrophages, endothelial cells and T lymphocytes. Consistent with its belonging to the chemokine family, RANTES exhibits strong chemoattractant activity towards monocytes and NK cells. I-309 was initially identified as a factor present in $\gamma / \delta$ T lymphocytes. I-309 cDNA encodes a protein 73 amino acids in length with one potential N -linked glycosylation site. Unlike the other members of the C-C family, I-309 does not induce chemotaxis in natural killer (NK) cells.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: CCL5 (human) mapping to 17q12; Ccl5 (mouse) mapping to 11 C.

## SOURCE

RANTES (E-14) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of RANTES of human origin.

## PRODUCT

Each vial contains $200 \mu \mathrm{glgG}$ in 1.0 ml of PBS with $<0.1 \%$ sodium azide and $0.1 \%$ gelatin.
Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-34840 P, (100 $\mu \mathrm{g}$ peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing $<0.1 \%$ sodium azide and $0.2 \%$ BSA).

## APPLICATIONS

RANTES (E-14) is recommended for detection of RANTES of human and, to a lesser extent, $m$ and $r$ origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 $\mu \mathrm{g}$ per 100-500 $\mu \mathrm{g}$ 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 RANTES siRNA (h): sc-44066, RANTES siRNA (m): sc-45573, RANTES shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-44066-SH, RANTES shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-45573-SH, RANTES shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44066-V and RANTES shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-45573-V.
Molecular Weight of RANTES: 8 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 MarkerTM 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 ${ }^{\text {™ }}$ Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

## DATA



RANTES (E-14): sc-34840. Western blot analysis of human recombinant RANTES fusion protein.

## STORAGE

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

## RESEARCH USE

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

## PROTOCOLS

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