

SP17 (A-14): sc-66640

BACKGROUND

SP17 (sperm protein 17) also known as SPA17 (sperm autoantigenic protein 17), SP17-1 or CT22 (cancer/testis antigen 22) is a sperm surface peripheral membrane protein. It is predominantly expressed in testis and contains two heparan binding motifs and a C-terminal calmodulin (CaM)-binding domain. SP17 exists as a homodimer and localizes to the head and tail of spermatozoa. Residing in the fibrous sheath of the tail, SP17 interacts, via its N-terminus, with AKAP 3 and may play an important signaling role in this PKA-independent AKAP complex. Localizing to the cytoplasm of the head of spermatozoa, SP17 can bind to the zona pellucida of the oocyte with high affinity, suggesting a role in fertilization. In addition, SP17 has been identified as a cancer/testis antigen and is expressed in ovarian cancer and multiple myeloma. This suggests that SP17 could be suitable as a target in tumor immunotherapy.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: SPA17 (human) mapping to 11q24.2; Spa17 (mouse) mapping to 9 A4.

SOURCE

SP17 (A-14) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the N-terminus of SP17 of human origin.

RESEARCH USE

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

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-66640 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

APPLICATIONS

SP17 (A-14) is recommended for detection of SP17 of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), 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).

SP17 (A-14) is also recommended for detection of SP17 in additional species, including equine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for SP17 siRNA (h): sc-63052, SP17 siRNA (m): sc-63053, SP17 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-63052-SH, SP17 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-63053-SH, SP17 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-63052-V and SP17 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-63053-V.

Molecular Weight of SP17 triplet: 22-25 kDa.

Molecular Weight of SP17 dimer: 54 kDa.

Positive Controls: HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200, ES-2 cell lysate: sc-24674 or mouse testis extract: sc-2405.

RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support (secondary) reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2020 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:100,000) or Cruz Marker™ compatible donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2033 (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) Immunofluorescence: use donkey anti-goat IgG-FITC: sc-2024 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) or donkey anti-goat IgG-TR: sc-2783 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz™ Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

STORAGE

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

PROTOCOLS

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