

# TTC4 (F-8): sc-377329

## BACKGROUND

The tetratricopeptide repeat (TPR) motif is a degenerate, 34 amino acid sequence found in many proteins and acts to mediate protein-protein interactions in various pathways. At the sequence level, there can be up to 16 tandem TPR repeats, each of which has a helix-turn-helix shape that stacks on other TPR repeats to achieve ligand binding specificity. TTC4 (tetratricopeptide repeat domain 4) is a 387 amino acid ubiquitously expressed nucleoplasmic protein containing three TPR repeats. TTC4 localizes to the cytoplasm, however, when paired with MSL-1, TTC4 translocates to the nucleus during the G<sub>1</sub> and S phases of the cell cycle. TTC4 interacts with HSP 90, HSP 70 and with the replication protein Cdc6 and may be associated with the progression of malignant melanoma. The gene encoding TTC4 is located on human chromosome 1, which spans about 260 million base pairs and comprises nearly 8% of the human genome.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: TTC4 (human) mapping to 1p32.3; Ttc4 (mouse) mapping to 4 C7.

## SOURCE

TTC4 (F-8) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 13-47 near the N-terminus of TTC4 of human origin.

## PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 µg IgM 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-377329 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% stabilizer protein).

## STORAGE

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

## APPLICATIONS

TTC4 (F-8) is recommended for detection of TTC4 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), immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

TTC4 (F-8) is also recommended for detection of TTC4 in additional species, including canine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for TTC4 siRNA (h): sc-88730, TTC4 siRNA (m): sc-154778, TTC4 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-88730-SH, TTC4 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-154778-SH, TTC4 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-88730-V and TTC4 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-154778-V.

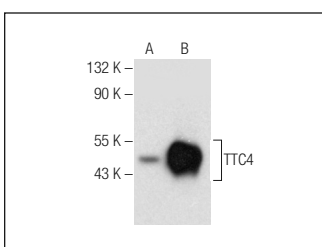
Molecular Weight of TTC4: 48 kDa.

Positive Controls: TTC4 (h): 293T Lysate: sc-110551, HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200 or A-431 whole cell lysate: sc-2201.

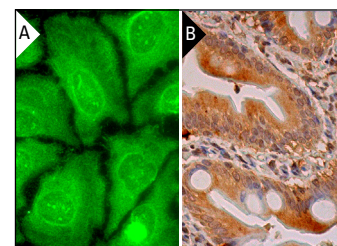
## RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

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 L-Agarose: sc-2336 (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. 4) Immunohistochemistry: use m-IgGκ BP-HRP: sc-516102 with DAB, 50X: sc-24982 and Immunohisto-mount: sc-45086, or Organo/Limonene Mount: sc-45087.

## DATA



TTC4 (F-8): sc-377329. Western blot analysis of TTC4 expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A) and human TTC4 transfected: sc-110551 (B) 293T whole cell lysates.



TTC4 (F-8): sc-377329. Immunofluorescence staining of methanol-fixed HeLa cells showing nuclear and cytoplasmic localization (A). Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human duodenum tissue showing cytoplasmic and weak nuclear staining of glandular cells (B).

## RESEARCH USE

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