

GFRP (D-11): sc-514098

BACKGROUND

GTP cyclohydrolase I feedback regulatory protein (GFRP) is encoded by the gene GCHFR. GFRP mediates feedback inhibition of GTP cyclohydrolase I activity by tetrahydrobiopterin. GFRP also acts as a mediator for the stimulatory effect of phenylalanine on enzyme activity. L-phenylalanine reverses this inhibition. Cross-linking experiments have shown that GFRP is usually expressed as a homodimer or pentamer.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: GCHFR (human) mapping to 15q15.1; Gchfr (mouse) mapping to 2 E5.

SOURCE

GFRP (D-11) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 28-51 within an internal region of GFRP of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 µg IgM kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-514098 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% stabilizer protein).

STORAGE

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

APPLICATIONS

GFRP (D-11) is recommended for detection of GFRP of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, 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 GFRP siRNA (h): sc-105393, GFRP siRNA (m): sc-145387, GFRP shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-105393-SH, GFRP shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-145387-SH, GFRP shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-105393-V and GFRP shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-145387-V.

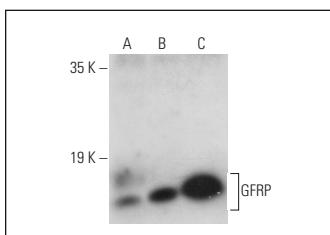
Positive Controls: human liver extract: sc-363766, K-562 whole cell lysate: sc-2203 or Hep G2 cell lysate: sc-2227.

RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

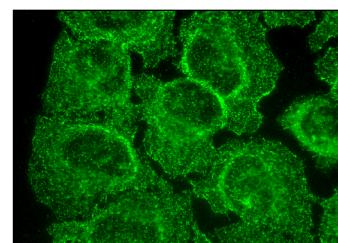
To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended:

1) Western Blotting: use m-IgG_k BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgG_k BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz® Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein L-Agarose: sc-2336 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) Immunofluorescence: use m-IgG_k BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgG_k BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz® Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz® Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

DATA



GFRP (D-11); sc-514098. Western blot analysis of GFRP expression in K-562 (**A**) and Hep G2 (**B**) whole cell lysates and human liver tissue extract (**C**).



GFRP (D-11); sc-514098. Immunofluorescence staining of methanol-fixed HeLa cells showing cytoplasmic and membrane localization.

RESEARCH USE

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PROTOCOLS

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