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spectrin β II (G-10): sc-374126

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BACKGROUND

Spectrin is an Actin binding protein that is a major component of the cytoskeletal superstructure of the erythrocyte plasma membrane. Spectrins function as membrane organizers and stabilizers by forming dimers, tetramers and higher polymers. Spectrin α I and spectrin β I are present in erythrocytes, whereas spectrin α II (also designated fodrin α) and spectrin β II (also designated fodrin β) are present in other somatic cells. The spectrin tetramers in erythrocytes act as barriers to lateral diffusion, but spectrin dimers seem to lack this function. Spectrin β II, which is involved in secretion, interacts with calmodulin in a calcium-dependent manner and is thus a candidate for the calcium-dependent movement of the cytoskeleton at the membrane. The human SPTBN1 gene encodes the nonerythroid form of β-spectrin.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: SPTBN1 (human) mapping to 2p16.2; Sptbn1 (mouse) mapping to 11 A3.3.

SOURCE

spectrin β II (G-10) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 2229-2261 near the C-terminus of spectrin β II of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 µg IgG_1 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-374126 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% stabilizer protein).

APPLICATIONS

spectrin β II (G-10) is recommended for detection of spectrin β II of mouse, rat and 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).

spectrin β II (G-10) is also recommended for detection of spectrin β II in additional species, including equine, canine and bovine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for spectrin β II siRNA (h): sc-36551, spectrin β II siRNA (m2): sc-270043, spectrin β II shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-36551-SH, spectrin β II shRNA Plasmid (m2): sc-270043-SH, spectrin β II shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36551-V and spectrin β II shRNA (m2) Lentiviral Particles: sc-270043-V.

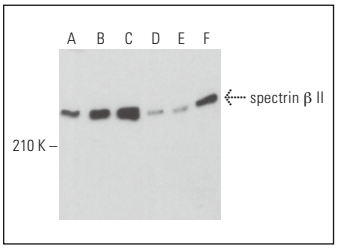
Molecular Weight of spectrin β II isoforms: 240/270 kDa.

Positive Controls: A549 cell lysate: sc-2413, Caco-2 cell lysate: sc-2262 or HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200.

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™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz® 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® Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz® Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

DATA



spectrin β II (G-10): sc-374126. Western blot analysis of spectrin β II expression in HeLa (**A**), A549 (**B**), Caco-2 (**C**), 3T3-L1 (**D**), KNRK (**E**) and A-10 (**F**) 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.