

TLR3 (40C1285): sc-52961

BACKGROUND

Six human homologs of the *Drosophila* Toll receptor were initially identified based on their sequence similarities and designated Toll-like receptors (TLR). Toll receptors are involved in mediating dorsoventral polarization in the developing *Drosophila* embryo and also participate in the host immunity. The TLR family of proteins are characterized by a highly conserved Toll homology (TH) domain, which is essential for Toll-induced signal transduction. Expression of TLR receptors is highest in peripheral blood leukocytes, macrophages and monocytes. TLR1, as well as the other TLR family members, are type I transmembrane receptors that characteristically contain an extracellular domain consisting of several leucine-rich regions along with a single cytoplasmic Toll/IL-1R-like domain. TLR2 and TLR4 are activated in response to lipopolysaccharide (LPS) stimulation, which results in the activation and translocation of NFκB and suggests that these receptors are involved in mediating inflammatory responses. TLR3 is highly expressed in placenta and pancreas, and is limited to the dendritic subpopulation of leukocytes. TLR3 recognizes dsRNA associated with viral infection and induces activation of NFκB and production of type I interferons, which suggests that it may play a role in host defense against viruses. TLR6 is highly homologous to TLR1, sharing greater than 65% sequence identity. Like other members of TLR family, TLR6 induces NFκB signaling upon activation.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: TLR3 (human) mapping to 4q35.1.

SOURCE

TLR3 (40C1285) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against a synthetic peptide of human TLR3.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 100 µg IgG₁ in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

APPLICATIONS

TLR3 (40C1285) is recommended for detection of TLR3 of 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)] and flow cytometry (1 µg per 1 x 10⁶ cells).

Suitable for use as control antibody for TLR3 siRNA (h): sc-36685, TLR3 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-36685-SH and TLR3 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36685-V.

Molecular Weight of TLR3: 117 kDa.

Positive Controls: COLO 320DM cell lysate: sc-2226, CCRF-HSB-2 cell lysate: sc-2265 or NAMALWA cell lysate: sc-2234.

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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