

## E-FABP (D-12): sc-373788

### BACKGROUND

Fatty acid-binding proteins, designated FABPs, are a family of homologous, 14-15 kDa cytoplasmic proteins that are expressed in a highly tissue-specific manner and play an integral role in the balance between lipid and carbohydrate metabolism. FABPs mediate fatty acid (FA) and/or hydrophobic ligand uptake, transport, and targeting within their respective tissues. The mechanisms underlying these actions can give rise to both passive diffusional uptake and protein-mediated transmembrane transport of FAs. FABPs are expressed in adipocytes (A-FABP), brain (B-FABP), epithelium (E-FABP, psoriasis-associated FABP, PA-FABP), striated muscle and heart (H-FABP, mammary-derived growth inhibitor or MDGI), intestine (I-FABP), liver (L-FABP), myelin (M-FABP), and testis (T-FABP). Epithelial fatty acid-binding protein (E-FABP) binds stearic acid and may play a role in keratinocyte differentiation. E-FABP is upregulated in rat dorsal root ganglia after sciatic nerve crush and in differentiating neurons during development.

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### CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: FABP5 (human) mapping to 8q21.13.

### SOURCE

E-FABP (D-12) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 75-109 within an internal region of E-FABP of human origin.

### PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 µg IgG<sub>1</sub> kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-373788 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% stabilizer protein).

### APPLICATIONS

E-FABP (D-12) is recommended for detection of E-FABP of human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, 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).

E-FABP (D-12) is also recommended for detection of E-FABP in additional species, including equine, canine and bovine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for E-FABP siRNA (h): sc-41237, E-FABP shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-41237-SH and E-FABP shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-41237-V.

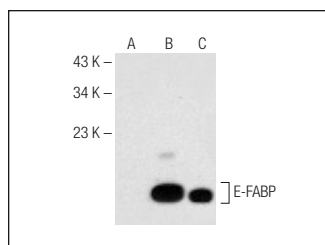
Molecular Weight of E-FABP: 15 kDa.

Positive Controls: E-FABP (h): 293T Lysate: sc-113029 or HEL 92.1.7 cell lysate: sc-2270.

### RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-IgGκ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgGκ BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker<sup>™</sup> Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz<sup>®</sup> Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 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 m-IgGκ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgGκ BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz<sup>®</sup> Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz<sup>®</sup> Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

### DATA



E-FABP (D-12): sc-373788. Western blot analysis of E-FABP expression in non-transfected 293T: sc-117752 (A), human E-FABP transfected 293T: sc-113029 (B) and HEL 92.1.7 (C) whole cell lysates.

### STORAGE

Store at 4° 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.