

# CKR-4 (G-2): sc-377357

## BACKGROUND

C-C or  $\beta$  chemokine family members are characterized by a pair of adjacent cysteine residues and serve as potent chemoattractants and activators of monocytes and T cells. C-C chemokine receptor family members include CKR-1, CKR-2A, CKR-2B, CKR-3, CKR-4, CKR-5, CKR-6, CKR-7, CKR-8, CKR-9, CKR-10 and the Duffy blood group antigen. Each of these receptors are G protein-coupled, seven pass transmembrane domain proteins whose major physiological role is to function in the chemotaxis of T cells and phagocytic cells to areas of inflammation. However, this receptor family has also been shown to facilitate viral infection. CKR-4 (C-C chemokine receptor type 4), also known as CCR4 or CMKBR4, is a 360 amino acid multi-pass membrane protein that localizes to the cell membrane and belongs to the C-C chemokine receptor family. Expressed at high levels in peripheral blood leukocytes and thymus tissue, CKR-4 functions as a high affinity receptor for C-C type chemokines and is thought to be involved in hippocampal-neuron survival.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: CCR4 (human) mapping to 3p22.3.

## SOURCE

CKR-4 (G-2) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 313-360 of CKR-4 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.

CKR-4 (G-2) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-377357 AC), 500  $\mu$ g/0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; to HRP (sc-377357 HRP), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for WB, IHC(P) and ELISA; to either phycoerythrin (sc-377357 PE), fluorescein (sc-377357 FITC), Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 488 (sc-377357 AF488), Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 546 (sc-377357 AF546), Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 594 (sc-377357 AF594) or Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 647 (sc-377357 AF647), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM; and to either Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 680 (sc-377357 AF680) or Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 790 (sc-377357 AF790), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for Near-Infrared (NIR) WB, IF and FCM.

## APPLICATIONS

CKR-4 (G-2) is recommended for detection of CKR-4 of 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).

Suitable for use as control antibody for CKR-4 siRNA (h): sc-39886, CKR-4 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-39886-SH and CKR-4 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-39886-V.

Molecular Weight of CKR-4: 41 kDa.

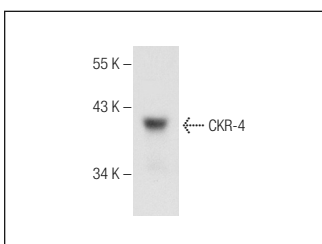
Positive Controls: human platelet extract: sc-363773.

## RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended:

- Western Blotting: use m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgG $\kappa$  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-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml).
- Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml).
- Immunofluorescence: use m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgG $\kappa$  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



CKR-4 (G-2): sc-377357. Western blot analysis of CKR-4 in human platelet extract.

## 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.

## PROTOCOLS

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