

StARD5 (M-20): sc-66665

BACKGROUND

The StARD (steroidogenic acute regulatory protein-related lipid transfer (START) domain containing) family of proteins is comprised of 15 different members. All members contain the characteristic START domain and are believed to play key roles in the metabolism and transport of lipids. The StARD proteins are grouped into six subfamilies based on their START domain sequences. StARD4, StARD5 and StARD6 constitute one subfamily, sharing approximately 30% amino acid identity with each other. StARD6 is specifically expressed in the testis, while StARD4 and StARD5 are widely expressed with predominant expression in kidney and liver. These proteins are believed to function in the intracellular cytosolic transport of sterols and/or the biosynthesis of cholesterol. The expression of StARD4 can be regulated by sterols, whereas the expression of StARD5 is not sterol regulated but can be induced by endoplasmic reticulum (ER) stress. Due to its exclusive tissue expression and its interaction with sterols, StARD6 may function in reproduction and germ cell maturation.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: *Stard5* (mouse) mapping to 7 D3.

SOURCE

StARD5 (M-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the C-terminus of StARD5 of mouse 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-66665 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

STORAGE

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

APPLICATIONS

StARD5 (M-20) is recommended for detection of StARD5 of mouse and rat 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).

Suitable for use as control antibody for StARD5 siRNA (m): sc-63075, StARD5 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-63075-SH and StARD5 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-63075-V.

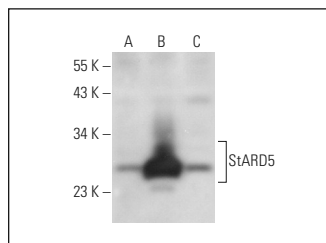
Molecular Weight of StARD5: 26 kDa.

Positive Controls: StARD5 (m): 293T Lysate: sc-127598, mouse liver extract: sc-2256 or mouse kidney extract: sc-2255.

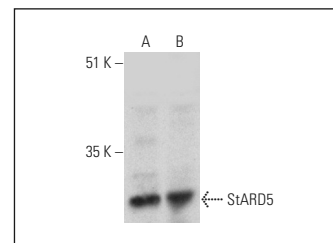
RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS

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) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) 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.

DATA



StARD5 (M-20): sc-66665. Western blot analysis of StARD5 expression in non-transfected 293T: sc-117752 (A), mouse StARD5 transfected 293T: sc-127598 (B) and c4 (C) 293T whole cell lysates.



StARD5 (M-20): sc-66665. Western blot analysis of StARD5 expression in mouse liver (A) and mouse kidney (B) tissue extracts.

RESEARCH USE

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