# CLIM-1/2 (A-6): sc-376031



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#### **BACKGROUND**

CLIM-1/2 (LIM domain-binding factor-2, LDB1,CLP36, ELFIN, CLP-36, enigma homolog) is a LIM domain-containing protein. LIM domain-containing proteins are capable of binding to a variety of transcription factors. They are likely to function as enhancers, to bring together diverse transcription factors and form higher order activation complexes, or to block formation of such complexes. Human CLIM-1 is a cytoplasmic protein. CLIM-1 northern blot analysis reveals expression of an approximately 2.0-kb transcript most abundant in heart and skeletal muscle. CLIM-1 interacts with the C-terminal EF hand region of  $\alpha$ -actinin-2 through a LIM domain. CLIM-1 localizes to actin stress fibers in non-muscle cells and associates with  $\alpha$ -actinin via its PDZ-domain.

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# **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: LDB2 (human) mapping to 4p15.32, LDB1 (human) mapping to 10q24.32; Ldb2 (mouse) mapping to 5 B3, Ldb1 (mouse) mapping to 19 C3.

## **SOURCE**

CLIM-1/2 (A-6) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 1-300 mapping at the N-terminus of CLIM-1 of human origin.

#### **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu$ g IgG<sub>2a</sub> kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin. Also available as TransCruz reagent for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications, sc-376031 X, 200  $\mu$ g/0.1 ml.

## **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 for detailed protocols and support products.

#### **APPLICATIONS**

CLIM-1/2 (A-6) is recommended for detection of CLIM-1 and CLIM-2 of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2  $\mu$ g per 100-500  $\mu$ 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).

CLIM-1/2 (A-6) is also recommended for detection of CLIM-1 and CLIM-2 in additional species, including equine and canine.

CLIM-1/2 (A-6) X TransCruz antibody is recommended for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications.

Molecular Weight of CLIM-1: 36 kDa.

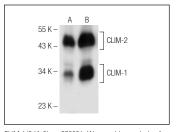
Molecular Weight of CLIM-2: 46 kDa.

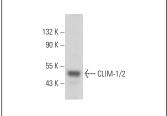
Positive Controls: CCRF-CEM cell lysate: sc-2225, IMR-32 cell lysate: sc-2409 or HeLa nuclear extract: sc-2120.

## **RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS**

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-lgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-lgG $\kappa$  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-lgG $\kappa$  BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-lgG $\kappa$  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**





CLIM-1/2 (A-6): sc-376031. Western blot analysis of CLIM-1/2 expression in HeLa nuclear extract (**A**) and CCRF-CEM whole cell lysate (**B**).

CLIM-1/2 (A-6): sc-376031. Western blot analysis of CLIM-1/2 expression in IMR-32 nuclear extract.

## **RESEARCH USE**

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