# HoxC4 (N-20): sc-49986



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#### **BACKGROUND**

Homeobox (Hox) genes, which share a highly conserved 183 bp sequence, encode proteins capable of binding to specific DNA sequences and functioning as transcription factors. During embryogenesis, HOX genes play a critical role in the spatial and temporal differentiation of cells. HoxC4, a sequence-specific transcription factor, belongs to the Antp Hox family and localizes to the nucleus. It functions as a part of a developmental regulatory system, providing cells with specific positional identities on the anterior-posterior axis. HoxC4 expression levels increase with differentiation of lymphoid cells, suggesting its role in the molecular regulation of hematopoiesis. HoxC4 is also expressed in differentiated keratinocytes.

## **REFERENCES**

- Rieger, E., et al. 1994. Expression of the homeobox gene HOXC4 in keratinocytes of normal skin and epithelial skin tumors is correlated with differentiation. J. Invest. Dermatol. 103: 341-346.
- 2. Meazza, R., et al. 1995. Expression of HoxC4 homeoprotein in the nucleus of activated human lymphocytes. Blood 85: 2084-2090.

#### CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: HOXC4 (human) mapping to 12q13.13; Hoxc4 (mouse) mapping to 15 F3.

#### SOURCE

HoxC4 (N-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the N-terminus of HoxC4 of human origin.

### **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g$  lgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-49986 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

#### **APPLICATIONS**

HoxC4 (N-20) is recommended for detection of HoxC4 of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2  $\mu$ g per 100-500  $\mu$ g 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).

HoxC4 (N-20) is also recommended for detection of HoxC4 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for HoxC4 siRNA (h): sc-60804, HoxC4 siRNA (m): sc-60805, HoxC4 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-60804-SH, HoxC4 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-60805-SH, HoxC4 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-60804-V and HoxC4 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-60805-V.

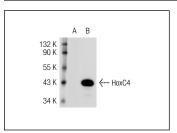
Molecular Weight of HoxC4: 30 kDa.

Positive Controls: HoxC4 (h): 293T Lysate: sc-116126.

#### **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**



HoxC4 (N-20): sc-49986. Western blot analysis of HoxC4 expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A) and human HoxC4 transfected: sc-116126 (B) 293T whole cell Ivsates.

#### **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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