



c-Rel (1-300): sc-4030

BACKGROUND

c-Rel is the cellular cognate of v-Rel, the avian reticuloendotheliosis virus strain T transforming gene. v-Rel encodes a phosphoprotein that is located in the cytoplasm of transformed spleen cells and in the nucleus of non-transformed fibroblasts, in contrast to the c-Rel protein, which is cytoplasmic. c-Rel has been shown to represent a constituent of the κ B site binding transcription factor NF κ B, which plays a crucial role in the expression of immunoglobulin κ light chain gene. In contrast to c-Rel, v-Rel is truncated in its C-terminal transactivation domain and does not appear to function as a transcriptional transactivator. It has thus been postulated that v-Rel may interfere with the normal transcription of NF κ B regulated genes and thus cause transformation by a mechanism analogous to v-ErbA, which binds to the thyroid hormone-responsive region in certain erythroid genes needed for differentiation, but cannot be activated by thyroid hormone.

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SOURCE

c-Rel (1-300) is expressed in *E. coli* as a 61 kDa tagged fusion protein corresponding to amino acids 1-300 mapping at the amino terminus of c-Rel p75 of human origin.

STORAGE

Store c-Rel (1-300): sc-4030 and sc-4030 WB at -20° C and c-Rel (1-300) AC: sc-4030 AC at 4° C; stable for one year from the date of shipment.

RESEARCH USE

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

PRODUCT

c-Rel (1-300) is purified from bacterial lysates (>98%) by glutathione agarose affinity chromatography and supplied as 50 μ g purified protein in PBS containing 5 mM DTT and 50% glycerol.

Also available in agarose conjugate form; 100 μ g purified protein conjugated to 0.1 ml agarose in PBS containing 0.1% azide, 0.1% BSA and 10% glycerol: c-Rel (1-300) AC: sc-4030 AC.

Available as a Western blotting control; supplied as 10 μ g protein in 0.1 ml SDS-PAGE loading buffer, c-Rel (1-300): sc-4030 WB.

APPLICATIONS

c-Rel (1-300): sc-4030 WB is recommended as a Western blotting control for sc-70, sc-272 and sc-6955.

The agarose conjugate (sc-4030 AC) is suitable for coprecipitation and affinity-purification of c-Rel p75 and NF κ B p65 associated proteins.

Molecular Weight of c-Rel: 75 kDa.

SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

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