

# LPAAT- $\alpha$ (P-14): sc-68592

## BACKGROUND

Phosphatidic acid and lysophosphatidic acid are phospholipids involved in lipid biosynthesis and signal transduction. LPAAT- $\alpha$  (lysophosphatidic acid acyltransferase  $\alpha$ ), also designated 1-acylglycerol-3-phosphate O-acyltransferase 1 (AGPAT1), catalyzes the synthesis of phosphatidic acid from lysophosphatidic acid by incorporating an acyl moiety at the sn-2 position of the glycerol backbone. LPAAT- $\alpha$  is a membrane-bound protein belonging to the LPAAT family. Members of the LPAAT family have a well-known role in lipid biosynthesis and may also play a role in tumor progression. LPAAT- $\alpha$  is widely expressed with highest expression in skeletal muscle.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: AGPAT1 (human) mapping to 6p21.32; Agpat1 (mouse) mapping to 17 B1.

## SOURCE

LPAAT- $\alpha$  (P-14) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of LPAAT- $\alpha$  of human origin.

## PRODUCT

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

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-68592 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

## APPLICATIONS

LPAAT- $\alpha$  (P-14) is recommended for detection of LPAAT- $\alpha$  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 solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

LPAAT- $\alpha$  (P-14) is also recommended for detection of LPAAT- $\alpha$  in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for LPAAT- $\alpha$  siRNA (h): sc-75692, LPAAT- $\alpha$  siRNA (m): sc-75693, LPAAT- $\alpha$  shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-75692-SH, LPAAT- $\alpha$  shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-75693-SH, LPAAT- $\alpha$  shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-75692-V and LPAAT- $\alpha$  shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-75693-V.

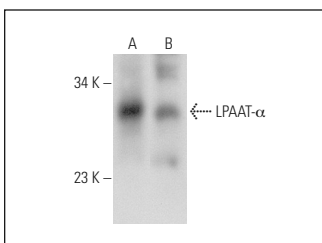
Molecular Weight of LPAAT- $\alpha$ : 32 kDa.

Positive Controls: mouse heart extract: sc-2254 or rat skeletal muscle extract: sc-364810.

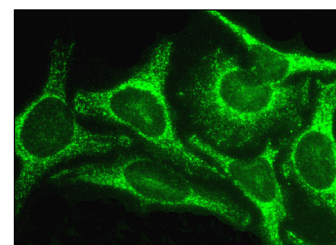
## RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS

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



LPAAT- $\alpha$  (P-14): sc-68592. Western blot analysis of LPAAT- $\alpha$  expression in mouse heart (A) and rat skeletal muscle (B) tissue extracts.



LPAAT- $\alpha$  (P-14): sc-68592. Immunofluorescence staining of methanol-fixed HeLa cells showing cytoplasmic localization.

## 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.