

# CRTAM (C-13): sc-46879

## BACKGROUND

Class-I MHC-restricted T cell-associated molecule (CRTAM) is a receptor that is primarily expressed on activated cytotoxic lymphocytes where it may play a role in their adhesion, interaction or migration. It is one of the most highly expressed surface markers detected on activated human NKT cells and CD8 T cells, suggesting its use as a diagnostic tool in various human viral and autoimmune diseases. CRTAM binds Nectin-like protein 2 (Necl2), which is involved in IL-22 expression regulation. This Necl2/CRTAM molecular pair may regulate cell/cell interactions and may play a role in neuronal interactions. CRTAM is also highly expressed in Purkinje neurons in the cerebellum.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: CRTAM (human) mapping to 11q24.1; Crtam (mouse) mapping to 9 A5.1.

## SOURCE

CRTAM (C-13) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of CRTAM of mouse 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-46879 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

## STORAGE

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

## APPLICATIONS

CRTAM (C-13) is recommended for detection of CRTAM 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).

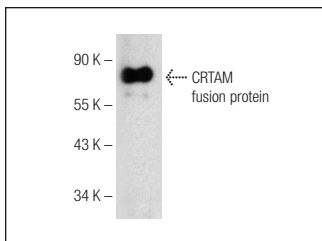
Suitable for use as control antibody for CRTAM siRNA (m): sc-60452, CRTAM shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-60452-SH and CRTAM shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-60452-V.

Molecular Weight of CRTAM: 80 kDa.

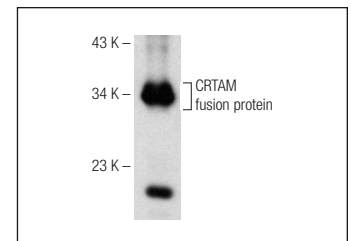
## RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS

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.

## DATA



CRTAM (C-13): sc-46879. Western blot analysis of mouse recombinant CRTAM fusion protein.



CRTAM (C-13): sc-46879. Western blot analysis of human recombinant CRTAM fusion protein.

## RESEARCH USE

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

## PROTOCOLS

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