

# SAF-B (F-3): sc-393403

## BACKGROUND

Heterogeneous nuclear ribonucleoproteins (hnRNPs) constitute a set of polypeptides that contribute to pre-mRNA processing and transport. hnRNPs also bind heterogeneous nuclear RNA (hnRNA), the transcripts produced by RNA polymerase II. SAF-B (scaffold attachment factor B) is a nuclear matrix-associated protein that binds to matrix- or scaffold-associating regions (MARs or SARs) on DNA and interacts with RNA polymerase II and serine-/arginine-rich RNA processing factors (SR proteins). SAF-B, also designated HAP (hnRNP A1 associated protein) and HET (HSP 27-ERE-TATA-binding protein) is a proven hnRNP protein that has a speckled distribution in the nucleus and, in response to stress agents such as heat shock, is recruited to a few, large nuclear granules, called perichromatin granules. SAF-B also binds to the estrogen receptor (ER) and is expressed in several breast cancer cell lines at varying levels. Subsequently, SAF-B may play a role in breast cancer by mediating cellular proliferation and division.

## REFERENCES

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: SAFB (human) mapping to 19p13.3; Safb (mouse) mapping to 17 D.

## SOURCE

SAF-B (F-3) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 122-212 mapping within an internal region of SAF-B 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.

SAF-B (F-3) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-393403 AC), 500 µg/0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; to HRP (sc-393403 HRP), 200 µg/ml, for WB, IHC(P) and ELISA; to either phycoerythrin (sc-393403 PE), fluorescein (sc-393403 FITC), Alexa Fluor® 488 (sc-393403 AF488), Alexa Fluor® 546 (sc-393403 AF546), Alexa Fluor® 594 (sc-393403 AF594) or Alexa Fluor® 647 (sc-393403 AF647), 200 µg/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM; and to either Alexa Fluor® 680 (sc-393403 AF680) or Alexa Fluor® 790 (sc-393403 AF790), 200 µg/ml, for Near-Infrared (NIR) WB, IF and FCM.

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## APPLICATIONS

SAF-B (F-3) is recommended for detection of SAF-B 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).

Suitable for use as control antibody for SAF-B siRNA (h): sc-38311, SAF-B siRNA (m): sc-38312, SAF-B shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-38311-SH, SAF-B shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-38312-SH, SAF-B shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-38311-V and SAF-B shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-38312-V.

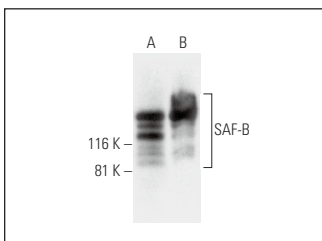
Molecular Weight of SAF-B: 150 kDa.

Positive Controls: HeLa nuclear extract: sc-2120 or MCF7 nuclear extract: sc-2149.

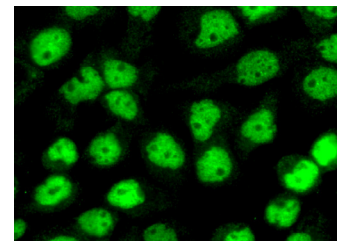
## RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

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



SAF-B (F-3): sc-393403. Western blot analysis of SAF-B expression in MCF7 (A) and HeLa (B) nuclear extracts.



SAF-B (F-3): sc-393403. Immunofluorescence staining of formalin-fixed A-431 cells showing nuclear localization.

## SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

1. Tanida, T., et al. 2021. Subcellular dynamics of estrogen-related receptors involved in transrepression through interactions with scaffold attachment factor B1. *Histochem. Cell Biol.* 156: 239-251.

## 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.