# GSK-3β (1F7): sc-53931



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## **BACKGROUND**

Glycogen synthase kinase-3, or GSK-3, is a serine/threonine, proline-directed kinase involved in a diverse array of signaling pathways, including glycogen synthesis and cellular adhesion, and has been implicated in Alzheimer's disease. Two forms of GSK-3, designated GSK-3 $\alpha$  and GSK-3 $\beta$ , have been identified and differ in their subcellular localization. Tau, a microtubule-binding protein which serves to stabilize microtubules in growing axons, is found to be hyperphosphorylated in paired helical filaments (PHF), the major fibrous component of neurofibrillary lesions associated with Alzheimer's disease. Hyperphosphorylation of Tau is thought to be the critical event leading to the assembly of PHF. Six Tau protein isoforms have been identified, all of which are phosphorylated by GSK-3. This presents the possibility that miscues in GSK-3 signaling contribute to the onset of Alzheimer's disease.

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# **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: GSK3B (human) mapping to 3q13.33; Gsk3b (mouse) mapping to 16 B4.

# SOURCE

GSK-3 $\beta$  (1F7) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 341-420 of GSK-3 $\beta$  of human origin.

## **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 50  $\mu g$  IgG<sub>1</sub> in 0.5 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide, 0.1% gelatin and 1% glycerol.

# **APPLICATIONS**

GSK-3 $\beta$  (1F7) is recommended for detection of GSK-3 $\beta$  of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000) and immunoprecipitation [1-2  $\mu$ g per 100-500  $\mu$ g of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)].

Suitable for use as control antibody for GSK-3 $\beta$  siRNA (h): sc-35527, GSK-3 $\beta$  siRNA (m): sc-35525, GSK-3 $\beta$  shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-35527-SH, GSK-3 $\beta$  shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-35525-SH, GSK-3 $\beta$  shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-35527-V and GSK-3 $\beta$  shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-35525-V.

Molecular Weight of GSK-3β: 47 kDa.

Positive Controls: GSK-3 $\beta$  (m): 293T Lysate: sc-120654, HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200 or Jurkat whole cell lysate: sc-2204.

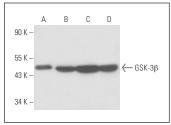
# **RESEARCH USE**

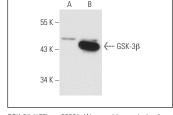
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#### **STORAGE**

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

## **DATA**





GSK-3 $\beta$  (1F7): sc-53931. Western blot analysis of GSK-3 $\beta$  expression in HeLa (**A**), A549 (**B**), SK-BR-3 (**C**) and Jurkat (**D**) whole cell lysates.

GSK-3β (1F7): sc-53931. Western blot analysis of GSK-3β expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A) and mouse GSK-3β transfected: sc-120654 (B) 293T whole cell Ivsates.

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See **GSK-3** $\alpha$  (0011-A): sc-7291 for GSK-3 $\alpha$ / $\beta$  antibody conjugates, including AC, HRP, FITC, PE, and Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 488, 546, 594, 647, 680 and 790.