

EBV EBNA-1 (1B5): sc-56671

BACKGROUND

Epstein-Barr virus, frequently referred to as EBV, is a member of the herpesvirus family and is one of the most common human viruses. Epstein-Barr virus, an agent with growth transforming potential for human B cells, is associated with certain human cancers (e.g. B cell lymphomas and Burkitt's lymphoma) and one type of epithelial tumor, designated NPC (undifferentiated nasopharyngeal carcinoma). EBV nuclear antigen 1 protein (EBV EBNA-1) is expressed in all EBV-associated tumors, including Burkitt's lymphoma and nasopharyngeal carcinoma tumors. EBV EBNA-1 is also required for synthesis and maintenance of the Epstein-Barr virus genome. Epstein-Barr virus nuclear antigen 2 (EBV EBNA-2) activates transcription of specific genes and is essential for B lymphocyte transformation. EBV EBNA-2 is specifically bound to a novel nuclear protein, p100, which can co-activate gene expression mediated by the EBV EBNA-2 acidic domain. It is generally accepted that the Epstein-Barr nuclear antigen latent genes EBNA-2, -3A, -3C, -LP and LMP-1 are essential for growth transformation and immortalization of B lymphocytes. EBNA-3A and EBNA-3B co-activation are at most 40% that of EBNA-3C.

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SOURCE

EBV EBNA-1 (1B5) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against recombinant Epstein-Barr Virus nuclear antigen 1.

STORAGE

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

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 50 µg IgG₁ in 0.5 ml PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

APPLICATIONS

EBV EBNA-1 (1B5) is recommended for detection of EBNA-1 of Epstein-Barr virus 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 solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

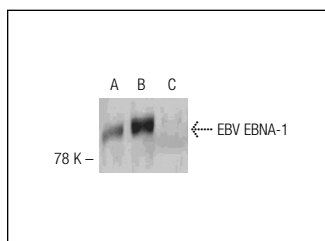
Molecular Weight of EBV EBNA-1: 88 kDa.

Positive Controls: BJAB whole cell lysate: sc-2207.

RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support (secondary) reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use goat anti-mouse IgG-HRP: sc-2005 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:32,000) or Cruz Marker™ compatible goat anti-mouse IgG-HRP: sc-2031 (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).

DATA



EBV EBNA-1 (1B5): sc-56671. Western blot analysis of EBV EBNA-1 expression in B95-8 (A), Jijoye (B) and BJAB (C) whole cell lysates.

RESEARCH USE

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

PROTOCOLS

See our web site at www.scbt.com or our catalog for detailed protocols and support products.



See **EBV EBNA-1 (1EB12): sc-81581** for EBV EBNA-1 antibody conjugates, including AC, HRP, FITC, PE, Alexa Fluor® 488 and Alexa Fluor® 647.