

## ITF-2 (K-12): sc-48947

### BACKGROUND

Immunoglobulin transcription factor 2 (ITF-2), also designated transcription factor and SL3-3 enhancer factor 2 (SEF-2) is a basic helix-turn-helix transcription factor. ITF-2 binds to the immunoglobulin enhancer Mu-E5/KE5-motif and to the Ephrussi-box (E-box) element present in SSTR2-INR and serves as an activator of transcription in muscle-specific genes. ITF-2 preferentially binds to either 5'-ACANNTGT-3' or 5'-CCANNTGG-3'. ITF-2 belongs to the class of simple bHLH transcription factors identified as ubiquitous E-box binding factors, which also includes the E2A gene products (E12 and E47) and HEB. The protein is expressed in adult heart, brain, placenta, skeletal muscle and embryonic brain. ITF-2 forms homo- or hetero-oligomers with myogenin and MyoD; alternatively spliced isoforms of ITF-2 function to activate or repress their transcription.

### CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: TCF4 (human) mapping to 18q21.2; Tcf4 (mouse) mapping to 18 E2.

### SOURCE

ITF-2 (K-12) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of ITF-2 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. Also available as TransCruz reagent for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications, sc-48947 X, 200 µg/0.1 ml.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-48947 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

### RESEARCH USE

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

### APPLICATIONS

ITF-2 (K-12) is recommended for detection of ITF-2 isoforms SEF2-1A and SEF2-1D 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 ITF-2 siRNA (h): sc-61657, ITF-2 siRNA (m): sc-61658, ITF-2 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-61657-SH, ITF-2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-61658-SH, ITF-2 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-61657-V and ITF-2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-61658-V.

ITF-2 (K-12) X TransCruz antibody is recommended for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications.

Molecular Weight (predicted) of ITF-2: 71 kDa.

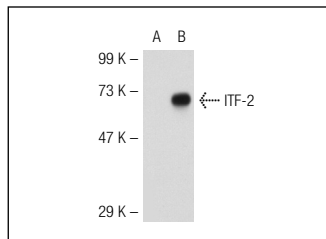
Molecular Weight (observed) of ITF-2: 85 kDa.

Positive Controls: ITF-2 (m): 293T Lysate: sc-121127, A549 cell lysate: sc-2413 or human placenta extract: sc-363772.

### 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



ITF-2 (K-12): sc-48947. Western blot analysis of ITF-2 expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A) and mouse ITF-2 transfected: sc-121127 (B) 293T whole cell lysates.

### SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

- Homa, N.J., et al. 2013. Epstein-Barr virus induces global changes in cellular mRNA isoform usage that are important for the maintenance of latency. *J. Virol.* 87: 12291-12301.

### STORAGE

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

### PROTOCOLS

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