

Sos 2 (A-8): sc-55478

BACKGROUND

The superfamily of GTP-binding proteins, of which Ras proteins are prototypes, has been implicated in a broad range of biological activities. Studies have identified a family of guanine nucleotide-releasing factors (GRFs) that activate Ras in mammalian cells and an "adapter" protein (Sem 5/GRB2) that appears to mediate the interaction of GRFs with activated receptor molecules. Ras-GRF p140 promotes nucleotide exchange on Ras p21s but not on other members of the Ras gene superfamily. In addition, three mammalian homologs of the *Drosophila* Ras-GRF, son of sevenless (Sos), have been described. These include two from mouse, mSos 1 and mSos 2, and one from human, hSos. Vav p95 has been reported to function as a GRF in activation of Ras by the T cell receptor and has been reported to have a domain similar to that of Dbl p115, which is a GRF specific for Cdc42Hs. Subsequent to activation, Ras appears to interact with Raf, thereby activating the MAP kinase phosphorylation pathway.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: SOS2 (human) mapping to 14q21.3.

SOURCE

Sos 2 (A-8) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 1091-1170 mapping near the C-terminus of Sos 2 of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 µg IgG_{2a} kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

STORAGE

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

APPLICATIONS

Sos 2 (A-8) is recommended for detection of Sos 2 of human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, 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 Sos 2 siRNA (h): sc-36525, Sos 2 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-36525-SH and Sos 2 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36525-V.

Molecular Weight of Sos 2: 155 kDa.

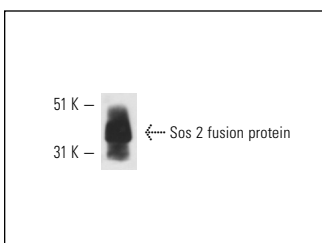
Positive Controls: A-431 whole cell lysate: sc-2201 or K-562 whole cell lysate: sc-2203.

RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended:

- 1) Western Blotting: use m-IgGκ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgGκ BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), 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 m-IgGκ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgGκ 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



Sos 2 (A-8): sc-55478. Western blot analysis of human recombinant Sos 2 fusion protein.

RESEARCH USE

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PROTOCOLS

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