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BETA 3 (E-17): sc-6045



BACKGROUND

Members of the myogenic determination family are basic helix-loop-helix (bHLH) proteins that can be separated into two classes. Class A proteins include the ubiquitously expressed E-box binding factors E12/E47, ITF2 and HEB (BETA 1 or HTF4). Class B proteins such as Myo D, myogenin and Neuro D (BETA 2) are transiently expressed and exhibit a more limited tissue distribution. Class A proteins heterodimerize with class B proteins to activate transcription. Working in opposition to these positively acting factors are a specialized group of proteins that function as dominant negative regulators. For instance, the ld family of transcriptional repressors contains a HLH region required for dimerization but lacks a functional DNA-binding domain. The Id family can therefore form heterodimers with the myogenic family, but the resulting complexes are transcriptionally inactive. BETA 3 is a protein that is functionally similar to members of the ld family in that it can inhibit the binding of E47 homodimers as well as E47/Neuro D and E47/Myo D heterodimers to consensus DNA sequences. In contrast to members of the Id family, BETA 3 contains a putative DNA-binding domain.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: BHLHE22 (human) mapping to 8q12.3; Bhlhe22 (mouse) mapping to 3 A1.

SOURCE

BETA 3 (E-17) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the N-terminus of BETA 3 of hamster origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 μg IgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-6045 P, (100 μ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

Available as TransCruz reagent for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications, sc-6045 X, 200 μ g/0.1 ml.

STORAGE

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

APPLICATIONS

BETA 3 (E-17) is recommended for detection of BETA 3 of mouse, rat, human and hamster 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).

BETA 3 (E-17) is also recommended for detection of BETA 3 in additional species, including canine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for BETA 3 siRNA (h): sc-42066, BETA 3 siRNA (m): sc-42067, BETA 3 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-42066-SH, BETA 3 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-42067-SH, BETA 3 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-42066-V and BETA 3 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-42067-V.

BETA 3 (E-17) X TransCruz antibody is recommended for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications.

Molecular Weight of BETA 3: 55 kDa.

Positive Controls: rat lung extract: sc-2396, rat brain extract: sc-2392 or rat kidney extract: sc-2394.

DATA



expression in rat lung (A) and brain (B) tissue extracts.

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RESEARCH USE

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