

Fibulin-3 (N-16): sc-46100

BACKGROUND

Fibulin-1 is a modular glycoprotein component of elastic extracellular matrix fibers, basement membranes and blood. It can bind calcium, Fibronectin, Laminin, Nidogen and Fibrinogen. Estrogen exposure to ovarian cancer cell lines can upregulate Fibulin-1. Fibulin-2 is abundant in heart, placenta and ovarian tissue and binds several components of the extracellular matrix including aggrecan, versican and brevican. Fibulin-3, also known as EFEMP1, is a secreted protein. Defects in the gene for Fibulin-3 cause the autosomal dominant disease Doyme honeycomb retinal dystrophy (DHRD, also known as malattia leventinese) which is characterized by yellow-white deposits (drusen) that accumulate under the retinal pigment epithelium. Fibulin-3 is not present at the site of drusen formation in normal eyes. Fibulin-5 is an integrin-binding extracellular matrix protein that mediates endothelial cell adhesion.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: EFEMP1 (human) mapping to 2p16.1; Efemp1 (mouse) mapping to 11 A3.3.

SOURCE

Fibulin-3 (N-16) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the N-terminus of Fibulin-3 of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 µg IgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-46100 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

APPLICATIONS

Fibulin-3 (N-16) is recommended for detection of precursor and mature Fibulin-3 of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, 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).

Fibulin-3 (N-16) is also recommended for detection of precursor and mature Fibulin-3 in additional species, including canine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for Fibulin-3 siRNA (h): sc-44624, Fibulin-3 siRNA (m): sc-44625, Fibulin-3 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-44624-SH, Fibulin-3 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-44625-SH, Fibulin-3 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44624-V and Fibulin-3 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44625-V.

Molecular Weight of Fibulin-3: 55 kDa.

RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support (secondary) reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2020 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:100,000) or Cruz Marker™ compatible donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2033 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:5000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, TBS Blotto A Blocking Reagent: sc-2333 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 donkey anti-goat IgG-FITC: sc-2024 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) or donkey anti-goat IgG-TR: sc-2783 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz™ Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

1. Wang, R., et al. 2010. Aberrant promoter methylation of FBNL-3 gene and clinicopathological significance in non-small cell lung carcinoma. *Lung Cancer* 69: 239-244.

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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