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# Desmin (10H7D2): sc-65983



### BACKGROUND

Cytoskeletal intermediate filaments (IFs) constitute a diverse group of proteins that are expressed in a highly tissue-specific manner. IFs are constructed from two-chain  $\alpha$ -helical coiled-coil molecules arranged on an imperfect helical lattice and have been widely used as markers for distinguishing individual cell types within a tissue and identifying the origins of metastatic tumors. Vimentin is an IF general marker of cells originating in the mesenchyme. Vimentin and Desmin, a related class III IF, are both expressed during skeletal muscle development. Desmin, a 469 amino acid protein found near the Z line in sarcomeres, is expressed more frequently in adult differentiated state tissues. Desmin makes up attachments between the terminal Z-disc and membrane-associated proteins to form a force-transmitting system. Mutations in the gene encoding for Desmin are associated with adult-onset skeletal myopathy, sporadic disease and mild cardiac involvement.

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#### **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: DES (human) mapping to 2q35; Des (mouse) mapping to 1 C4.

#### SOURCE

Desmin (10H7D2) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against purified truncated recombinant Desmin of human origin.

#### PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200  $\mu$ g lgG<sub>1</sub> kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

#### **APPLICATIONS**

Desmin (10H7D2) is recommended for detection of Desmin of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2  $\mu$ g per 100-500  $\mu$ g of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)], immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500).

Suitable for use as control antibody for Desmin siRNA (h): sc-29294, Desmin siRNA (m): sc-29295, Desmin shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-29294-SH, Desmin shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-29295-SH, Desmin shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29294-V and Desmin shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29295-V.

Molecular Weight of Desmin: 53 kDa.

Positive Controls: Desmin (m): 293T Lysate: sc-119754, Sol8 cell lysate: sc-2249 or SJRH30 cell lysate: sc-2287.

### STORAGE

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

## DATA



Desmin (10H7D2): sc-65983. Western blot analysis of Desmin expression in non-transfected 293T: sc-117752 (**A**), mouse Desmin transfected 293T: sc-119754 (**B**) and SJRH30 (**C**) whole cell lysates.



Desmin (10H7D2): sc-65983. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human smooth muscle tissue showing cytoplasmic staining of smooth muscle cells (**A**). Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human heart muscle tissue showing intercalated disc and cytoplasmic staining of myocytes (**B**).

### **SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS**

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## **RESEARCH USE**

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

## PROTOCOLS

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