



Streptavidin (Strep-10): sc-69710

BACKGROUND

Streptavidin is a tetrameric protein purified from *Streptomyces avidinii* that binds very tightly to the vitamin biotin with one of the strongest known biological and noncovalent interactions. Each monomer of Streptavidin binds one molecule of biotin. The strong Streptavidin-biotin bond can be used to "glue" various chemicals onto surfaces and to link together molecules such as radio-isotopes and monoclonal antibodies. Streptavidin is widely utilized in scientific laboratories, commonly for the purification of immunochemistries. It is one of the most important components in diagnostics and laboratory kits.

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SOURCE

Streptavidin (Strep-10) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against Streptavidin of *Streptomyces avidinii* origin.

RESEARCH USE

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

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 500 µl culture supernatant containing IgG₁ with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.7% stabilizer protein.

APPLICATIONS

Streptavidin (Strep-10) is recommended for detection of Streptavidin by immunofluorescence (starting dilution to be determined by researcher, dilution range 1:10-1:200), immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution to be determined by researcher, dilution range 1:10-1:200) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution to be determined by researcher, dilution range 1:10-1:200); permits the formation of antibody-Streptavidin complexes, thus enhancing the sensitivity of the detection system; non cross-reactive with Biotin, Digoxigenin, Avidin or BSA.

Molecular Weight of Streptavidin: 24 kDa.

STORAGE

For immediate and continuous use, store at 4° C for up to one month. For sporadic use, freeze in working aliquots in order to avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles. If turbidity is evident upon prolonged storage, clarify solution by centrifugation.

PROTOCOLS

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