Squalene synthetase (Y-17): sc-49758



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BACKGROUND

Several proteins mediate the biosynthesis of cholesterol. The first specific step in the cholesterol biosynthetic pathway is the conversion of transfarnesyl-diphosphate to Squalene, which is catalyzed by the endoplasmic reticulum membrane-associated enzyme Squalene synthetase, also designated Squalene synthase and Farnesyl-diphosphate farnesyltransferase. Squalene synthetase is located at a branch point in the mevalonate pathway and is also involved in isoprenoid biosynthesis. Squalene epoxidase, also designated Squalene monooxygenase, is a multi-pass microsomal membrane-associated enzyme that catalyzes the first oxygenation step in sterol biosynthesis and most likely functions as one of the rate-limiting enzymes in this pathway. Squalene epoxidase may form a complex with Squalene synthetase.

CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: FDFT1 (human) mapping to 8p23.1; Fdft1 (mouse) mapping to 14 D1.

SOURCE

Squalene synthetase (Y-17) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of Squalene synthetase of human origin.

PRODUCT

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

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-49758 P, (100 μ g 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

Squalene synthetase (Y-17) is recommended for detection of Squalene synthetase 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).

Squalene synthetase (Y-17) is also recommended for detection of Squalene synthetase in additional species, including equine and canine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for Squalene synthetase siRNA (h): sc-61610, Squalene synthetase siRNA (m): sc-61611, Squalene synthetase shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-61610-SH, Squalene synthetase shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-61611-SH, Squalene synthetase shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-61610-V and Squalene synthetase shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-61611-V.

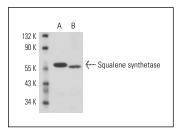
Molecular Weight of Squalene synthetase: 52 kDa.

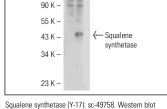
Positive Controls: Squalene synthetase (h): 293T Lysate: sc-113914, rat liver extract: sc-2395 or mouse liver extract: sc-2256.

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





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Squalene synthetase (Y-17): sc-49758. Western blot analysis of Squalene synthetase expression in rat liver (**A**) and mouse liver (**B**) tissue extracts.

Squalene synthetase (Y-17): sc-49758. Western blot analysis of Squalene synthetase expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A) and human Squalene synthetase transfected: sc-113914 (B) 293T whole cell lysates

SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

 Wang, Y., et al. 2008. The effect of 24S-hydroxycholesterol on cholesterol homeostasis in neurons: quantitative changes to the cortical neuron proteome. J. Proteome Res. 7: 1606-1614.

RESEARCH USE

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PROTOCOLS

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