

MIP-3 α (500-M28): sc-65368

BACKGROUND

Chemokines are members of a superfamily of small inducible, secreted, pro-inflammatory cytokines. Members of the chemokine family exhibit 20 to 50% homology in their predicted amino acid sequences and are divided into four subfamilies. In the C-X-C (or α) subfamily, the first two of four cysteine residues are separated by a single amino acid. In C-C (or β) subfamily, the first two cysteines are adjacent. C subfamily members, also designated γ chemokines, lack the first and third cysteine residues of the conserved motif. C-C chemokines are chemoattractants and activators for monocytes and T cells. C-C subfamily members include macrophage inflammatory protein (MIP)-1 α , MIP-1 β , MIP-2, MIP-3 α , MIP-3 β , MIP-4, HCC-1, MIP-5 (or HCC-2), RANTES, MCP-1/2/3 (and the murine homologs JE and MARC), I-309, murine C10 and TCA3. MIP-3 α is expressed in several tissues and cell lines. MIP-3 β expression is restricted to lymph nodes, thymus and appendix.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: CCL20 (human) mapping to 2q36.3.

SOURCE

MIP-3 α (500-M28) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 27-96 of MIP-3 α of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 100 μ g IgG₁ in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

APPLICATIONS

MIP-3 α (500-M28) is recommended for detection of MIP-3 α of human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

Suitable for use as control antibody for MIP-3 α siRNA (h): sc-43935, MIP-3 α shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-43935-SH and MIP-3 α shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-43935-V.

Molecular Weight of MIP-3 α : 9 kDa.

STORAGE

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

RESEARCH USE

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

PROTOCOLS

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