# IL-7R (C-20): sc-662



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#### **BACKGROUND**

Interleukin 7 (IL-7) was originally described as a factor capable of inducing *in vitro* proliferation of pre-B cells from marrow cultures. The IL-7 gene encodes a protein 177 amino acids in length. IL-7 exerts its biological function through the IL-7 receptor which is expressed on pre-B cells, thymocytes and bone marrow-derived macrophages. The IL-7 receptor is composed of an IL-7 receptor-specific chain and the IL-2 receptor  $\gamma$  chain common to the IL-2, IL-4, IL-7, IL-9 and IL-15 receptors. IL-7 stimulation leads to the activation of Janus tyrosine kinase family members JAK1 and JAK3. Other studies have shown that in T cells, the IL-7 receptor-specific chain associates with the Src kinases family Lck and Fyn. IL-7 induces phosphorylation of Insulin receptor substrate-1 (IRS-1) and Insulin receptor substrate-2 (IRS-2), originally called 4PS.

## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: IL7R (human) mapping to 5p13.2; Il7r (mouse) mapping to 15 A1.

#### **SOURCE**

IL-7R (C-20) is an affinity purified rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the C-terminus of IL-7R of human origin.

#### **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g$  lgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with <0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-662 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

### **APPLICATIONS**

IL-7R (C-20) is recommended for detection of IL-7R 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), immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

IL-7R (C-20) is also recommended for detection of IL-7R in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for IL-7R siRNA (h): sc-35664, IL-7R siRNA (m): sc-35665, IL-7R shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-35664-SH, IL-7R shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-35665-SH, IL-7R shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-35664-V and IL-7R shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-35665-V.

Molecular Weight of IL-7 heterodimer: 90 kDa.

Molecular Weight of IL-7α subunit: 76 kDa.

Positive Controls: K-562 whole cell lysate: sc-2203, WEHI-231 whole cell lysate: sc-2213 or Daudi cell lysate: sc-2415.

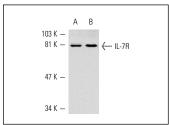
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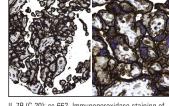
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#### **RESEARCH USE**

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

#### DATA





IL-7R (C-20): sc-662. Western blot analysis of IL-7 receptor expression in K-562 (**A**) and WEHI-231 (**B**) whole cell lysates.

IL-7R (C-20): sc-662. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human placenta tissue showing membrane staining of decidual and trophoblastic cells at low (**A**) and high (**B**) magnification. Kindly provided by The Swedish Human Protein Atlas (HPA) program.

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