

MATP (N-12): sc-48591

BACKGROUND

The membrane-associated transporter protein (MATP) is a 530 amino acid protein that spans the lipid bilayer 12 times. MATP is a melanocyte differentiation antigen that is expressed in a high percentage of melanoma cell lines. MATP is transcriptionally modulated by MITF, a melanocyte-specific transcription factor that may act indirectly or bind to a remote regulatory sequence. MATP may play a role in skin cancer, as its gene is expressed in a high percentage of melanoma cell lines, but not at significant levels in normal tissues. Mutations in the MATP gene have also been linked to albinism.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: SLC45A2 (human) mapping to 5p13.2; Slc45a2 (mouse) mapping to 15 A1.

SOURCE

MATP (N-12) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the N-terminus of MATP 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-48591 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

MATP (N-12) is recommended for detection of MATP 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).

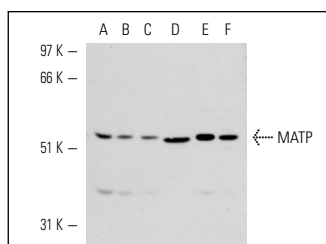
MATP (N-12) is also recommended for detection of MATP in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine, porcine and avian.

Suitable for use as control antibody for MATP siRNA (h): sc-60986, MATP siRNA (m): sc-60987, MATP shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-60986-SH, MATP shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-60987-SH, MATP shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-60986-V and MATP shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-60987-V.

Molecular Weight of MATP: 58 kDa.

Positive Controls: SK-MEL-28 cell lysate: sc-2236, A-375 cell lysate: sc-3811 or B16-F0 cell lysate: sc-2298.

DATA



MATP (N-12): sc-48591. Western blot analysis of MATP expression in SK-MEL-28 (A), C32 (B), SK-MEL-24 (C), B16-F0 (D), Hs 294T (E) and A-375 (F) whole cell lysates.

RESEARCH USE

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

PROTOCOLS

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