# Smad2/3 (A-3): sc-398844



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# **BACKGROUND**

Smad proteins, the mammalian homologs of the *Drosophila* mothers against decapentaplegic (Mad), have been implicated as downstream effectors of TGF $\beta$ /BMP signaling. Smad1 (also designated Madr1 or JV4-1) and Smad5 are effectors of BMP-2 and BMP-4 function, while Smad2 (also designated Madr2 or JV18-1) and Smad3 are involved in TGF $\beta$  and activin-mediated growth modulation. Smad4 (also designated DPC4) has been shown to mediate all of the above activities through interaction with various Smad family members. Smad6 and Smad7 regulate the response to Activin/TGF $\beta$  signaling by interfering with TGF $\beta$ -mediated phosphorylation of other Smad proteins.

# **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: SMAD2 (human) mapping to 18q21.1, SMAD3 (human) mapping to 15q22.33; Smad2 (mouse) mapping to 18 E3, Smad3 (mouse) mapping to 9 C.

#### **SOURCE**

Smad2/3 (A-3) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 145-164 near the N-terminus of Smad3 of human origin.

# **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu$ g IgG<sub>2b</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-398844 X, 200  $\mu$ g/0.1 ml.

Smad2/3 (A-3) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-398844 AC), 500  $\mu g/0.25$  ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; to HRP (sc-398844 HRP), 200  $\mu g/ml$ , for WB, IHC(P) and ELISA; to either phycoerythrin (sc-398844 PE), fluorescein (sc-398844 FITC), Alexa Fluor® 488 (sc-398844 AF488), Alexa Fluor® 546 (sc-398844 AF546), Alexa Fluor® 594 (sc-398844 AF594) or Alexa Fluor® 647 (sc-398844 AF647), 200  $\mu g/ml$ , for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM; and to either Alexa Fluor® 680 (sc-398844 AF680) or Alexa Fluor® 790 (sc-398844 AF790), 200  $\mu g/ml$ , for Near-Infrared (NIR) WB, IF and FCM.

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# **APPLICATIONS**

Smad2/3 (A-3) is recommended for detection of Smad2 and Smad3 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), immunohistochemistry (including paraffinembedded 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).

Suitable for use as control antibody for Smad2/3 siRNA (h): sc-37238, Smad2/3 siRNA (m): sc-37239, Smad2/3 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-37238-SH, Smad2/3 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-37239-SH, Smad2/3 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-37238-V and Smad2/3 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-37239-V.

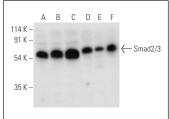
Smad2/3 (A-3) X TransCruz antibody is recommended for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications.

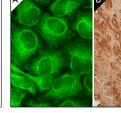
Molecular Weight of Smad2/3: 55-60 kDa.

#### **STORAGE**

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

# DATA





Smad2/3 (A-3): sc-398844. Western blot analysis of Smad2/3 expression in KNRK (A), Jurkat (B), K-562 (C), NIH/3T3 (D), C2C12 (E) and HeLa (F) whole cell lysates.

Smad2/3 (A-3): sc-398844. Immunofluorescence staining of methanol-fixed HeLa cells showing cytoplasmic localization (A). Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human esophagus tissue showing nuclear and cytoplasmic staining of squamous epithelial cells (B).

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# **RESEARCH USE**

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