# Lutropin β (Y-13): sc-54093



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#### **BACKGROUND**

Various hormones are secreted from the anterior pituitary gland during development and growth. Lutropin, also called luteinizing hormone (LH), plays a role in spermatogenesis and ovulation by stimulating the testes and ovaries to produce steroids. Lutropin, like many of the anterior pituitary hormones, consists of heterodimers formed from a common  $\alpha$  chain and a unique  $\beta$  chain. Lutropin exists in a variety of isoforms, as the hormone is proteolytically processed and metabolized throughout circulation. Lutropin modulates the processing of  $\beta$ -Amyloid precursor protein and  $\beta$ -Amyloid deposition. Pituitary exit of Lutropin and FSH occur via different secretion pathways and are released spatially from the pituitary via different circulatory routes.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: LHB (human) mapping to 19q13.33, CGB2 (human) mapping to 19q13.33.

# SOURCE

Lutropin  $\beta$  (Y-13) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of Lutropin  $\beta$  of human origin.

### **PRODUCT**

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

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-54093 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

# **STORAGE**

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

#### **APPLICATIONS**

Lutropin  $\beta$  (Y-13) is recommended for detection of Lutropin  $\beta$  chain and Choriogonadotropin  $\beta$  chain 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)], 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 Gonadotropin siRNA (h): sc-39317, Gonadotropin shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-39317-SH and Gonadotropin shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-39317-V.

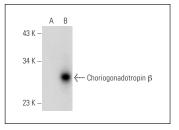
Molecular Weight of Lutropin β: 22 kDa.

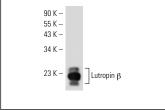
Positive Controls: Choriogonadotropin  $\beta$  (h2): 293T Lysate: sc-170178 or human pituitary tissue extract.

## **RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS**

To ensure optimal results, the following support (secondary) reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2020 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:100,000) or Cruz Marker™ compatible donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2033 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:5000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, TBS Blotto A Blocking Reagent: sc-2333 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 donkey anti-goat IgG-FITC: sc-2024 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) or donkey anti-goat IgG-TR: sc-2783 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz™ Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

#### **DATA**





Lutropin  $\beta$  (Y-13): sc-54093. Western blot analysis of Choriogonadotropin  $\beta$  expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (**A**) and human Choriogonadotropin  $\beta$  transfected: sc-170178 (**B**) 293T whole cell lysates.

Lutropin  $\beta$  (Y-13): sc-54093. Western blot analysis of Lutropin  $\beta$  expression in human pituitary tissue

## **RESEARCH USE**

For research use only, not for use in diagnostic procedures



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