

# Neuregulin-1 $\alpha$ / $\beta$ 1/2 (F-20): sc-537

## BACKGROUND

The neuregulins are a family of ErbB/HER ligands encoded by four genes. Neuregulin-1 gene, NRG-1, encodes numerous splice variants with differing transcription initiation sites. Neuregulin-1 includes a range of isoforms with varying glycosylation, regulation of expression and function. Neuregulin-1 splice variants each bear an EGF-like domain, though, otherwise have unique domain structures, differing functions and discrete tissue distribution. Six types of Neuregulin-1 isoform groups have been defined based on their structural features. Three types are most often described, type I (ARIA, NDF, or HRG), type II (GGF) and type III (SMDF). Neuregulin-1 has been linked to schizophrenia and has diverse neural functions. Neuregulin-1 affects cell migration, the differentiation of neural crest and Schwann cells and acts to upregulate the expression of acetylcholine receptors at muscle fibers during the formation of neuromuscular junctions.

## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: NRG1 (human) mapping to 8p12.

## SOURCE

Neuregulin-1 $\alpha$ / $\beta$ 1/2 (F-20) is an affinity purified rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of Neuregulin-1 isoform HRG- $\alpha$  of human origin.

## PRODUCT

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

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-537 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

## APPLICATIONS

Neuregulin-1 $\alpha$ / $\beta$ 1/2 (F-20) is recommended for detection of Neuregulin-1 isoforms HRG- $\alpha$ , HRG- $\alpha$ 1A, HRG- $\alpha$ 2B, HRG- $\beta$ 1, HRG- $\beta$ 2, and Type IV- $\beta$ 1a of 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), immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000). Neuregulin-1 $\alpha$ / $\beta$ 1/2 (F-20) is also recommended for detection of Neuregulin-1 isoforms HRG- $\alpha$ , HRG- $\alpha$ 1A, HRG- $\alpha$ 2B, HRG- $\beta$ 1, HRG- $\beta$ 2 and Type IV- $\beta$ 1a in additional species, including canine, porcine and avian.

Suitable for use as control antibody for Neuregulin-1 siRNA (h): sc-37210, Neuregulin-1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-37210-SH and Neuregulin-1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-37210-V. Molecular Weight of HRG- $\alpha$ : 70 kDa.

Molecular Weight of HRG- $\alpha$ 1A: 71 kDa.

Molecular Weight of HRG- $\alpha$ 2B: 51 kDa.

Molecular Weight of HRG- $\beta$ 1: 71 kDa.

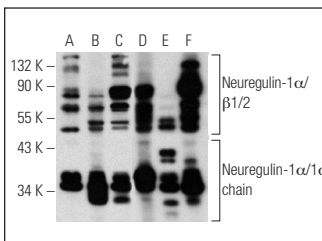
Molecular Weight of HRG- $\beta$ 2: 70 kDa.

Molecular Weight of Type IV- $\beta$ 1a: 65 kDa.

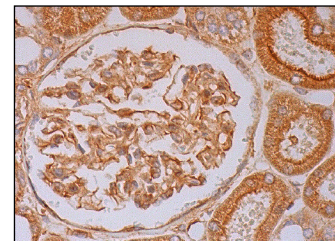
## STORAGE

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

## DATA



Neuregulin-1 $\alpha$ / $\beta$ 1/2 (F-20): sc-537. Western blot analysis of Neuregulin-1 $\alpha$ / $\beta$ 1/2 expression in THP-1 (A), A-431 (B), MCF7 (C), A-673 (D), SK-N-MC (E) and MDA-MB-231 (F) whole cell lysates.



Neuregulin-1 $\alpha$ / $\beta$ 1/2 (F-20): sc-537. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human kidney tissue showing cytoplasmic and membrane staining of cells in glomeruli and cells in tubules.

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## RESEARCH USE

For research use only, not for use in diagnostic procedures.



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