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MARCO (C-12): sc-68622



BACKGROUND

Macrophages provide their host with a nonspecific immune defense against pathogens. One cellular surface receptor utilized by macrophages is the macrophage receptor with collagenous structure (MARCO). MARCO is a member of the class A scavenger receptor molecules. This single-pass type II membrane protein was first identified in subpopulations of murine macrophages in the spleen and medullary cord of lymph nodes. MARCO is additionally found in increased levels in other tissues during bacterial infection. MARCO is a major receptor in alveolar macrophages, binding both Grampositive and Gram-negative bacteria. Additionally, MARCO has been shown to be the major scavenger receptor involved in silica uptake and cytotoxicity in murine macrophages. In mice, mutations in the gene coding for MARCO may lead to increased pulmonary inflammation and cytokine release as well as an imparied ability to clear bacteria from the lungs.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: MARCO (human) mapping to 2q14.2.

SOURCE

MARCO (C-12) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of MARCO of human 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-68622 P, (100 μ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

APPLICATIONS

MARCO (C-12) is recommended for detection of MARCO of human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 μ g per 100-500 μ 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).

Suitable for use as control antibody for MARCO siRNA (h): sc-75747, MARCO shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-75747-SH and MARCO shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-75747-V.

Molecular Weight of MARCO: 53 kDa.

Positive Controls: Jurkat whole cell lysate: sc-2204.

DATA



MARCO (C-12): sc-68622. Western blot analysis of MARCO expression in Jurkat whole cell lysate.

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.

PROTOCOLS

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