RFX-B (E-4): sc-514873



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BACKGROUND

EP is a regulatory enhancer element found in several promoters on viral genes, and similar sites are also present in cellular genes, including the MIF-1 binding site (MIE) of the human c-myc gene, the X box of MHC class II promoters and a binding site in the proliferating cell nuclear antigen promoter. The EP sites present in the X box of MHC class II promoters are distinctly nonpalindromic sequences that contain only a single EP-homologous half-site. The EP element is bound by a ubiquitous nuclear protein complex that consists of homo- and heterodimers involving the RFX1, RFX2 and RFX3 proteins. The RFX proteins represent an essential class II transcription factor family that shares several conserved regions, including the centrally located DNA-binding domain (DBD) and the D region found in the C-terminal part of these proteins which facilitates dimerization. RFX complexes can activate the enhancer elements of several HBV genes and also promote the induction of MHC class II genes in response to interferon-g stimulation. Two additional subunits, RFX5, RFX-B/ Ank, are also involved in the RFX complexes, yet they bind additional elements in the X1 half of the X box.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: RFXANK (human) mapping to 19p13.11; Rfxank (mouse) mapping to 8 B3.3.

SOURCE

RFX-B (E-4) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 1-70 mapping at the N-terminus of RFX-B of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 $\mu g \ lgG_1$ kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

RFX-B (E-4) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-514873 AC), 500 μ g/ 0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; to HRP (sc-514873 HRP), 200 μ g/ml, for WB, IHC(P) and ELISA; to either phycoerythrin (sc-514873 PE), fluorescein (sc-514873 FITC), Alexa Fluor® 488 (sc-514873 AF488), Alexa Fluor® 546 (sc-514873 AF546), Alexa Fluor® 594 (sc-514873 AF594) or Alexa Fluor® 647 (sc-514873 AF647), 200 μ g/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM; and to either Alexa Fluor® 680 (sc-514873 AF680) or Alexa Fluor® 790 (sc-514873 AF790), 200 μ g/ml, for Near-Infrared (NIR) WB, IF and FCM.

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APPLICATIONS

RFX-B (E-4) is recommended for detection of RFX-B of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 μ g per 100-500 μ 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).

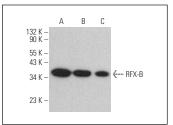
Suitable for use as control antibody for RFX-B siRNA (h): sc-37751, RFX-B siRNA (m): sc-37752, RFX-B shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-37751-SH, RFX-B shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-37752-SH, RFX-B shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-37751-V and RFX-B shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-37752-V.

Positive Controls: WiDr cell lysate: sc-24779, U-698-M whole cell lysate: sc-364799 or TF-1 cell lysate: sc-2412.

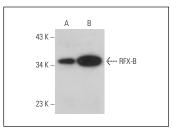
RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-lgG κ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-lgG κ BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz MarkerTM Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz[®] Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 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 m-lgG κ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-lgG κ 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







RFX-B (E-4): sc-514873. Western blot analysis of RFX-B expression in WiDr (**A**) and U-698-M (**B**) whole cell lysates.

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

See our web site at www.scbt.com for detailed protocols and support products.